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Re: Kelly Wild v. Montana State Fund
WCC No. 2001-0286

Dear Counsel:

The retroactivity and common fund issues have been fully briefed in *Mathews v. Liberty Northwest Ins. Corp* and are ready for decision. Meanwhile, *Wild* has not progressed. I therefore plan on resolving *Mathews* without waiting for the briefing in *Wild*.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike McCarter".

Mike McCarter
Judge

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