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## BEFORE THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

## STATE OF IDAHO

In the Matter of:

SOMPO AMERICA FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY

Certificate of Authority No. 4377 NAIC No. 38997 Docket No. 18-3329-17

ORDER PERMITTING DEVIATION FROM 2017 WORKERS' COMPENSATION RATES

On or about April 18, 2017, the Idaho Department of Insurance ("Department") received from SOMPO AMERICA FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY ("SOMPO AMERICA"), a New York-domiciled insurer licensed to transact workers' compensation insurance in the state of Idaho pursuant to Certificate of Authority No. 4377, and a member of the National Council on Compensation Insurance, Inc. ("NCCI"), a request for permission to deviate from the workers' compensation rates filed by the NCCI for 2017 by a uniform percentage decrease of fifteen percent (15%), effective September 1, 2017.

SOMPO AMERICA and the NCCI have each waived their right to a hearing on the deviation request.

The Department's Director ("Director"), having reviewed and being fully apprised of SOMPO AMERICA's request to deviate from the Idaho workers' compensation premium rates filed by the NCCI for 2017, and the requirements of Idaho Code § 41-1614, has determined that the requested rate deviation is justified.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to Idaho Code § 41-1614, that SOMPO AMERICA's request to deviate by a uniform percentage decrease of fifteen percent (15%) from the workers' compensation rates filed by the NCCI for 2017, exclusive of terrorism and catastrophe rating values, is GRANTED. This deviation from the Idaho workers' compensation premium rates filed by the NCCI for 2017 shall take effect on September 1, 2017, and shall remain in effect for one year from that date, i.e., through August 31, 2018, unless terminated sooner with the approval of the Director.

DATED this **/** day of May, 2017.

STATE OF IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

DEAN L. CAMERON

Director

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that, on this 3167 day of May, 2017, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing ORDER PERMITTING DEVIATION FROM 2017 WORKERS' COMPENSATION RATES to be served upon the following by the designated means:

Sompo America Fire & Marine Insurance Company 11405 N. Community House Road, Ste. 600 Charlotte, NC 28277-4364	□ first class mail     □ certified mail     □ hand delivery     □ via facsimile
National Council on Compensation Insurance, Inc. Jessica Epley, State Relations Executive One Lincoln Center 10300 SW Greenburg Road, Suite 550 Portland, OR 97223	□ first class mail     □ certified mail     □ hand delivery     □ via facsimile
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