

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

State Lic.#: _____

Date: _____

To: _____ Insurance Company

Attn: _____

TAKE NOTICE

RE: - Vehicle Owner/Insured: _____ Date of Loss: _____ Cl.#: _____

Vehicle Year: _____ Make: _____ Model: _____

VIN #: _____

Delinquent Initial Damage Inspection Notice

This claim was reported to the insurer referenced above on _____ and this insurer was informed that this vehicle is located at our facility awaiting inspection and our contact information was provided to this insurer at that time. As of today, this vehicle has not been inspected and we have not heard from this insurer regarding a pending inspection.

The regulations governing fair claim settlement practices allows seven working days for an insurer to inspect the damages prior to repair, commence negotiations and make a good faith offer of settlement, if the insurer intends to do so prior to the repairs. (*See Regulation Provisions Below*)

Section 11:3-10.3 - Adjustment of partial losses

- (a) **If** the insurer intends to exercise its right to inspect, or cause to be inspected by an independent appraiser, damages prior to repair, the insurer shall have seven working days following receipt of notice of loss to inspect the insured's damaged vehicle, which is available for inspection, at a place and time reasonably convenient to the insured; commence negotiations; and make a good faith offer of settlement.

THIS NOTICE IS TO INFORM THIS INSURER OF THE FOLLOWING:

1 - The time allowed to inspect a vehicle, commence negotiations and make a good faith offer of settlement has expired clearly indicating that this insurer has waived the right to inspect the vehicle, commence negotiations and make a good faith offer of settlement.

2 – Based on the foregoing, this notice is to inform you that we are now repairing this vehicle based on our signed contract with the owner of this vehicle that is fully authorized by the vehicle owner.

3 – Since you have waived your right and given up the opportunity to inspect this vehicle prior to the repairs commencing within the time allowed by the regulations governing fair claim settlement practices be advised that you have also given up your right and opportunity to challenge the repairs.

BE GUIDED ACCORDINGLY!