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## **BUSINESSOWNERS LOSS COST MANUAL CLASS PLAN CHANGE APPROVED IN NEW JERSEY**

<b>BACKGROUND</b>	A revision has been made to the Mercantile section of Rating Classifications in the BOP Loss Cost 2021 manual for New Jersey. Class Code 2003601 Groceries is now defined as Grocery Stores with gasoline sales. A new Class Code 2003600 Grocery Stores no gasoline sales has been added. This change brings consistency to Grocery Store, Convenience Food, and Supermarket classifications.
<b>MSO ACTION</b>	MSO filed the class plan change in New Jersey, and received approval. Updated classifications will be included in the BOP Loss Cost 2021 manual as we expand availability into additional states.
<b>EFFECTIVE DATE</b>	October 1, 2021
<b>DISTRIBUTION</b>	The updated manual will be added to our website: <a href="https://pm.msonet.com">https://pm.msonet.com</a> for affiliated company access.
<b>QUESTIONS</b>	Contact Mary Beegle at (800) 935-6900.