

IN THE COMMONWEALTH COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

M. Diane Koken,
Insurance Commissioner of the
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Plaintiff

v.

Reliance Insurance Company,
Defendant

: No. 269 M.D. 2001
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ORDER

AND NOW, this 20th day of February, 2004, it is hereby **ORDERED**:

1. That, pursuant to this Court's September 9, 2002 order, the following objections all dealing with like issues are assigned to Frank B. Tracy, Esq. The claims assigned are:

Proof of Claim No.	Court No.
131795	1
1923268	2
1600286	3
13300	5
420126	7
227786	8
248536	9
1735005	10
516585	11
540966	12
131613	100
911499	117
1918850	161
108373	163
119278	164
1525536	171
1931509	172

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The referee shall hear objections to the notices of determination issued by the Liquidator, to submit findings of fact, where appropriate and necessary; and issue recommended decisions regarding said objections.

2. The Liquidator shall contact the referee 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 Tracy can be contacted at:

1617 John F. Kennedy Boulevard
Suite 1500
Philadelphia, PA 19103
(215) 557-2900

The Liquidator and objectors 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 Liquidator and objectors 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; and

3. 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 he 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 she should not make such payment;

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

5. The Liquidator shall forthwith serve a copy of this Order on the objectors listed herein and their counsel and notify the Court that service has been completed.



JAMES GARDNER COLINS, President Judge