

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

MERRIMACK, SS

SUPERIOR COURT

Docket No. 03-E-0106

**In the Matter of the Rehabilitation of
The Home Insurance Company**

ASSENTED-TO MOTION TO EXTEND RESPONSE DEADLINE

Paula T. Rogers, Commissioner of Insurance for the State of New Hampshire (“Liquidator”), as Liquidator of the Home Insurance Company, by her attorneys, The Office of the Attorney General, hereby moves the Court for an order extending the date by which she must respond to the Petitioner’s Response to Court Advising of Petitioner’s Requested Relief (“Petitioner’s Response”) for one week to July 31, 2003. The Liquidator’s counsel has consulted with and obtained the assent of David M. Gottesman, counsel to the petitioning intervenors for this brief extension.

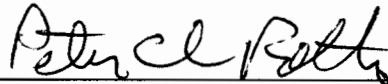
On June 30, 2003, the Court entered an order providing Intervener Misty Dawn Staple twenty days in which to inform the Court of issues remaining to be litigated, and providing the liquidator ten days after its filing to respond. Immediately afterward, lead counsel to the Liquidator took a two-week vacation to Canada. On July 14, 2003, (more or less a week early) Intervenor’s counsel filed her Petitioner’s Response, thereby setting July 24, 2003 as the Liquidator’s response deadline. The Petitioner’s Response, however, was not served on the Liquidator’s lead counsel, but instead upon the office of the Liquidator’s “of counsel” in Boston. Upon return from vacation, the Liquidator’s lead counsel was left with insufficient time in which to prepare an adequate response to Petitioner’s Response.

WHEREFORE, the Liquidator prays that this Court enter an order extending the date by which she must respond to Petitioner's Response through July 31, 2003, and grant such other and further relief as may be just.

Respectfully submitted,
NEW HAMPSHIRE INSURANCE
DEPARTMENT
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Peter C.L. Roth, do hereby certify that on July 24, 2003 I served a true copy of the foregoing upon the attached service list by first class mail, postage prepaid.

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