MR. JUSTICE EVANS-LOMBE 15 JUNE 2000

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AND UPON READING the said Petition, the scheme as set forth in the Schedule hereto (the "Scheme") and the evidence

AND UPON World-Wide Re by Counsel for the Petitioner (being its counsel for these purposes) undertaking to be bound by the Scheme and to do all such acts and things as may be necessary or expedient to be executed or done by them for the purposes of giving effect thereto



- (a) the Transferred Business shall by virtue of this Order be transferred to and vested in World-Wide Re, in accordance with, and subject to, the terms of the Scheme;
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#### BY COURIER

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Dear Mr Cooper

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As required by Schedule 2C to the Insurance Companies Act 1982, we are hereby depositing with the FSA, on behalf of World-Wide Re, two office copies of the court order.

Yours sincerely

Claudia Monsanto/Rudiger Holfeld (Trainee Solicitor)

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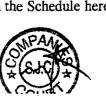
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#### AND IT IS ORDERED:

- (o) that in accordance with paragraph 5(5) of Schedule 2C to the Act World-Wide Re does within 10 days from the date of this Order or such longer period as the Financial Services Authority (the "FSA") shall allow deposit 2 office copies of this Order with the FSA; and
- (p) that there shall be liberty to apply for such orders as may be expedient or necessary for the purposes set out in paragraph 5 of Schedule 2C to the said Act and generally.

# IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE CHANCERY DIVISION COMPANIES COURT

ROYAL COURTS OF JUSTICE EVANS- LONGE CLAIM no. 2908 of 2000

In the matter of

THE BRITISH & EUROPEAN REINSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED and

In the matter
WORLD-WIDE REASSURANCE COMPANY
LIMITED

and

In the matter of THE INSURANCE COMPANIES ACT 1982

# **ORDER**

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