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Mr. Robert Nyce Executive Director Independent Regulatory Review Comm. 333 Market Street Harrisburg, PA 17101

Re: Insurance Department Final

Form Regulation No. 11-186,

Discounting Workers'

Compensation Loss Reserves

Dear Mr. Nyce:

The Insurance Department is hereby withdrawing regulation number 11-186, Discounting Workers' Compensation Loss Reserves, from your consideration at this time in order to make further clarifications.

The Department will reconsider certain issues and will resubmit the regulation as final at a later date.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (717) 787-4429.

Sincerely yours,

Peter J. Salvatore

Regulatory Coordinator

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