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## To: Diamond State Group<sup>®</sup>, Penn-America Group<sup>®</sup>, United National Group<sup>®</sup>, VacantExpress.com<sup>®</sup>, and Collectibles Insurance Services Producers Writing Business in California

Date: August 7, 2024

Subject: Binding Authority Suspension ~ Earthquake – Kern County, CA

Please share this announcement with your staff

A 5.1 magnitude earthquake occurred 18.5m from Bakersfield, CA.

This event affects the following counties: Kern

Due to the earthquake, effective immediately, we are suspending your property (including business income, extra expense, auto physical damage, and any other ancillary property coverage), inland marine, builders risk, and motorcycle binding authority for new business and endorsement activity increasing coverage in the above stated area(s). Transactions that have already been bound may be issued, but no new or expanded coverage(s) may be bound until further notice.

We will continue to monitor the earthquake and will notify you of any modifications to this policy and endorsement binding suspension. At the appropriate time, we will lift the suspension of your binding authority.

## Person to Contact

If you have any questions, please contact your underwriter.

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