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TO: Amusement Industry

FROM: Erin St. Pierre, Deputy Chief  
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RE: Amusement Notification Letters and COVID-19

It has always been the practice of the Office of State Fire Marshal to send out courtesy notification letters to our industry partners in an effort foster positive communication and provide beneficial information.

We would like to emphasize that any letters you may be receiving from this office are being sent in spirit of helpfulness and serve as a reminder to renew licenses in a timely manner in order to avoid any lapses, which could have unwanted consequences later.

Additionally, we fully understand and expect that many of you will not be renewing your licenses and registrations at this time due to your decision not to operate for the remainder of this calendar year or for a time beyond the expiration date of your license as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic and restrictions placed upon the amusement industry.

Moreover, if you choose to renew at this time, please remember that all late renewal fees have been waived until December 31, 2020. This Office has petitioned and will continue to pursue exceptions—such as the waiver of late renewal fees—that will hopefully ease a number of challenges that you may be experiencing.

It is our commitment to you continue to provide important information, guidance, and answers to questions and to help develop a path forward. Once again, we understand how difficult this time is for all of you and will continue to be a resource for you in any way we can.

