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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

FOR THE COUNTY OF ORANGE

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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NO. 653863

Applicant,

Respondent.

ORDER APPOINTING LIQUIDATOR AND RESTRAINING ORDERS

WESTERN EMPLOYERS INSURANCE COMPANY,) a California corporation,

Date: April 19, 1991

Time: 1:30 p.m.

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The verified Application for Order of Liquidation of Respondent Western Employers Insurance Company came on regularly for hearing on April 19, 1991, in Department 20 of the above entitled court, the Honorable William F. McDonald, Judge presiding. Applicant appeared by his counsel, Daniel E. Lungren, Attorney General of the State of California, by Edmond B. Mamer, Deputy Attorney General. Respondent appeared by Adams, Duque & Hazeltine by Katherine Hunt Ruddy who filed a notice of nonopposition to Application for Order Appointing Liquidator. After considering the Application, the court finds as follows:

a. On April 2, 1991, the court herein appointed the

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Applicant as Conservator of Western Employers Insurance Company.

b. Western Employers Insurance Company is insolvent and efforts to rehabilitate Western Employers Insurance Company have been futile.

## WHEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Insurance Commissioner of the State of California is appointed in his official capacity as Liquidator of Respondent, Western Employers Insurance Company, and directed to liquidate and wind up the affairs of Respondent and to act in all ways and exercise all powers necessary for the purpose of carrying out such order;
- 2. Title to all assets of Respondent now in the possession of the Insurance Commissioner as Conservator hereof, as well as title to any assets of said Respondent discovered hereafter is hereby vested in said Liquidator;
- 3. Said Liquidator, as such, is hereby authorized to pay as expenses of administration, all expenses heretofore incurred by the Conservator of Respondent and presently unpaid and is hereby authorized to pay the full amount of any checks or drafts which have been issued by the Conservator of Respondent and which are presently outstanding and unpaid when said checks or drafts are presented for payment;
- 4. The rights and liabilities of creditors, policyholders, shareholders, and all other persons interested in the assets of Respondent, including the State of California, are fixed as of the date of this order;
- Respondent, its officers, directors, agents and
   employees and all other persons are hereby enjoined and restrained

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- from transacting any of the business of Respondent or the disposition of any of its assets and property;
- 6. All persons are hereby enjoined and restrained from interference with the possession, title and rights of Applicant, as Liquidator, in and to the assets of Respondent and from interference with the conduct of the Liquidator in winding up of the business of Respondent;
- 7. All persons are hereby enjoined from the waste of assets of Respondent;
- 8. All persons are hereby enjoined from instituting or prosecuting any action or proceedings against Respondent, or Applicant as Liquidator of Respondent, without the consent of this court obtained after reasonable notice to said Liquidator;
- All persons are hereby enjoined from obtaining preferences, judgments, attachments or other liens, or making any levy against Respondent or its assets;
- 10. All officers, directors, agents and employees of Respondent are hereby ordered to deliver to said Liquidator all assets, books, records, equipment and other property of said Respondent;
- 11. All funds and bank accounts in the name of
  Respondent, or Applicant as Conservator, are hereby vested in said
  Liquidator and said funds shall be subject to withdrawal from said
  banks upon the order of said Liquidator only;
- 12. All insurance agents and brokers are hereby ordered to account to the Liquidator of Respondent for all funds of Respondent held by them in their fiduciary capacity, as specified

in Sections 1733, 1734 and 1735 of the Insurance Code, or due to Respondent, and directed to Forward said funds to Applicant as Liquidator, and said funds are vested in Applicant as Liquidator; and

13. Said Liquidator is hereby authorized to initiate such equitable or legal actions or proceedings in this or other states as may appear to him necessary to carry out his function as Liquidator.

DATED: April A, 1991.

WILLIAM F. McDONALD

Judge of the Superior Court

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