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In the Matter of)
) Docket No. 06A-125-INS
UNITED GUARANTY COMMERCIAL INSURANCE)
COMPANY OF NORTH CAROLINA)
(NC) (NAIC NO. 16659)) ORDER RELEASING
(***, (********************************) RETALIATORY DEPOSIT
Petitioner	Í

Arizona Revised Statutes § 20-588 provides, in part, that deposited funds shall be released and returned to the Petitioner to the extent that such deposit is in excess of the amount required.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. United Guaranty Commercial Insurance Company of North Carolina ("Petitioner"), a North Carolina domiciled insurer, was issued its certificate of authority to transact casualty without workers' compensation insurance, limited to credit insurance only, in Arizona effective May 25, 2006.
- 2. In accordance with A.R.S. §§ 20-230 and 20-582(3), the Director ordered Petitioner to make a retaliatory deposit with the Arizona State Treasurer ("Retaliatory Deposit"). The approximate current balance of the Retaliatory Deposit is \$220,000 (Two hundred twenty thousand dollars).
- 3. Upon a review of all existing retaliatory deposits, the Arizona Department of Insurance determined that Petitioner's Retaliatory Deposit is no longer required pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-230 and that it is appropriate to release the Retaliatory Deposit to the Petitioner.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

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1. The Director has no personal liability for the release of such deposit so made by her 2 in good faith as provided in A.R.S. § 20-588(B). 3 2. Petitioner is entitled to the release of its Retaliatory Deposit pursuant to A.R.S. 4 § 20-230 and 20-588(A)(2). 5 **ORDER** 6 THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED that Petitioner's Retaliatory Deposit shall be released to 7 Petitioner. 8 Dated this 20th day of July 9 10 11 **Director of Insurance** 12 13 COPY of the foregoing mailed/delivered this 21st day of July , 2006, to: 14 15 Alan D. Atkins, President United Guaranty Commercial Insurance Company of North Carolina P.O. Box 20597 16 Greensboro, NC 27420 17 Steve Ferguson, Assistant Director Ed Caldwell, Chief Analyst - Foreign and Alternative Markets 18 Leslie Hess, Legal Analyst Herbert Swafford, Legal Analyst 19 Department of Insurance 2910 N. 44th Street, Suite 210 20 Phoenix, AZ 85018 21