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INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
333 MARKET STREET, 14TH FLOOR, HARRISBURG, PA 17101

July 20, 2006

Honorable M. Diane Koken, Commissioner
Insurance Department
1326 Strawberry Square
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: Regulation #11-233 (IRRC #2546)
Insurance Department
Advances Made to Companies (Other Than Mutual Life)

Dear Commissioner Koken:

The Independent Regulatory Review Commission approved the subject regulation today. Our order is enclosed and will be available on our website at www.irc.state.pa.us.

We appreciate the joint effort that went into producing a regulation that meets the criteria and intent of the Regulatory Review Act.

Sincerely,



Alvin C. Bush

Chairman

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Enclosure

cc: Honorable Gibson E. Armstrong, Chairman, Senate Banking and Insurance Committee
Honorable Michael J. Stack, III, Minority Chairman, Senate Banking and Insurance Committee
Honorable Nicholas A. Micozzie, Majority Chairman, House Insurance Committee
Honorable Tony DeLuca, Democratic Chairman, House Insurance Committee

**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
APPROVAL ORDER**

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held July 20, 2006

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Regulation No. 11-233
Insurance Department
Advances Made to Companies (Other Than
Mutual Life)

On June 15, 2006, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this regulation from the Insurance Department. This rulemaking amends 31 Pa. Code Chapter 105. Notice of proposed rulemaking was omitted for this regulation. It will become effective upon publication in the Pennsylvania *Bulletin*.

This final-omitted regulation deletes Chapter 105 of the Department's existing regulations due to the passage of Act 216 of 2004.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Insurance Department (71 P.S. § 186 and 40 P.S. §§ 443 and 445.2) and the intention of the General Assembly. Having considered all of the other criteria of the Regulatory Review Act, we find promulgation of this regulation is in the public interest.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

This regulation is approved.





Alvin C. Bush, Chairman