



October 21, 2022

**DCRB CIRCULAR NO. 1015**

To All Members of the DCRB:

Re: **APPROVAL OF F-CLASSIFICATION AND USL&HW RATING VALUES  
EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1, 2022**

The Delaware Department of Insurance has approved revised US Longshore & Harbor Workers “F-Class” rates, loss costs and related rating values for policies effective on a new and renewal basis as of 12:01 a.m., December 1, 2022.

The approved F-Class rates and loss costs are those submitted under DCRB Filing No. 2203, resulting in an overall change in collectible rate level of -2.96 percent in residual market rates and an overall change of 1.70 percent for the voluntary market loss costs. The rates, loss costs and other rating values are attached. Details regarding this approved filing remain available on the DCRB’s website.

Basic Manual revisions reflecting approved rating values effective December 1, 2022 will be updated on the DCRB website after the adjudication of the annual Delaware State Act filing.

Any questions concerning the approved December 1, 2022 F-Class Filing may be addressed to Brent Otto, Vice President of Actuarial Services and Chief Actuary, at [botto@dcrb.com](mailto:botto@dcrb.com), or to Ken Creighton, Director of Actuarial Services, at [kcreighton@dcrb.com](mailto:kcreighton@dcrb.com).

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**DELAWARE WORKERS COMPENSATION MANUAL**

**SECTION 2**

**EFFECTIVE DATE: DECEMBER 1, 2022**

**CLASSIFICATIONS & RATING VALUES**

**MISCELLANEOUS VALUES**

United States Longshore and Harbor Workers Compensation Premium Discount Percentages. The following premium discounts are applicable to Standard Premiums:

<b>Total Workers Compensation Standard Premium</b>		
First	\$ 10,000	None
Next	\$ 190,000	9.1%
Next	\$ 1,550,000	11.3%
Over	\$ 1,750,000	12.3%

**DELAWARE  
UNITED STATES LONGSHORE AND HARBOR WORKERS RATES  
MANUAL RATES, LOSS COSTS AND EXPECTED LOSS RATES**

Code No.	Assigned Risk Rates	Loss Costs	Min. Prem.	Experience Rating Plan Expected Loss Rate Table*			Hazard Group A-G
				A-1	A-2	A-3	
6824F	9.45	7.31	2,965	5.04	5.04	5.04	F
6826F	7.53	5.82	2,430	4.02	4.02	4.02	E
6843F	10.50	8.12	3,000	5.60	5.60	5.60	G
6872F	12.49	9.66	3,000	6.66	6.66	6.66	G
7309F	25.26	19.53	3,000	13.48	13.48	13.48	G
7313F	9.34	7.22	2,935	4.98	4.98	4.98	G
7317F	19.66	15.20	3,000	10.49	10.49	10.49	G
7327F	17.19	13.29	3,000	9.17	9.17	9.17	G
7366F	8.33	6.44	2,650	4.44	4.44	4.44	G
8709F	3.33	2.57	1,250	1.78	1.78	1.78	G
8726F	3.29	2.54	1,240	1.76	1.76	1.76	E

\* Table A-1 applies to the most current policy year, Table A-2 to the first prior policy year, and Table A-3 to the second prior policy year.

United States Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Coverage Percentage applicable only in connection with Rule XII..... **113.3%** (2.133 X Carrier Rate)

USL&H Expense Constant..... **\$345**

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**UNITED STATES LONGSHORE AND HARBOR WORKERS' ACT**

Tax Multiplier for coverage developed on classifications providing U.S.L. benefits.....**1.1240**