

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

MERRIMACK, SS.

SUPERIOR COURT

BEFORE THE COURT-APPOINTED REFEREE  
IN RE THE LIQUIDATION OF THE HOME INSURANCE COMPANY  
DISPUTED CLAIMS DOCKET

In Re Liquidator Number: 2015-HICIL-60

Proof of Claim Number: INSU240739-01

Claimant Name: Bridgestone Americas Tire Operations,  
LLC

**JOINT REQUEST FOR STATUS CONFERENCE IN FEBRUARY 2018**

Roger A. Sevigny, Insurance Commissioner of the State of New Hampshire, as Liquidator (“Liquidator”) of the Home Insurance Company, and Bridgestone Americas Tire Operations, LLC, formerly known as The Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. (“Bridgestone”), jointly request that the Referee schedule a status conference in this matter during mid-February 2018. As reasons therefore, the Liquidator and Bridgestone state:

1. In the Order after Telephonic Conference on Number of Occurrence issued January 25, 2017, the Referee continued this matter until after the Ohio Supreme Court determined whether to accept review of the decision William Powell Co. v. OneBeacon Ins. Co., 75 N.E.3d 909 (Ohio App., Dec. 14, 2016). On November 1, 2017, the Ohio Supreme Court denied review of the decision. William Powell Co. v. OneBeacon Ins. Co., 84 N.E.3d 1063 (Ohio 2017) (table).
2. Bridgestone has considered and now determined to revise its claim, and it will shortly file an amended objection to the Liquidator’s notice of determination revising its claim.
3. The Liquidator will then review Bridgestone’s amended objection, and counsel for Bridgestone and the Liquidator will confer regarding next steps. The parties anticipate that

they will have a recommendation (or separate proposals) concerning how this matter should proceed in early February.

4. The Liquidator and Bridgestone accordingly request that the Referee schedule a status conference for mid-February 2018 to address next steps in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

ROGER A. SEVIGNY, INSURANCE COMMISSIONER  
OF THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, AS  
LIQUIDATOR OF THE HOME INSURANCE  
COMPANY,

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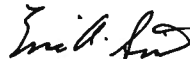
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**Certificate of Service**

I hereby certify that the foregoing joint request was served by email on counsel for Bridgestone Americas Tire Operations, LLC this 12th day of January, 2018.



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