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RE: WITHDRAWAL from the LASLI

The California Department of Insurance (“CDI”) has requested the SLA advise its Members that, effective December 7, 2011, the following alien non-admitted insurers have been removed from the List of Approved Surplus Line Insurers (“LASLI”):

**Swiss Re Specialty Insurance (UK) Limited (U.K.)
London & Edinburgh Insurance Company Limited (U.K.)
The British Aviation Insurance Company Limited (U.K.)**

Although the above insurers have elected not to be on the LASLI, these insurers are listed on the NAIC’s International Insurers Department Quarterly Listing of Alien Insurers (IID List) at this time. In accordance with Section 524(2) of the Nonadmitted and Reinsurance Reform Act of 2010 (NRRRA), no state may prohibit a surplus line broker from placing nonadmitted insurance for a California home state insured with an alien insurer on the IID List.

For placements with an insurer not on the LASLI pursuant to California Insurance Code (CIC) Section 1765.2, or not recognized as eligible by the CDI under CIC Section 1765.1(c), determination of the insurer’s eligibility is the responsibility of the broker.

Attached are copies of the official letters from the CDI along with the CDI Addendum #2011-12. The updated LASLI in its entirety is available on the SLA website http://www.slacal.org/carrier_info/lasli/lasli.pdf.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (800) 334-0491 or (415) 434-4900, or Shannon Carrion, Bureau Chief, Licensing Compliance & Company Investigations Bureau, CDI, at (916) 492-3426.

Sincerely,

Linda Cheng
Manager, Financial Department

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Attachments

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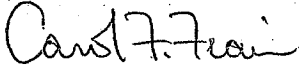
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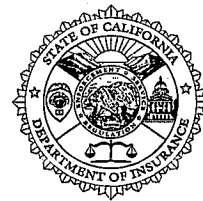
Ms. Linda Cheng
Manager, Financial Department
Surplus Line Association
50 California Street, 18th Floor
San Francisco, CA 94111Subject: Withdrawal from the LASLI
Swiss Re Specialty Insurance (UK) Limited (United Kingdom)

Dear Ms. Cheng:

Pursuant to California Insurance Code Section 1765.2(f), Swiss Re Specialty Insurance (UK) Limited (United Kingdom) is hereby removed from the list of approved surplus line insurers as of December 7, 2011. This order is based upon the insurer's request to be delisted from the LASLI list. Please so inform your members.

Cordially,


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London & Edinburgh Insurance Company Limited (United Kingdom)

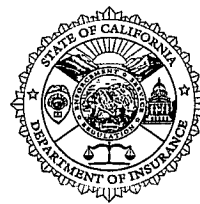
Dear Ms. Cheng:

Pursuant to California Insurance Code Section 1765.2(f), London & Edinburgh Insurance Company Limited (United Kingdom) is hereby removed from the list of approved surplus line insurers as of December 7, 2011. This order is based upon the insurer's request to be delisted from the LASLI list. Please so inform your members.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Carol F. Frair".

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Ms. Linda Cheng
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50 California Street, 18th Floor
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The British Aviation Insurance Company Limited (United Kingdom)

Dear Ms. Cheng:

Pursuant to California Insurance Code Section 1765.2(f), The British Aviation Insurance Company Limited (United Kingdom) is hereby removed from the list of approved surplus line insurers as of December 7, 2011. This order is based upon the insurer's request to be delisted from the LASLI list. Please so inform your members.

Cordially,

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DATE: December 8, 2011

ADDENDUM #2011 - 12

LIST OF APPROVED SURPLUS LINE INSURERS

INSURER

DATE DELETED

DELETIONS

Swiss Re Specialty Insurance (UK) Limited (U.K.)	12/07/2011
London & Edinburgh Insurance Company Limited (U.K.)	12/07/2011
The British Aviation Insurance Company Limited (U.K.)	12/07/2011