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

COMES NOW the above listed respondent ("Respondent") and moves this Court to dismiss them from the above-entitled action. Pursuant to this Court's *Memo* of December 6, 2005, this motion is supported by the attached affidavit.

Dated this $\frac{27\%}{100}$ day of March, 2006.

CROWLEY, HAUGHEY, HANSON, TOOLE & DIETRICH P.L.L.P. Attorneys for L.H.C/, Inc.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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	E OF MONTANA y of Flathead) : ss.)					
¶1	l, Roger L. Cla	ridge , being fir	st duly sworn upon	oath, depose and say:			
¶2	, Roger L. Cla	ridge, am the _	President	for L.H.C., Inc.			
¶3 In my capacity as <u>President</u> of, L.H.C., Inc., I am authorized to make the statements set forth in this affidavit on behalf of L.H.C., Inc. and to bind L.H.C., Inc. by these statements.							
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L.H.C., Inc. has never written workers' compensation insurance in the state of

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Montana;

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	(NAME OF INSURER OF INSURER of INSURER) was or is in liquidation during the period in question set amended summons served upon me.						
¶5 I understand that the Montana Workers' Compensation Court may allow a period of up to 90 days from the date of filing this affidavit within which counsel for Petitioner[s] may conduct discovery and investigation for the limited purpose of proving or disproving the foregoing statement(s) made by me on behalf of L.H.C. Inc. After such 90 days, if no objection is lodged by counsel for Petitioner[s], the Court will dismiss the insurer/self-insurer from this action based on the sworn statements made by me in this affidavit.							
¶6	I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is correct.						
	DATED this 21 day of March (Name)	, 20	006.				
	President (Title) Signed and sworn to before me this 2 \ day of \ March		2006.				
	Signed and sworm to before the this day or	,					
	[Signature of Notary] Scott Hage [Typed, stamped, or printed Name Notary Public for the State of Month [City of Resider My commission expires: 3 18	me]					