

Statement on 2010 Industry Profits

“This is a very cyclical business and like any business, we’re thankful for the good years. A profitable year prepares the industry for unexpected events like the mold crisis and 2008’s three hurricanes, which included Hurricane Ike, the costliest storm in Texas history. 2010 will help the industry pay for claims still coming in from Hurricane Ike as well as future weather catastrophes that no one can predict.”

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