



CALIFORNIA
AUTOBODY
ASSOCIATION

CAA Members-Call to ACTION

The California Department of Insurance is proposing regulations, which would clarify and require insurers that conduct auto body labor rate surveys, to perform such surveys in a fair, reasonable and accurate manner. The regulations will also clarify and strengthen existing anti-steering laws. (See link below for summary).

<http://files.ctctcdn.com/e50eea81101/7c87b31a-ca2a-41ce-913d-6b0a67438d8f.pdf>

These regulations will result in fair and equitable auto body labor rate surveys, save consumers money who are forced to pay unnecessary out of pocket costs and prohibit insurers from making disparaging and discrediting statements against repair shops.

Unfortunately, we believe that some insurers may try to circumvent the public regulatory process and introduce legislation (bill) that would stop these new regulations from moving forward and taking effect.

CAA is urging members to contact (call, write and speak directly) to their legislator (Assembly member and Senator) and request that they oppose any legislative effort that would stop these regulations from moving forward and taking affect. Please feel free to provide your legislator with a copy of the summary.

To find your legislator please go to the following website:

http://www.legislature.ca.gov/legislators_and_districts/legislators/your_legislator.html

If you have any questions please contact the CAA office at 916-557-8100

Thank you for your support!

