Steven W. Jennings Crowley, Haughey, Hanson, Toole & Dietrich P.L.L.P. P. O. Box 2529 Billings, MT 59103-2529 (406) 252-3441 Attorneys for FM GLOBAL

FILED

JUL - 8 2005

OFFICE OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION JUDGE HELENA, MONTANA

## IN THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

ROBERT FLYNN and CARL MILLER, Individually and on Behalf of Others Similarly Situated,	) ) ) WCC No. 2000-0222
Petitioners,	) ) ) MOTION TO DISMISS
VS.	}
MONTANA STATE FUND,	
Respondent/Insurer,	) }
and	
LIBERTY NORTHWEST INSURANCE CORPORATION,	
Intervenor.	<b>)</b>

COMES NOW Affiliated FM Insurance Company and Factory Mutual Insurance Company, by and through their attorneys CROWLEY, HAUGHEY, HANSON, TOOLE & DIETRICH P.L.L.P., and respectfully move to dismiss them from the above-entitled action. Counsel for Petitioner, Rex Palmer has been advised of this motion and does not object.

On May 18, 2005, prior to engaging CROWLEY, HAUGHEY, HANSON, TOOLE & DIETRICH P.L.L.P., Andrew J. Scanlon, Associate In-House Counsel for Factory Mutual Insurance Company, responded by letter to this Court's *Summons and Notice of Attorney Fee Lien* on behalf of Affiliated FM Insurance Company and Factory Mutual Insurance Company (collectively "FM Global"). In the letter of May 18, 2005, Mr. Scanlon advised that "'FM Global' has no record of ever receiving a Workers' Compensation claim from a claimant in the State of Montana during the time period provided in the Summons."

Accordingly, because it has no exposure for *Flynn*-type benefits, FM Global respectfully requests an order dismissing it from the above-entitled action.

Dated this \_\_\_\_ day of July, 2005.

CROWLEY, HAUGHEY, HANSON, TOOLE & DIETRICH P.L.L.P. Attorneys for FM GLOBAL

By:

STEVEN W. JENNING

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Mr. Rex Palmer Attorneys Inc., PC 301 W. Spruce Missoula, MT 59802

STEVĚŇ W. JEŇNIM

## CROWLEY, HAUGHEY, HANSON, TOOLE & DIETRICH P.L.L.P.

## ATTORNEYS AT LAW

500 Transwestern Plaza II • 490 North 31<sup>st</sup> Street • Billings, Montana 59101 P.O. Box 2529 • Billings, Montana 59103-2529 Tel (406) 252-3441 • Fax (406) 252-5292 www.crowleylaw.com

STEPHEN M. BARRETT
COLBY L. BRANCH \* #
KATY A. BRANDIS
ALAN C. BRYAN #
ASHLEY BURLESON
DAVID L. CHARLES
PAUL C. COLLINS
GARY M. CONNELLEY
RENEE L. COPPOCK
MARCIA J. DAVENPORT
JASON A. DELMUE
MICHAEL S. DOCKERY
JOHN B. DUDIS, JR.
JON T. DYRE #
MARY SCRIM DYRE
SCOTT A. FISK
BRUCE A. FREDRICKSON \*
MICHAEL W. GREEN

ROBERT C. GRIFFIN
PETER F. HABEIN
SCOTT D. HAGEL
NATHAN S. HANEY
KEVIN P. HEANEY
KENNETH G. HEDGE \*
JAMES R. HINTZ
BRIAN HOLLAND
LARRY A. HOLLE
STEVEN W. JENNINGS
DARIEL D. JOHNS
DARIN W. JOHNSON
JOEL L. KALEVA
ALLAN L. KARELL
KIELY S. KEANE
PETER M. KIRWAN
WILLIAM D. LAMDIN III
MICHAEL I. LANSINGE

KENNETH K. LAY
JOHN R. LEE \*\*
JARED M. LE FEVRE
STEVEN J. LEHMAN
JULIE A. LICHTE
DENISE D. LINFORD #\*
JASON P. LOBLE
CHRIS MANGEN, JR
WILLIAM J. MATTIX
JOE C. MAYNARD, JR
JOHN H. MAYNARD
JOSEPH P. MAZUREK
IAN MGINTOSH
DANIEL N. MCLEAN
MATTHEW F. MCLEAN #
ROBERT G. MICHELOTTI, JR
STEVEN R. MILCH
KIMBERLY S. MORE

DONALD R. MURRAY, JR.
KRISTIN L. OMVIG
JEFFERY J. OVEN #
SHANE D. PETERSON \*
HERBERT I. PIERCE III
FRED C. RATHERT \*
STEVEN P. RUFFATTO
GINA S. SHERMAN
SCOTTI M. SHINGLETON
JAMES P. SITES
GARTH H. SJUE \*
LEONARD H. SMITH
CHRISTOPHER C. VOIGT #
DAVID M. WAGNER
NEIL G. WESTESEN
BRYAN P. WILSON
RONALD E. YOUDE

RETIRED

JAMES M. HAUGHEY
BRUCE R. TOOLE

OF COUNSEL
GEORGE C. DALTHORP
JOHN M. DIETRICH
DAVID L. JOHNSON
GARELD F. KRIEG
ARTHUR F. LAMEY, JR.
LOUIS R. MOORE \*
MYLES J. THOMAS
FRED E. WHISENAND \*

**OFFICES** 100 NORTH PARK AVENUE SUITE 300, P.O. BOX 797 HELENA, MT 59624-0797 PHONE (406) 449-4165 111 EAST BROADWAY P.O. BOX 1206 WILLISTON, ND 58802-1206 PHONE (701) 572-2200

431 FIRST AVENUE WEST P.O. BOX 759 KALISPELL, MT 59903-0759 PHONE (406) 752-6644

45 DISCOVERY DRIVE SUITE 200, P.O. BOX 10969 BOZEMAN, MT 59719-0969 PHONE (406) 556-1430

700 S.W. HIGGINS SUITE 200 MISSOULA, MT 59803 PHONE (406) 829-2732

Attorneys are licensed in Montana unless otherwise noted; \* also licensed in North Dakota; # also licensed in Wyoming, + not licensed in Montana

July 8, 2005

Workers' Compensation Court PO Box 537 Helena, MT 59624-0537

RE:

Robert Flynn and Carl Miller vs. Montana State Fund, et al.

WCC No. 2000-0222

Dear Clerk:

Enclosed please find a Motion to Dismiss to file in the matter referenced above on behalf of our client FM Global. Also enclosed is a proposed Order for presentation to the Judge. Thank you in advance for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely yours,

CROWLEY, HAUGHEY, HANSON, TOOLE & DIETRICH P.L.L.P.

Myrna Henschel, Certified PLS

Legal Secretary to Steven W. Jennings

Myrna Henschel, PLS

mlh

**Enclosures** 

c (w/encls.): Rex Palmer, Esq.