INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING A PRENEED CLAIM Revised 2/3/2016

If you are the original Preneed Contract Provider:

Items needed:

- 1. Claimant Statement signed by the policy beneficiary (beneficiary on the application) **25.10.(c)(3)**
- 2. Certified Death Certificate
- 3. At Need Contract (invoice)
 Invoice must include ALL of the following:
 - a. Purchasers signature (beneficiary on the application)
 - b. Funeral director's signature or casket store manager's signature
 - c. Merchandise descriptions must have the same level of detail as that on the preneed contract for casket & OBC
 - 1. Casket name & amount
 - 2. Material (gauge if metal)
 - 3. Seal/non-seal
 - 4. Protective/non-protective
 - 5. Interior lining
 - 6. Shell
 - 7. Handles/swingbar
 - d. Preneed prices should be frozen or inflation discounts properly reflected 25.3.(d)(1)

- e. Preneed discounts properly reflected
- f. Payments/deposits made by the family are reflected in the amount due section of Invoice.
- g. Insurance policy/Contract payment reflected in the amount due section of the invoice
 - Contracts that are paid up (current) should reflect the Pre-Need Contract Price on the At-Need Invoice
 - 2. Contracts that are not paid up should reflect the amount payable under the policy on the At-Need Invoice
- 4. Pre-Need to At-Need Reconciliation Form -- see miscellaneous forms at http://www.dob.texas.gov/applicationsforms-publications/applicationsforms#prepaid funeral contracts
- 5. Copy of price list if invoice shows current prices (not preneed prices)
- 6. Certificate of Performance (signed by beneficiary)
- 7. Policy or Lost Policy Affidavit (signed by beneficiary)
- 8. Revocable or Irrevocable Assignment (if applicable)

If you are not the original Preneed Contract Provider:

Items Needed:

- 1. Notarized Assignment of Proceeds Form (signed by the beneficiary)
- 2. Claimant Statement

- 3. Certified Death Certificate
- 4. Original Policy or Lost Policy Affidavit

Contact Preneed Claims if you have any questions at (972) 699-2736.