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RE: Proposed Amended Rule 24, "Surplus Line Insurance"

Dear all:

Enclosed please find an Amended Notice of Public Hearing regarding Proposed Amended Rule 24. This hearing was previously scheduled to occur on December 16, 2009; however, it has been rescheduled to occur on January 27, 2009.

I apologize for any inconvenience.

Sincerely yours,

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TO:

ALL LICENSED SURPLUS LINES INSURERS, ORIGINATING

PRODUCERS AND BROKERS, SURPLUS LINES BROKERS, TRADE

ORGANIZATIONS, NAIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES

FROM:

ARKANSAS INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

SUBJECT:

PROPOSED AMENDED RULE 24

"SURPLUS LINE INSURANCE"

AMENDED NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to the authority granted in Arkansas Code Ann. §§ 23-61-108, 23-65-301, 25-15-201, et seq., and other applicable Arkansas law, NOTICE is hereby given that the PUBLIC HEARING previously scheduled for December 16, 2009, at 10:00 a.m. has been rescheduled for January 27, 2010 in the First Floor Hearing Room, Arkansas Insurance Department ("Department"), 1200 West Third Street, Little Rock, Arkansas.

The purpose of the Public Hearing is to determine whether the Insurance Commissioner should adopt Proposed Amended Rule 24, "SURPLUS LINE INSURANCE" as a permanent Rule. The purpose of this Amended Rule is to update the current Rule 24.

All interested persons are encouraged to attend the Public Hearing and may appear and present, orally or in writing, statements, arguments or opinions on the proposed Amended Rule. All licensees and other interested persons are responsible for notifying their personnel, agents, and employees about this Public Hearing.

Persons wishing to testify should notify the Legal Division as soon as possible, and are requested to submit intended statements in writing in advance. Additionally, any comment you wish to be included in the record of this Public Hearing should be provided in advance.

Direct your inquiries to the Legal Division at (501) 371-2820 or insurance.legal@arkansas.gov. A copy of Proposed Amended Rule 24 can be obtained on the Legal Division's Internet Website at http://insurance.arkansas.gov/Legal%20Dataservices/divpage.htm.

Sincerely,

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