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## NEW BED AND BREAKFAST BOP PROGRAM APPROVED IN MAINE

BACKGROUND	We have developed a new niche market Bed and Breakfast program. The new policy (BU 04 15 04 09) is a separate BOP form that includes many coverage enhancements designed to meet the needs of the B & B insured. A separate Decs Supplement (BU 04 16 04 09) accompanies the policy form. A two page manual supplement includes the rules and rates. The rules in the BOP Manual apply unless a different rule is in the supplement. We have filed and received approval of the Bed and Breakfast program in Maine. We will be filing this program in all of the MSO <sup>®</sup> states.
EFFECTIVE DATE	June 1, 2009 - Maine
PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS	The new program includes many coverage enhancements to make it competitive with other specialty programs on the market. The main coverage extensions, with optional increases available, are: Accounts Receivable - \$10,000 Consequent Loss - \$5,000 /Utility Services & \$2,000 Mechanical Breakdown Credit Card/Forgery/Counterfeit Money - \$2,500 Employee Dishonesty - \$10,000 Food Contamination - \$50,000 Guests Relocation Expense - \$25,000 Lock Replacement - \$1,000 Money & Securities - \$10,000 On & \$2,000 Off Outdoor Signs and Satellite Dishes - \$5,000 Trees, Shrubs and Plants - \$1,000 Valuable Papers - \$3,000 Guest Property Coverage - \$1,000 per Guest & \$25,000 per Occurrence In addition, if the insured lives on the premises, homeowners type coverage is also extended to the insured:
	Household contents - "all risk" coverage at replacement cost Additional living expense - 10% of Coverage A limit Comprehensive type personal liability

DISTRIBUTION	The new forms and revised rule supplement pages will be added to the CD-ROM. Affiliated companies will be able to access this through our website: <u>http://www.msonet.com</u> .
FUTURE MSO ACTION	We will announce the introduction of the program in other states as filings are approved.
COMPANY MODIFICATIONS	MSO is available to assist in modifying the new Bed and Breakfast program to meet individual company needs and to make any needed filings.
QUESTIONS	Contact Trish Riggio at (800) 935-6900.