



FirstBest Systems Sponsoring and Available to Meet at the 2010 AASCIF IT Committee Workshop

BEDFORD, MA, September 14, 2010 – [FirstBest® Systems, Inc.](#), provider of [insurance software](#) solutions that help Property & Casualty insurance carriers drive premium growth, scale their business and achieve high service levels with agents, announced today that it is sponsoring the American Association of State Compensation Insurance Funds (AASCIF) IT Committee Workshop. FirstBest will also be available to discuss FirstBest UMS™, which combines a next-generation [underwriting workstation](#) and business analyst workstation with FirstBest Agent™, a Web 2.0 [agent portal](#). Beacon Mutual Insurance Company, a FirstBest customer and AASCIF organization member, is hosting the event.

WHO: FirstBest System's Senior Director of Customer Solutions, Ed Gray

WHAT: Will be available to meet. To schedule a meeting with FirstBest at the Workshop, please contact 781.863.6050 or marketing@firstbest.com.

WHERE: The Hermitage Hotel, Nashville, TN

WHEN: September 22-24, 2010

About AASCIF and the IT Committee Workshop

The American Association of State Compensation Insurance Funds, or [AASCIF](#), is an association of workers' compensation insurance companies from 27 different states, plus 10 workers' compensation boards in Canada. In the U.S., these companies, loosely referred to as state funds, each specialize in writing workers' compensation insurance in a single state. Some operate as private insurance companies and others act as agencies of their respective state governments. In Canada, all workers' compensation insurance is provided through workers' compensation boards, which have complete jurisdictional and administrative powers related to workers' compensation in their respective provinces.

The AASCIF IT Committee Workshop draws IT professionals, from more than a dozen state funds, for networking and interactive discussions about topics ranging from emerging technologies and Internet solutions to information system (IS) organization measurement.

About FirstBest

[FirstBest® Systems](#) delivers [insurance software](#) solutions that help commercial-and specialty-lines carriers drive premium growth, scale their business and achieve high service levels with agents. FirstBest's proven solutions include an [underwriting workstation](#), [agent portal](#) and [agency connectivity](#). Insurance companies such as AMERISAFE, Inc., a specialty writer of workers' compensation insurance for hazardous industries, ICW Group Insurance Companies, a multi-line super regional insurer, and Beacon Mutual

Insurance Company, Rhode Island's largest writer of workers' compensation insurance, rely on FirstBest solutions to improve underwriting efficiencies and quality, institutionalize knowledge and best practices and empower everyone in the process to quote, collaborate, issue, and bind business on a single real-time platform. FirstBest also hosts the [Agent-Carrier Connection](#), a collaborative underwriting forum and news portal.

For more information, visit www.firstbest.com or call 1.888.863.6095.

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