

THE 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: 2005-HICIL-14  
Proof of Claim Number: AMBC 465096  
AMBC 464386  
INTL 277878  
AMBC 465074  
Claimant Name: Century Indemnity Company  
Policyholder account Aqua Chem

**JOINT REQUEST TO DEEM CIC'S CLAIM REGARDING  
AQUA CHEM A MATTER IN A DISPUTED CLAIM PROCEEDING**

In accordance with paragraph 6 of the Joint Report dated March 31, 2006, Roger A. Sevigny, Commissioner of Insurance for the State of New Hampshire, as Liquidator ("Liquidator") of The Home Insurance Company ("Home"), and Century Indemnity Company ("CIC"), jointly request that the Referee order that the CIC claim with respect to Aqua-Chem, Inc., and affiliated entities (collectively "Aqua-Chem"), be deemed a matter in a disputed claim proceeding and treated as such under the RSA and the Claims Procedures Order and that a structuring conference be scheduled on the matter. As reasons therefor, the parties state:

1. CIC provided the Liquidator with a submission regarding CIC's claim with respect to Aqua Chem on July 18, 2006. On September 12, 2006, the Liquidator sent a letter to CIC requesting that CIC respond to questions regarding its claim. On October 3, 2006, CIC sent a letter to the Liquidator concerning the Liquidator's requests. On October 10, 2006, the Liquidator issued a claim determination that disallowed CIC's claim regarding Aqua Chem.

2. Paragraph 6 of the Joint Report provides in pertinent part that should the Liquidator disallow or partially disallow any claim "it is agreed that the parties will jointly seek an order from the Referee that this matter be deemed a disputed claim proceeding and treated as such under the RSA and the Claims Procedures Order."

3. The parties agree that, in light of the Liquidator's determination, CIC's claim regarding Aqua Chem should be deemed a matter in a disputed claim proceeding and treated as such under the RSA and the Claims Procedures Order. Accordingly, a structuring conference should be scheduled regarding the matter under section 14 of the Claims Procedures Order.

WHEREFORE, the parties jointly request that the Referee (1) issue an order that CIC's claim regarding Aqua Chem be deemed a matter in a disputed claim proceeding and treated as such under the RSA and the Claims Procedures Order, and (2) schedule a structuring conference on the matter in accordance with section 14 of the Claims Procedures Order.

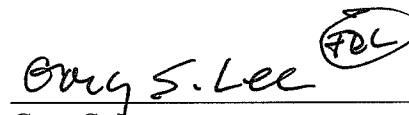
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