



STATE OF CONNECTICUT

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

December 29, 2021

via email (eretersdorf@daypitney.com)

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Re: Proposed acquisition of control of Patrons Mutual Insurance Company controlled through affiliation by State Automobile Mutual Insurance Company by Liberty Mutual Holding Company Inc., LMHC Massachusetts Holdings Inc., and Liberty Mutual Group Inc.

Docket # 21-77

Attorney Retersdorf:

In connection with the review of the proposed acquisition of control of the above referenced Connecticut domiciled mutual insurance company, Insurance Commissioner Andrew N. Mais has scheduled a public hearing pursuant to section 38a-132 of the Connecticut General Statutes for January 27, 2022, in Room 601 at the Connecticut Insurance Department, 6th Floor, 153 Market Street, Hartford, CT.

You are directed to cause to be published the enclosed legal notice once a week for two successive weeks starting as soon as possible through January 26, 2022, in the Legal Notice Section of the Hartford Courant, Boston Globe, Burlington Free Press, New Haven Register, New London's The Day, Pittsfield's Berkshire Eagle, Providence Journal, Springfield's The Republican, and Worcester's Telegram & Gazette. Said notice must contain the exact language of the enclosed notice. You must provide an "Affidavit of Publication", for each publication, to the Insurance Department one day prior to the scheduled hearing.

Additionally, by this letter, I am directing the Applicants to schedule, pay for, and arrange for a court reported to transcribe the public hearing and produce an official, indexed transcript to the Insurance Department on an expedited basis. The court reporter should arrive at least ½ hour before the start of the hearing. Please provide contact information for the court reporter at least three business days before the hearing.

Do not hesitate to contact me at (860) 297-3947 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jennifer M. Dowty".

Jennifer M. Dowty
Counsel, Connecticut Insurance Department

cc: Kathy Belfi, CID
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