### STATE OF LOUISIANA COURT OF APPEAL, THIRD CIRCUIT

### 03-776 consolidated with 03-774, 03-775, & 03-777

### **DEBORAH D. BANKS**

#### VERSUS

## AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL SOUTH INSURANCE COMPANY, ET AL.

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### APPEAL FROM THE NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT PARISH OF RAPIDES, NO. 209,915 C/W 208,655; 209,772; & 210,027 HONORABLE HARRY FRED RANDOW, DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

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#### ULYSSES GENE THIBODEAUX JUDGE \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Court composed of Ulysses Gene Thibodeaux, Oswald A. Decuir, and Jimmie C. Peters, Judges.

### AFFIRMED.

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# THIBODEAUX, Judge.

For the reasons discussed in the consolidated case of *Charles Thiels, et al. v. American International South Insurance Co., et al.*, 03-774 (La.App. 3 Cir. \_\_\_\_\_\_/03), \_\_\_\_\_ So.2d \_\_\_\_\_, the judgment of the trial court is affirmed. Costs of the appeal are assessed to Deborah D. Banks.

### AFFIRMED.