

IN THE COMMONWEALTH COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

Joel S. Ario,	:	
Insurance Commissioner of the	:	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,	:	
Plaintiff	:	
	:	
v.	:	
	:	
Reliance Insurance Company,	:	No. 269 M.D. 2001
Defendant	:	

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COMMONWEALTH COURT
OF PENNSYLVANIA
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Re: *Objections of Poarch Band of Creek Indians in re
NOD to POC Nos. 1941004, 2121860, 2121902, 2160717*

ORDER

AND NOW, this 28th day of April, 2008, it is hereby **ORDERED**:

1. Pursuant to this Court's September 9, 2002 order, J. Scott O'Keefe, Esq., is appointed as referee to hear the captioned Petition and all matters subsequently related thereto, to submit findings of fact, where appropriate and necessary, and to issue recommended decisions.

2. All parties shall contact the referee forthwith to request the scheduling of a conference and/or administrative hearing, and the referee shall promptly notify the parties of the place, time and date on which the hearing or conference will be held. Referee O'Keefe can be contacted at:

1500 Walnut Street
Suite 1100
Philadelphia, PA 19102
(215) 546-7755

The Petitioner and respondents shall be prepared to submit copies of their respective notices of determination, objections thereto, and all motions and other filings, if any, to the referee. The Petitioner and respondents shall also be prepared to bring all necessary witnesses, exhibits and documentation to the scheduled hearing. Requests for continuances shall be granted only on good cause shown.

3. The Referee may use the Court's facilities at The Widener Building, Suite 900, 1339 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107 for any conferences or hearings that are necessary, and the Court shall issue such subpoenas as the Referee shall deem necessary; and

4. The compensation for the referee hereby appointed is set by the Court at the rate of \$185 per hour, and shall be paid by the Liquidator from the Estate of Reliance Insurance Company. The referee hereby appointed shall submit to the Court an invoice for services after he has submitted a recommended decision, and the Referee shall forward a copy of that invoice to the Liquidator, whereupon the Liquidator shall, in thirty (30) days, effect payment of said invoice from the Estate of the Reliance Insurance Company unless otherwise directed by the Court or unless the Liquidator shows cause to the Court, in writing, why he should not make such payment.

FURTHER, the Liquidator shall serve a copy of this Order upon counsel and the parties related to this matter.



JAMES GARDNER COLINS, Senior Judge