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MEMORANDUM FOR: Write Your Own (WYO) Principal Coordinators and

Single Adjuster Liaisons

FROM: Joyce A. King

> Claims and Underwriting Director NFIP Bureau and Statistical Agent

Closure of the Claims Coordinating Office (CCO)—Hurricane Katrina SUBJECT:

During the period of August 29, 2005, and continuing, Hurricane Katrina caused extensive wind and flood damage in Alabama and Mississippi. As a result of this event, the NFIP Bureau and Statistical Agent established a CCO in Mobile, Alabama.

The CCO and the Alabama Insurance Underwriting Association have matched and single-adjusted 1,209 Alabama losses and 1,302 Mississippi losses during this event, and the submission of new claims has diminished. Therefore, the Federal Emergency Management Agency has authorized the CCO to close, effective November 25, 2005.

endors, IBHS, and Government Technical Representative

Suggested Routing: Claims and Underwriting