



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER KAREN WELDIN STEWART, CIR-ML, hereby gives notice that a PUBLIC HEARING will be held on Tuesday, March 24, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. prevailing Eastern time at the law firm of Bayard, P.A., 222 Delaware Ave, Wilmington, DE 19801 (the "Hearing").

The purpose of the Hearing is to address the application reviewed by the Delaware Department of Insurance, pursuant to **18 Del. C. §5003**, regarding the proposed acquisition of control of ARX HOLDING CORP. and its affiliates, including ASI SELECT INSURANCE CORP., by THE PROGRESSIVE CORPORATION. The docket number assigned to this Hearing is 2457-2015.

The Hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Delaware Administrative Procedures Act, 29 Del. C. Chapter 101. A party has the right to present evidence, be represented by Delaware counsel and to appear personally or by other representative. The Delaware Department of Insurance is obligated to reach its decision based on the evidence received.

Comments are being solicited from any person. Comments may be in writing or may be presented orally at the Hearing. Written comments must be received no later than Tuesday, March 17, 2015 by 4:30 p.m. and should be addressed to the attention of Kathleen Makowski, Deputy Attorney General, Delaware Department of Insurance, 841 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware 19904. Also, those intending to provide oral comments at the Hearing must notify Kathleen Makowski at (302) 674-7326 or Kathleen.Makowski@state.de.us, no later than 4:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 17, 2015.