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Michigan Self-Insurers' Association  
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Dear Sir or Madam:

With deep regret, I will not renew Owens Illinois Inc. membership. O-I has closed its remaining Michigan manufacturing location. We have only a few open claims to run off.

As O-I belongs to many SI associations; the Michigan Association is one of the best. It always presents interesting topics and seminars. It has always demonstrated excellent communication with members. It leads with courage against the ever present erosion of sole remedy of Workers' Compensation statutes.

The organization's future is bright, best wishes.

Sincerely,

Thad E Franklin  
Manager Workers' Compensation