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Brea, CA 92821

February 14, 2019

California Department of Insurance  
Consumer Services and Market Conduct Branch  
Claims Services Bureau  
300 South Spring Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Los Angeles, CA 90013

**RE: Auto Body Labor Rate Survey**

Dear Claims Services Bureau:

In accordance with California Insurance Code section 758(c) and Section 2698.91 of Title 10 of the California Code of Regulations, please find enclosed our Auto Body Labor Rate Survey for the South Bay area.

The information for this survey was gathered from our company's records of paid repairs completed within the previous 90 days. The survey was completed on January 14, 2019. The enclosed spreadsheet identifies the 25 shops included in the survey, with the date the estimate was written, and the labor rates agreed upon and accepted by the shops on that date. No questionnaire was used in the survey. The geographic area covered by this survey includes the following cities: Long Beach, Carson, and Signal Hill. None of the shops included in the survey are members of our company's direct repair program. The formula used to calculate the prevailing auto body rate is the "mode" or modal value, which is the number that appears most often in a set of numbers.

Based on the Department's prior conclusion that our utilization of repair records constitutes a "survey" within the meaning of the Regulations, we are filing our compiled information in order to satisfy the filing requirement in Insurance Code section 758(c). We believe the enclosed survey meets or exceeds all legal requirements.

Please let me know if you have any questions, or if you need additional information.

Sincerely,  
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Mercury Casualty Company  
California Automobile Ins. Co

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**Market Area PCP Information**

<b>Market area</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Market area name</b>	<b>South Bay</b>

<b>Body Rate</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>
<b>Refinish Rate</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>
<b>Frame Rate</b>	<b>\$65.00</b>
<b>Aluminum Rate</b>	<b>#N/A</b>
<b>Mechanical Rate</b>	<b>\$95.00</b>
<b>Paint Material Rate</b>	<b>\$35.00</b>

<b>Total Data Collection Sheets:</b>	<b>25</b>
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Estimate Creation Date	Repair Facility	Address	City	State	Zip
12/4/18	Avalon Collision & Repair	22432 Avalon Blvd	Carson	California	90745
10/8/18	Craftsman Collision Center	3250 E Airport Way	Long Beach	California	90806
10/4/18	Quality Assured Collision Center	2525 E Anaheim St	Long Beach	California	90804
10/18/18	Lexus Collision Center	2615 E South St	Long Beach	California	90805
10/3/18	Class Auto Center	3031 Cherry Ave	Long Beach	California	90807
11/14/18	Auto B Craft	6328 N Paramount Blvd	Long Beach	California	90805
10/18/18	Horn's Collision Center	1427 Long Beach Blvd #B	Long Beach	California	90813
10/22/18	Alvin's Auto Body	3333 Olive Ave	Signal Hill	California	90755
11/2/18	AW Collision of Long Beach	2998 Cherry Ave #B	Signal Hill	California	90755
11/12/19	Pon's Auto Body Repair	1006 Junipero Ave	Long Beach	California	90804
12/12/18	Alpine Auto Body	444 E anaheim St	Long Beach	California	90813
10/22/18	Hi Tech Auto Repair	1163 E Pacific Coast Highway	Long Beach	California	90806
10/29/18	Fix Auto-Signal Hill	1455 E Spring Street	Long Beach	California	90806
10/26/18	Capitol Auto Collision	2923 E South Street	Long Beach	California	90805
11/12/18	Long Beach Collision Center	1460 Long beach Blvd	Long Beach	California	90813
11/14/18	Classic Touch Body & Paint	2429 E Artesia blvd	Long Beach	California	90805
11/1/18	Rene's Auto Body	22632 Avalon Blvd	Carson	California	90745
10/22/18	Autobox Garage	22624 Avalon Blvd	Carson	California	90745
11/15/18	Eddie's Custom Body and Paint	1411 W 11th Street	Long Beach	California	90813
1/2/19	E3 Collision Center	3330 E 29th Street	Long Beach	California	90806
12/13/18	S & K Body and Fender	22400 Avalon Blvd	Carson	California	90745
12/13/18	Caliber Collision Center/Signal Hill	2370 Walnut Ave	Signal Hill	California	90755
11/2/18	Collision Works	500 E Anaheim St	Long Beach	California	90804
12/19/18	Pan's Coach Craft	1710 E Anaheim St	Long Beach	California	90813
11/14/18	Jon's Body Shop	1556 W 11th Street	Long Beach	California	90813

Phone Number	Body Rate	Refinsih Rate	Frame Rate	Alum Rate	Mech Rate	Paint Material Rate	BAR License #
310 549-3138	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	249661
562 490-3950	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	278516
562 599-0766	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 35.00	249735
562 423-1901	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	241108
562 595-6400	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 95.00	\$ 130.00	\$ 36.00	88498
562 423-3500	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 36.00	77105
562 218-7959	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 35.00	269395
562 424-4323	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 35.00	129970
562 294-4990	\$ 52.00	\$ 52.00	\$ 65.00	\$ -	\$ 130.00	\$ 35.00	287908
562 438-8519	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 65.00	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	152884
562 983-1231	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 65.00	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	289908
562 375-4907	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 35.00	282730
562 283-0333	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 35.00	281938
5620531-4348	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 35.00	264819
562 591-6600	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 35.00	235787
562 408-6176	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	275568
310 513-6084	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	197145
310 549-9161	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	287117
562 826-2361	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	289935
562 774-3698	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	292009
310 518-1764	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 65.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 35.00	217504
562 980-0270	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	288735
562 443-4500	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 65.00	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	207454
562 599-7646	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 35.00	249681
562 435-5758	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 95.00	\$ 35.00	287042

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