**JOINT MEETING OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND MOTOR INSURANCE WORKING PARTIES**

**SYDNEY**

**11:30hrs-13:30hrs**

**WEDNESDAY 18 SEPTEMBER 2013**

**Venue: Doltone House Darling Island Wharf, Pyrmont, Sydney**

**Outline Agenda**

**Topic: Climate Change, Motor Vehicles and Insurance – Taming the Beast?**

**Co-chairs: Tim Hardy (UK) and Peggy Sharon (Israel)**

1. **Welcome and Introduction**
2. **Overview of Motor Vehicles, Manufacture, Insurance and Climate Change – Tim Hardy (UK)**
3. **Green Car & Insurance: Peggy Sharon (Israel)**
	* Introduction of Project – issues being considered and country comparisons
	* Taxation/legal frameworks impacting upon use of CO2-based MVs, green car use, eco-driving
	* Insurer incentives for green car use and eco-driving:
		+ Eco-projects incentives (reforestation/recycling by garages etc)
		+ Premium/other incentives based for green vehicle/fuel type
		+ Special contractual provisions (eg pay as/how you drive formulae) to measure mileage and improve eco-driving habits
4. **New Technologies and Hot Topics - Advances and Issues in Reducing Emissions**
* **New Technologies in Vehicle Design -** presentation by **Robert McDonald,** Senior Manager of the **Insurance Australia Group Research Centre**
	+ neutral and low carbon emission vehicles
	+ issues affecting cost to insurers of coverage and repair.
* **Hot topics – discussion**
	+ Impact of telematics and new technology on consumers, insurers, privacy and pricing
	+ National policies/initiatives re reducing dependence upon private and commercial motor vehicle usage (public transport, car-sharing/pooling etc) and impact on insurers/policyholders
	+ Relevance of economic conditions, infrastructure and traffic planning investment and other schemes
	+ Future for the sector and its insurers?
1. **Future activities of the CCWP and MIWP and next meetings (Athens, May 2014)**