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## BEFORE THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE STATE OF IDAHO

In the Matter of:

CENTENNIAL INSURANCE COMPANY

Certificate of Authority No. 250 NAIC ID No. 19909

Docket No. 18-2601-11

ORDER OF CONTINUATION OF SUSPENSION OF CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, CENTENNIAL INSURANCE COMPANY ("CENTENNIAL"), a New York state domiciled insurer licensed for property and casualty insurance, including worker's compensation insurance, in the state of Idaho under Certificate of Authority No. 250, has been suspended by the Idaho Department of Insurance by order dated March 31, 2010, pursuant to the provisions of Idaho Code § 41-326(1)(b); and

WHEREAS, CENTENNIAL is required to have capital of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) and surplus of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) pursuant to Idaho Code § 41-313; and, as of June 30, 2010, CENTENNIAL reported capital of Four Million Two Hundred Four

Thousand Four Hundred Thirty-six Dollars (\$4,204,436) and surplus of negative Five Million Eight Hundred Seven Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-one Dollars (-\$5,807,271), as reflected in its June 30, 2010, Statutory Financial Statement, and therefore no longer meets the requirements for maintaining surplus set forth at Idaho Code § 41-313, and does not meet the requirements for a certificate of authority in the state of Idaho;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to provisions of Idaho Code § 41-326(1)(b), that Certificate of Authority No. 250 issued to CENTENNIAL INSURANCE COMPANY be CONTINUED IN SUSPENSION effective immediately; and said suspension be continued for a period of one (1) year from the date of this order. The Director may terminate the suspension sooner if the cause for said suspension is terminated and CENTENNIAL is otherwise in compliance with the provisions of Title 41, Idaho Code.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that CENTENNIAL comply with each of the requirements of Idaho Code § 41-329, including § 41-329(2) which states: "During the suspension period the insurer shall not solicit or write any new business in this state, but shall file its annual statement, pay fees, licenses, and taxes as required under this code, and may service its business already in force in this state, as if the certificate of authority had continued in force."

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, pursuant to the provisions of Idaho Code § 41-330, that CENTENNIAL, within four (4) days after notice of this suspension is received, notify, by any available means, every person authorized to write business by said insurance company in the state of Idaho, to immediately cease any further writing of such business.

## **NOTIFICATION OF RIGHTS**

This is a final order of the agency. Any party may file a motion for reconsideration of this final order within fourteen (14) days of the service date of this order. The agency will dispose of

the petition for reconsideration within twenty-one (21) days of its receipt, or the petition will be considered denied by operation of law. *See* section 67-5246(4), Idaho Code.

Pursuant to sections 67-5270 and 67-5272, Idaho Code, any party aggrieved by this final order or orders previously issued in this case may appeal this final order and all previously issued orders in this case to district court by filing a petition in the district court of the county in which:

- i. A hearing was held,
- ii. The final agency action was taken,
- iii. The party seeking review of the order resides, or operates its principal place of business in Idaho, or
- iv. The real property or personal property that was the subject of the agency action is located.

An appeal must be filed within twenty-eight (28) days (a) of this final order, (b) of an order denying any petition for reconsideration, or (c) the failure within twenty-one (21) days to grant or deny a petition for reconsideration, whichever is later. *See* section 67-5273, Idaho Code. The filing of an appeal to district court does not itself stay the effectiveness or enforcement of the order under appeal.

WILLIAM W. DEAL

Director

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have, on this 17th day of February 2011, caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing order to be served upon the following by the designated means:

Centennial Insurance Company 100 Wall Street, 28 <sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10005-3743	<ul> <li>     □ first class mail</li> <li>     □ certified mail</li> <li>     □ hand delivery</li> <li>     □ via facsimile</li> </ul>
Idaho Guaranty Association Attn: Dave Edwards Western Guaranty Fund Services dedwards@wgfs.org	☐ first class mail ☐ certified mail ☐ hand delivery ☐ via email
Idaho Industrial Commission Attn: Michael Dahlmeir mdahlmeir@iic.idaho.gov	☐ first class mail ☐ certified mail ☐ hand delivery ☑ via email
Idaho State Treasurer's Office Attn: Angela Bonaminio angela.bonaminio@sto.idaho.gov	☐ first class mail ☐ certified mail ☐ hand delivery ☐ via email
National Council on Compensation Insurance Attn: Michelle Smith michelle_smith@NCCI.com	☐ first class mail ☐ certified mail ☐ hand delivery ☐ via email
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