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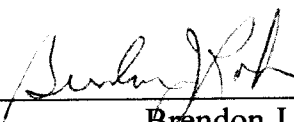
Re: Reesor v. Montana State Fund, et al.  
Appellate Mediation

Dear Mr. Gallik:

In accordance with Rule 7(5)(c), Mont. R. Civ. P., I request that a representative of my clients, ACE American Insurance, et al., be allowed to participate in the mediation process by telephone. The ACE representative is out of state, thereby making "distance, time, or other considerations [for] an in-person conference impracticable . . ." Moreover, to date, the ACE companies have played a minimal role in the current litigation. They do not expect to actively participate in the appeal. Your consideration of this request is appreciated.

Sincerely,

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