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Via Email: william.pascale@acegroup.com

Re: Renewal Application - Certified Reinsurer - ACE Tempest Reinsurance Ltd. ("ATRL")

Dear Mr. Pascale:

The Pennsylvania Insurance Department ("Department") has completed its review of the application referenced above, filed pursuant to 31 Pa. Code § 161.3a and dated February 3, 2015. Our review of the application has resulted in the following determinations:

- Pursuant to 31 Pa. Code § 161.3a(e)(2), the Department hereby renews ATRL's designation as a certified reinsurer for the period January 1, 2015, through December 31, 2016. This renewal period will sync-up the certification dates with the recently agreed upon procedures of the Reinsurance Financial Analysis (E) Working Group. Beginning in 2016, all future renewal applications should be submitted prior to July 1 to allow for adequate review and processing time for a January 1 effective date.
- Pursuant to 31 Pa. Code § 161.3a(a)(3)(ii) the rating hereby assigned to ATRL is Secure – 2.

This determination correspondence should be maintained in your records and will be required to be produced to other jurisdictions where ATRL may request that the certified reinsurer designation be "passported" based upon the Department's evaluation and determination.

Should you have any questions, please contact Kimberly A. Rankin at (717) 783-6409.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stephen J. Johnson", is written over a white background.

Stephen J. Johnson, CPA
Deputy Insurance Commissioner

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