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-1-JOINT STIPULATION (1) TO RELATE CASES PURSUANT TO L.R. 3-12, AND (2) FOR AN ORDER ESTABLISHING BRIEFING SCHEDULE AND HEARING DATE FOR DEFENDANTS' MOTIONS TO DISMISS AND STRIKE 3:11-cv-04956-RS

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Plaintiffs William Ambrosio, et al., Case Number 3:11-cv-04956-RS, by and through their counsel of record, George Donaldson, Esq. from the Law Office of George Donaldson;

Plaintiffs Michael Alvarado, et al., Case Number 3:11-cv-04957-RS, by and through their counsel of record, Jeffrey A. Feldman, Esq. from the Law Offices of Jeffrey A. Feldman;

Plaintiffs William Jamison, et al., Case Number 3:11-cv-04958-RS, by and through their counsel of record, Val Hornstein, Esq. from the Hornstein Law Offices;

Plaintiffs Wood River Capital Resources, LLC, et al., Case Number 3:11-cv-05759-MEJ, by and through their counsel of record, Jeffery J. Swanson, Esq. from the Law Offices of Jeffery J. Swanson;

Plaintiffs Henry James Anderson, et al., Case Number 3:11-cv-5760-EDL, by and through their counsel of record, Richard S. Miller, Esq. from the Law Offices of Richard S. Miller:

Plaintiffs Roseville Capital Resources, LLC, et al., Case Number 4:11-cv-5761-DMR, by and through their counsel of record, Troy A. Thielemann, Esq. from Cappello & Noel LLP; and Defendant Brit UW Limited ("Brit"), Case Numbers 3:11-cv-04956-RS; 3:11-cv-04957-

RS; 3:11-cv-04958-RS; 3:11-cv-05759-MEJ; 3:11-cv-5760-EDL; and 4:11-cv-5761-DMR, by and through its counsel of record, Michael L. Fox, Esq. of Sedgwick LLP, hereby stipulate as follows:

The three actions filed by Plaintiffs William Ambrosio, et al., Michael Alvarado, et al., and William Jamison, et al. (collectively "the Related Cases") have been deemed related and are pending before the Honorable Richard Seeborg because all three concern substantially the same parties, events and request for relief, so assignment to separate judges would have involved unnecessary duplication of labor, cost and conflicting results. (ECF No. 13 in Case No. 3:11-cv-04956-RS.)

Similarly, the three actions filed by Plaintiffs Wood River Capital Resources, LLC, et al., Henry James Anderson, et al., and Roseville Capital Resources, LLC, et al. (collectively "the New Cases") were removed to the Northern District of California on November 30, 2011. All

three of the New Cases concern substantially the same parties, events and request for relief as each of the other New Cases and the Related Cases. Therefore, assignment to separate judges would involve unnecessary duplication of labor, cost and conflicting results.

Therefore, the parties, by and through their counsel of record, stipulate that the New Cases should be related to each other and to the Related Cases, with the earliest filed case, pursuant to Civil L.R. 3-12.

Brit has already filed Motions to Dismiss pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6) and Motions to Strike pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(f) in the Related Cases, and those motions are currently set for hearing on January 5, 2012, at 1:30 p.m. (ECF No. 15 in Case No. 3:11-cv-04956-RS.) Brit anticipates filing similar motions in the New Cases no later than December 7, 2011.

Plaintiffs and Brit desire to establish a single hearing date relating to Defendants' Motions to Dismiss and Motions to Strike filed in the New Cases and the Related Cases, and to establish a revised briefing schedule relating thereto, including the filing of coordinated and/or joint opposition papers by Plaintiffs, to the extent possible, in order to eliminate unnecessary duplication of labor and cost. The Court previously modified the briefing schedule and hearing date in the Related Cases (ECF No. 15 in Case No. 3:11-cv-04956-RS), but further modification should have no effect on the schedule for the cases.

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1	Therefore, the parties, by and through their counsel of record, further stipulate, subject to		
2	the Court's approval, that (1) Brit shall file its Motions to Dismiss and Motions to Strike in the		
3	New Cases no later than December 7, 2011; (2) the hearing for the Motions to Dismiss and the		
4	Motions to Strike filed in the six cases will be scheduled for February 2, 2012, at 1:30 p.m.; (3)		
5	Plaintiffs' opposition papers to Brit's motions will be due January 3, 2012; and (4); and Brit's		
6	reply papers will be due January 17, 2012.		
7	IT SO STIPULATED.		
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9	DATED: December 2, 2011	SEDGWICK LLP	
10		By: <u>/s/ Michael L. Fox</u> Michael L. Fox	
11		Attorneys for Defendant BRIT UW LIMITED	
12		(sued as "Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's Under Policy No. B0146LDUSA701030")	
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14	DATED: December 2, 2011	Law Office of George Donaldson	
15		By: /s/ George Donaldson	
16		George Donaldson Attorneys for Plaintiffs	
17		William Ambrosio, <i>et al.</i> , Case No. 3:11-cv-04956-RS	
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19	DATED: December 2, 2011	Hornstein Law Offices	
20		By: <u>/s/ Val Hornstein</u> Val Hornstein	
21		Attorneys for Plaintiffs William Jamison, <i>et al.</i> ,	
22		Case No. 3:11-cv-04958-RS	
23	DATED: December 2, 2011	Law Offices of Jeffrey A. Feldman	
24		By: <u>/s/ Jeffrey A. Feldman</u>	
25		Jeffrey A. Feldman Attorneys for Plaintiffs	
26		Michael Alvarado, <i>et al.</i> , Case No. 3:11-cv-04957-RS	
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