

DII Industries, LLC Asbestos PI Trust

TRUST UPDATE – April 30, 2014

Ready to Process Button: The “Ready to Process” button is now available in Trust Online. One purpose of this function is to reduce the amount of Trust resources needed to review claims that are not ready to review. You should check this box only when the claim has the information and materials needed to process the claim, or when all deficiencies have been responded to. Although the Trust can review a claim at any time, it is unlikely the claim will be reviewed if the Ready to Process box has not been checked. The “Ready to Process” box is located in two places in Trust Online: the finish page and the general page of the Claim Form.

Ohio Worker’s Compensation: Any claim which has a relationship with the State of Ohio must provide confirmation from the Ohio Bureau of Workers’ Compensation (“Bureau”) that there is no outstanding lien from the Bureau, or that any lien has been resolved. The confirmation must be current. Verified documents from the Injured Party, Personal Representative, or Legal Representative will not be acceptable to resolve a potential lien issue. Although claims impacted by this issue will continue to be processed, offers will be held until such time as acceptable evidence from the Bureau has been submitted to the Trust. In order to determine if a claim has been identified as a potential Ohio Workers’ Compensation claim, you can run a query to identify claims using the activity code *OhioWC*.

Pathology Reports: If a claimant is relying upon a consulting pathologist for a malignancy diagnosis, please remember to submit the original pathology report from the facility that first performed the biopsy and pathological review. You should also submit any subsequent pathology reports reviewed and referenced by the consulting expert in his or her report.

IR Model: The Trust is implementing an updated IR Model for claims filed on or after January 1, 2014. This model is known as the 2014 IR Model. For IR claims [i] filed before 12:00 (midnight) ET on December 31, 2013 and [ii] issued an offer by the Trust before January 1, 2015, the pre-2014 IR Model will be used to value the claims.