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Dear Sir or Madam:

I write on behalf of Swiss Reinsurance America Corporation and its affiliates, **OFFICE OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION JUDGE** **HELEN MONTANA** North American Elite Insurance Company and North American Specialty Insurance Company. We are in receipt of the Summons and Notice of Attorney Fee Lien in the above referenced matter.

Please be advised that:

- (a) Swiss Reinsurance America Corporation ("SRA") is a professional reinsurer. SRA has never written workers' compensation insurance in the State of Montana.
- (b) North American Elite Insurance Company ("NAE") has never written workers' compensation insurance in the State of Montana.
- (c) North American Specialty Insurance Company ("NAS") wrote a limited number of workers' compensation insurance policies in the State of Montana. However, after a diligent search of its records, NAS has established that it has no claims with potential exposure in this matter.

In light of the foregoing, we request the dismissal of SRA, NAE and NAS from the above-captioned matter. It is our understanding that this can be accomplished without the necessity of a formal pleading. If the Court disagrees or has any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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cc: The Honorable Michael McCarter
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