

**STATE OF MINNESOTA  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS  
FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

In the Matter of the Liquidation of  
Minnesota Surety and Trust Company

OAH DOCKET NO. 2-1004-22234-2  
COURT FILE NO. 62-CV-11-9400  
**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT**

I, Mike Rothman, the Commissioner of Commerce for the State of Minnesota, (“Commissioner”) do hereby appoint, subject to the control of the Court pursuant to Minnesota Statutes section 60B.25, the following individuals Special Deputy Liquidators in the above-referenced matter:

1. Rick Theisen  
Chief Financial Examiner, Minnesota Department of Commerce
2. Wayne Johnson  
Director of Insolvency Consulting, RSM McGladrey

This appointment is made pursuant to authority granted to me by Minnesota Statutes section 60B.25, subdivision (1). Each of the individuals identified above shall have all of the powers and duties granted to me as Liquidator pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 60B.01 to 60B.61 and the Court’s Order for Liquidation dated November 22, 2011 in this matter.

This appointment shall continue until terminated at discretion of the Liquidator and each Special Deputy Liquidator shall serve at the pleasure of the Liquidator. Minn. Stat. § 60B.25, subd. (1). The compensation for those non-state employees appointed pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 60B.25 shall be fixed in accordance with the Minnesota Department of

Commerce's Master Contract T-Number 1013A, CFMS Number B44087, with an hourly rate not to exceed \$150 per hour, subject to the control of the Court. Minn. Stat. § 60B.25, subd. (3).

Dated: 12-14-11

MIKE ROTHMAN  
Commissioner of Commerce

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