Title of Exposure Draft: Proposed Revision of Actuarial Standard of Practice No. 41

Comment Deadline: November 1, 2022

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I. Identification:

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II. ASB Questions (If Any). Responses to any transmittal memorandum questions should be entered below.

Question No.	Commentator Response

III. Specific Recommendations:

Section # (e.g. 3.2.a)	Commentator Recommendation (Please provide recommended wording for any suggested changes)	Commentator Rationale (Support for the recommendation)
3.2	Section 3.2 states that "When issuing an oral communication, the actuary may comply with the requirements of section 3.1 subsequent to issuing the oral communication." We ask that the ASB clarify this to mean that an electronic or written follow-up to an oral communication is required only when the actuary presents new actuarial findings that are relied upon by the intended user and the requirements of section 3.1 have not yet been fulfilled.	We request this clarification to avoid sending duplicative documentation to an intended user after every oral communication.
4.1.c	Section 4.1.c requires disclosure of reliance on other sources (see section 3.6) in any actuarial communication. We ask that the ASB clarify that the disclosure of reliance on other sources is only necessary when it has not been previously disclosed as part of the set of actuarial communications in reference to a given actuarial report. So, disclosure of reliance on other sources would only need to be made once and in subsequent communication incorporated by reference to a given actuarial report.	We request this clarification to avoid sending duplicative documentation with every actuarial communication, where reliance on other sources has been previously disclosed.

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IV. General Recommendations (If Any):

Commentator Recommendation (Identify relevant sections when possible)	Commentator Rationale (Support for the recommendation)

V. Signature:

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