

**Subject:** Surplus Lines Association of California Coverage Codes Expanded!



**Effective today!**

## **Improved Coverage Code System**

We are excited to announce our new four-digit coverage code system. Our new coding system is now structured and suited to adapt to the ever-growing surplus line market and allows for improved data collection and record-keeping.

The new 4-digit system has nine broad coverage categories:

- 1000 - CRIME
- 2000 - PROPERTY
- 3000 - FIDELITY/BONDS/CONTRACT INS.
- 4000 - INLAND MARINE
- 5000 - LIABILITY
- 6000 - PROFESSIONAL LIAB./MALPRACTICE/CYBER
- 7000 - HEALTH/ACCIDENT
- 8000 - AUTOMOBILE & MOTORIZED CRAFT
- 9000 – MISCELLANEOUS

Each category has a subcategory that captures different coverage descriptions. Filers can simply type in a coverage description (i.e. Representations and Warranties) to pull up a list of coverages to choose from.

### **WHAT'S NEW**

**“650 – MISCELLANEOUS” –**

**We've reduced to only 8 coverages.** In our old system, we listed 25 unique coverages under miscellaneous requiring extra steps to gather and report data. Most of these have been assigned its own unique description and code.

#### **NEWLY ADDED CODES –**

We've **added 17 new codes** to enhance our reporting capabilities in areas like Media Liability, Business Income/Interruption, and Forced-Place Insurance.

For more information, please visit ([Learning Center](#)). Please contact our Data Analysis Department at 415-434-4900 or at [DALeads@slacal.com](mailto:DALeads@slacal.com) with any questions.

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by the Commissioner in 1994, the Association serves as the statutory surplus line advisory organization to the California Department of Insurance (CDI) and facilitates the state's capacity to monitor and direct surplus line brokers' placements of insurance with approved nonadmitted insurers. Working with its members and the CDI, the Association assists its members' compliance with California laws and regulations; helps maintain a healthy, fair, and competitive surplus line marketplace in California; and strives to protect the interests of California insurance consumers.

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