BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN THE MATTER OF:)
UNITED SERVICES AUTOMOBILE))
ASSOCIATION (NAIC #25941),)
) DOCKET NO. 3125-2016
USAA CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY)
(NAIC #25968),)
USAA GENERAL INDEMNITY COMPANY))
(NAIC #18600),	,)
CARDICON PROPERTY AND CACUALTY)
GARRISON PROPERTY AND CASUALTY)
INSURANCE COMPANY (NAIC #21253),)
Respondents	<i>)</i>
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STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER

THIS STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER is entered into as of

May 23, 2016, by and among United Services Automobile Association, USAA Casualty Insurance Company, USAA General Indemnity Company and Garrison Property and Casualty Insurance Company (collectively, the "Respondents") and the State of Delaware Department of Insurance ("Department"). The Respondents and the Department are collectively referred to herein as the "Parties."

WHEREAS, Respondents are property and casualty insurance companies incorporated under Texas law and authorized to conduct the business of insurance in the State of Delaware; and

WHEREAS, the Department, through its examiners, conducted a target market conduct examination ("Examination") of Respondents' affairs and practices as of March 31, 2015; and

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WHEREAS, the Department, through its examiners, prepared and provided to Respondents for review and comments draft versions of a report of the Examination; and

WHEREAS, Respondents have reviewed and commented on such draft versions of the report of the Examination; and

WHEREAS, after considering Respondents' comments, the Department, through its examiners, has prepared a final report of the Examination, dated as of March 31, 2015 ("Final Examination Report"); and

WHEREAS, among other findings contained in the Final Examination Report, the Department concluded that the Respondents' practices and procedures did not comply with (i) 18 *Del. C.* § 2304(26), in that they failed to respond to six Department inquiries within 21 days; (ii) 18 *Del. C.* § 2304(16)f, in that they failed to attempt in good faith to effectuate prompt, fair and equitable settlements of claims in which liability has become reasonably clear by failing to comply with Department Auto Bulletin No. 10 in 14 instances; and (iii) 18 *Del. Admin. Code* § 902-1.2.1.2, in that, in four instances, they failed to acknowledge and respond within 15 working days, upon receipt, to communications with respect to claims by insureds arising under insurance policies (collectively hereinafter the "Notice Violations");

WHEREAS, Respondents disagree that the findings concerning the Notice Violations constitute violations;

WHEREAS, Respondents have implemented enhanced procedures designed to address the Department's concerns identified in the Final Examination Report; and

WHEREAS, after communications with the Department, Respondents desire to resolve this matter without recourse to any administrative hearing or court action (such as an appeal).

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED, by and between Respondents and the Department as follows:

- 1. Respondents accept the Final Examination Report, waives any right to a hearing thereon, and agree that the Department may file the Final Examination Report without any further modifications.
- 2. Upon its execution of this Stipulation and Consent Order, Respondents shall pay to the Department an administrative penalty for the Notice Violations in the amount of Thirty-Four Thousand Dollars (\$34,000.00). Respondents shall make the check for the administrative penalty payable to the "State of Delaware."
- 3. Respondents waive any right to bring an administrative or court proceeding against the Department to challenge any of the terms and conditions of this Stipulation and Consent Order.
- 4. This Stipulation and Consent Order is the free and voluntary act of the Respondents, and its terms are binding upon the Respondents and may be admitted into evidence in any judicial or administrative proceeding brought by the Department against the Respondents to enforce such terms. Respondents acknowledge that they have had a full opportunity to seek and receive advice of counsel on all matters related to this Stipulation and Consent Order.
- 5. This Stipulation and Consent Order contains all of the terms and conditions agreed to by the parties and constitutes the final agreement between the Respondents and the Department.
- 6. No change, amendment, or modification hereto shall be effective or binding unless it is in writing, dated, and signed by the parties.
- 7. If the Department fails to act on any one or more defaults by the Respondents, such failure to act shall not be a waiver of any rights hereunder on the part of the Department to

declare the Respondents in default and to take such action as may be permitted by this Stipulation and Consent Order or by law.

- 8. This Stipulation and Consent Order may be signed in duplicate, and both documents shall be considered originals. The persons executing this Stipulation and Consent Order on behalf of Respondents shall acknowledge his or her signature before a Notary Public and, by executing this Stipulation and Consent Order, certifies that he or she is duly authorized to execute this Stipulation and Consent Order on behalf of Respondents. Respondents agree that an uncertified copy of this Stipulation and Consent Order shall be valid as evidence in any proceeding for purposes of enforcement.
- 9. This Stipulation and Consent Order shall survive the Respondents and be enforceable against their successors, transferors, or assigns.

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UNITED SERVICES AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION:

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USAA CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY:

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DELAWARE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

KAREN WELDIN STEWART, CIR-ML Insurance Commissioner Date: