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May 11, 2005

The Honorable Judge Michael McCarter  
Workers' Compensation Court  
P.O. Box 537  
1625 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Helena, Montana 59624-0537

Re: Flynn v. Montana State Fund  
WCC No. 2000-0222

Dear Judge McCarter:

I am an attorney with American Agricultural Insurance Company (AAIC).

AAIC has been named in a summons in this case.

Pursuant to my May 11, 2005 discussion with Mr. Rex Palmer, I am writing to advise this Honorable Court that AAIC is a reinsurer. AAIC is not a primary insurer. AAIC is not a self insured for purposes of this summons. AAIC has never sold primary workers compensation policies in the State of Montana or in any State.

In light of these facts, AAIC respectfully requests this Honorable Court to relieve it of any obligation to respond in any way, other than this letter, to the summons issued to AAIC in this case.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Mark M. Christerson

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Cc: Rex Palmer, Esq.

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