

Notification of the Insurance Commission

**Re: Criteria, Procedures, and Conditions for Collection of Motor Vehicle Insurance Premiums
(No.9) B.E. 2564 (2021)**

With reference to the Notification of the Insurance Commission Re: Criteria, Procedures, and Conditions for Collection of Motor Vehicle Insurance Premiums B.E. 2551 (2008), and its amendments, as Thailand is currently facing the outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic that severely affects the general public, in order to mitigate the motor vehicle insureds' affliction under the circumstances of any catastrophe, pandemic, or any event severely affecting the public, it is expedient to empower the Office of Insurance Commission to prescribe measures for aiding the insured in paying insurance premiums with a view to coping with the circumstances. By virtue of Section 37 (1) of the Non-life Insurance Act B.E. 2535 (1992), as amended by the Non-life Insurance Act (No. 2) B.E. 2551 (2008), together with the resolution adopted at the Insurance Commission's meeting No. 13/2020 on 25 December 2020, the Insurance Commission hereby prescribes this Notification as follows:

Clause 1 This Notification shall be called the "Notification of the Insurance Commission Re: Criteria, Procedures, and Conditions for Collection of Motor Vehicle Insurance Premiums (No. 9) B.E. 2564 (2021)."

Clause 2 This Notification shall take effect as from 1 January 2021 onwards.

Clause 3 The definition of the "Office" shall be added between the definition of the "Registrar" and the definition of the "Company" in Clause 3 of the Notification of the Insurance Commission Re: Criteria, Procedures, and Conditions for Collection of Motor Vehicle Insurance Premiums B.E. 2551 (2008):

"Office" means the Office of the Insurance Commission.

Clause 4 The following provision shall be added as the third paragraph of Clause 9 of the Notification of the Insurance Commission Re: Criteria, Procedures, and Conditions for Collection of Motor Vehicle Insurance Premiums B.E. 2551 (2008):

"In a circumstance of any catastrophe, pandemic, or any other event severely affecting the public in any area, the Office shall be empowered to prescribe the criteria, procedures, conditions, and periods for collection of insurance premiums and receipt of payments of insurance premiums from applicants for motor vehicle insurance in that area, without being required to apply the provision of the second paragraph. In this regard, the period for

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collection of insurance premiums and receipt of payments of insurance premiums as prescribed by the Office shall not be longer than 180 days from the date prescribed and notified by the Office, and must be within the period of insurance specified in the insurance schedule.”

Notified on this 13th day of January B.E. 2564 (2021).

Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Finance
Chairman of the Insurance Commission