WCC No. 2001-0300

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CASSANDRA SCHMILL

WORKER'S COMPENSATION JUDGE HELENA, MONTANA

Petitioner

vs.

LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE CORPORATION

Respondent/Insurer

MONTANA STATE FUND

Intervenor.

	AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA) : ss. County of Burleigh)

¶1 I, Leon Zander, being first duly sworn upon oath, depose and say:

- ¶2 I, Leon Zander, am an Claims Supervisor of EMCASCO Insurance Company.
- ¶3 In my capacity as Claims Supervisor of EMCASCO Insurance Company, I am authorized to make the statements set forth in this Affidavit on behalf of EMCASCO Insurance Company and to bind EMCASCO Insurance Company by these statements.
- ¶4 After a review of our records, I swear upon oath that EMCASCO Insurance Company should be dismissed from the above entitled action for any and all of the following reasons:

EMCASCO Insurance Company has no claimant meeting the Court's criteria as set forth in the Summons.

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 Petitioner's counsel may conduct discovery and investigation for the limited purpose of proving or disproving the foregoing statement(s) made by me on behalf of EMCASCO Insurance Company. After such 90 days, if no objection is lodged by the Petitioner's counsel, the Court will dismiss EMCASCO Insurance Company from this action based upon the sworn statements made by me in this Affidavit.

¶6	I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is correct.			
	DATED this 4th day o	f JANUARY, 2006.		
		Len Fander		
		Leon Zander		
		Claims Supervisor		
2006.	Signed and sworn to befor	e me this 4 day of fanuary 2006		
		Connie Holger		
		Notary Public for the State of North Dakota		
		Residing at: Desmarch ND		
	(SEAL)	My Commission Expires:		
		CONNIE HOLZER		
		Notary Public		
		State of North Dakota My Commission Expires June 18, 2011		