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Alliance, ASARCO, Inc., Benefits, Continental Casualty Co.,
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Northwestern Energy, LLC, F.H. Stoltze Land &
Lumber Co. and Safeway.

IN THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

<p>CASSANDRA SCHMILL, Petitioner, v. LIBERTY NORTHWEST INSURANCE CORPORATION, Respondent/Insurer, and MONTANA STATE FUND, Intervenor.</p>	<p>WCC NO. 2001-0300 MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</p>
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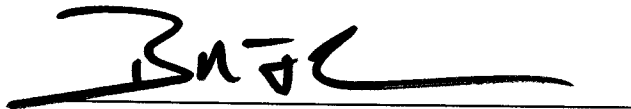
COMES NOW Bryce R. Floch, on behalf of the insurers/ self insureds identified above, and hereby moves this Court for its order granting the insurers/self insureds identified above until March 23, 2006 to respond to the December 7, 2005 Amended Summons and Notice of Attorney Lien. The insurers/self insureds are in the process of searching claims files to determine if they have any claims in which occupational

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disease benefits were apportioned. Given the lengthy time frame encompassed by the Petitioner's Notice of Attorney Lien, and the time necessary to review all pertinent occupational disease claim files, the above referenced insurers/self insureds are unable to file an affidavit or answer by the Court's deadline. Neither Petitioner, nor Petitioner's counsel, will be prejudiced by this extension.

DATED this 23rd day of January, 2006.

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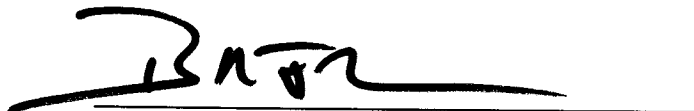


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I, David M. Sandler sent on this 23rd day of January, 2006, the forgoing attached **MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** was duly serviced upon the following attorneys of record, by depositing a true copy thereof in the United States mail, postage paid, addressed as:

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