



# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

## *INSURANCE DEPARTMENT*

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Re: Tropical Storm Hanna and the use of hurricane and/or wind deductibles

With Tropical Storm Hanna approaching the State of Connecticut, Commissioner Sullivan would like to remind all companies writing homeowners business to review the Department's Coastal Notice issued July 11, 2008 (section II) as it relates to the use of hurricane deductibles. <http://www.ct.gov/cid/lib/cid/HomeownercoastalGuidelines.pdf>

As long as Hanna remains a tropical storm, and no hurricane warning is issued for the state of Connecticut, companies will be expected to apply their standard "all perils" deductible to any wind related loss that may occur as a result of storm damage from Tropical Storm Hanna.

The Department's expects all companies to comply with the requirements of the Department's Coastal Notice even in cases where the company may not have been able to file revisions to their existing hurricane or wind deductible percentage forms.