

## **Notice to All Insurers With Private Passenger Auto Operations in California**

### ***Insurance Law Flash***

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This law flash circulated a notice by the California Department of Insurance of a meeting to be held on August 25, 2011 to address the Department's expectations with respect to implementation of new "principally at fault" regulations, which go into effect on December 11, 2011.

Please see the [enclosed notice](#) about an important meeting to be held this Thursday, August 25, 2011, in Sacramento, Calif. The meeting is being called by the California Department of Insurance to address the Department's expectations with respect to implementation of new "principally at fault" regulations, which go into effect on December 11, 2011. These regulations affect both the claims and underwriting functions. Sedgwick's Regulatory Group within its Insurance Practices Division was instrumental in convincing the Department to hold a meeting of this type.

The Department panel (Joel Laucher, Pam O'Connell and Lisbeth Landsman-Smith) will take questions. If your company has questions but does not want to be identified with the questions it may have, it can submit its inquiries through the trade group to which it belongs or through Vanessa Wells of Sedgwick LLP. Wells can be reached at 415.627.3640 or at [vanessa.wells@sedgwicklaw.com](mailto:vanessa.wells@sedgwicklaw.com).

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