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**LOS ANGELES  
SUPERIOR COURT**

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California as Liquidator of Signal Insurance Company

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

**INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA,**

Applicant,

vs.

**SIGNAL INSURANCE COMPANY,**

Respondent.

CASE NO. C 136919

(Case filed September 23, 1975)

Judge: Hon. Dzintra Janavs

**DECLARATION RE COMPLIANCE IN  
SUPPORT OF THE FINAL REPORT AND  
ACCOUNT OF LIQUIDATOR**

[no hearing required]

I, **FRED A. BUCK**, declare:

1. I am a Special Deputy Insurance Commissioner. The statements contained in this declaration are not all within my personal knowledge, and I am informed that no single officer of the Conservation and Liquidation Office ("CLO") has personal knowledge of all these matters. The statements herein are based on information assembled by authorized employees of the CLO, and I am informed and believe that the statements based upon that information are true. As to those matters that are within my own personal knowledge, the statements are true. If called upon as a witness, I would testify as set forth herein.

1           2.       I am responsible for the supervision and management of all matters pertaining to  
2 all companies for which the Insurance Commissioner has been appointed conservator or  
3 liquidator and which are managed by the CLO, including but not limited to supervision and  
4 management by the CLO's financial, investment, accounting, claims, and reinsurance  
5 departments and personnel.

6           3.       I have overall custody and control of the CLO's files and records pertaining to  
7 all companies in liquidation, including Signal Insurance Company in Liquidation ("the Estate"),  
8 and am responsible for the maintenance of such files and records in the ordinary course of  
9 business. I am familiar with the business and record keeping practices of the CLO.

10          4.       I am responsible for all claims, financial, investment, accounting, tax, actuarial,  
11 and reinsurance matters pertaining to the liquidation of the Estate and am responsible for the  
12 manner in which the Estate will be concluded.

13          5.       On July 7, 2004, this Court entered its "Orders (1) Settling And Approving Final  
14 Report and Account of Conservator and Liquidator, (2) Authorizing Disbursement of Funds, (3)  
15 Approving Payment of Expenses, (4) Terminating Proceedings and Discharging  
16 Liquidator"(collectively, the "Order").

17          6.       Pursuant to paragraph 2 of the Order, on or about July 27, 2004, 111 distributions  
18 were made by the Liquidator via check issuance or electronic transfer in total amount of  
19 \$387,652.45 (such amount reflecting investment earnings through the distribution date). During  
20 the period from July 27, 2004 to January 27, 2005, 98 checks were presented for payment by the  
21 recipients thereof and electronic transfers accepted in total amount of \$338,541.34. During that  
22 same period, it was determined that 13 checks were returned or were outstanding, representing  
23 the amount of \$49,111.11. On January 27, 2004, the sum of \$49,111.11 escheated to the State of  
24 California in accordance with the Order and Section 1517 (b) of the Code of Civil Procedure.

25          7.       The Liquidator retained \$110,299.00 from the Estate prior to making the  
26 payment described in Paragraph 6 above for payment of administrative expenses incurred after  
27 July 31, 2002 with respect to the estate.



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**DECLARATION OF SERVICE**

Case Name: **INSURANCE COMMISSIONER v. SIGNAL INS. CO.**  
No.: **C 136919**  
(Case filed September 23, 1975)

I declare:

I am employed in the County of Los Angeles, California. I am 18 years of age or older and not a party to the within entitled cause; my business address is 300 S. Spring Street, Los Angeles, California 90013.

On February 4, 2005, I served the attached

**DECLARATION RE COMPLIANCE IN SUPPORT OF THE FINAL  
REPORT AND ACCOUNT LIQUIDATOR**

by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States mail at Los Angeles, California, addressed as follows:

**(PLEASE SEE ATTACHED LIST)**

I hereby certify that I am employed in the office of a member of the Bar of this Court at whose direction the service was made.

I declare under penalty of perjury the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed on February 4, 2005, at Los Angeles, California.

HILDEGARDA B. DOMANTAY

*Hildegarda B. Domantay*  
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