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## NORCAL Mutual Declares 2010 Policyholder Dividend

San Francisco, CA (October 28, 2009)— NORCAL Mutual Insurance Company has declared a \$14.5 million dividend for eligible policyholders in California, Rhode Island and Alaska. This comes despite the economic turmoil of the past year. The medical professional liability insurer has declared \$386 million in dividends since its founding in 1975.

“This reflects well on the collective efforts of NORCAL Mutual physicians and healthcare professionals to practice safely and to continually implement risk-reducing strategies,” said James Sunseri, President and CEO of NORCAL Mutual. “It also demonstrates our longstanding commitment to prudent management of premium dollars.”

NORCAL Mutual has declared a policyholder dividend in 29 of the last 30 years. As a mutual company, it is committed to returning premium in the form of dividends whenever conditions allow.

“Our business is built on a foundation of physician- and healthcare-friendly values, and nothing pleases us more than to return our positive financial results directly to our members,” Sunseri said.

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**NORCAL Mutual Insurance Company** was formed by physicians in 1975 to provide the highest quality medical professional liability insurance products and services to its policyholder-owners. NORCAL Mutual insures nearly 20,000 physicians and other healthcare professionals in solo practice, medical groups, hospitals, clinics and allied healthcare facilities primarily in California, Alaska and Rhode Island.