Dear Insurance Representative:

The Illinois Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention and Insurance Verification Act (20 ILCS 4005/1) established a special trust fund in the State Treasury, administered by the Office of the Secretary of State, from which the Council makes grants to eligible federal and state agencies, units of local government, corporations, and neighborhood, community and business organizations for programs that address the problem of motor vehicle theft.

The trust fund is populated through a $1.00 surcharge, assessed to private passenger vehicle insurance policies in Illinois, included in Class 2 and Class 3 of Section 4 of the Illinois Insurance Code. This payment is then remitted annually, at the start of each new calendar year, for each earned car year of exposure for physical damage (comprehensive) insurance coverage written during the previous calendar year.

Payments will be accepted, beginning January 2, 2020 at the website address listed below. Please visit the website to calculate the amount, if any, that your company is required to pay. Payments can be made both electronically or with a traditional paper check. For either option, you will need to visit the website and complete the worksheet electronically. Be sure to read the information on the website regarding business bank accounts being used to submit an e-Check payment and any notifications that will need to be made to your bank.

https://www.cyberdriveillinois.com/MVTPIV/home.html

Please complete this process by April 1, 2020. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Micah Miller, Program Director for the Council, at (217) 524-7087 or by email at MMiller@ilsos.net. Thank you for your continued support of motor vehicle theft prevention efforts in Illinois.

Very truly yours,

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Secretary of State