## IN THE COMMONWEALTH COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

In Re: Penn Treaty Network America

Insurance Company in Liquidation

: No. 1 PEN 2009

## ORDER

AND NOW, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2017, upon consideration of the "Application under Section 536 of Article V and to Address Claim Procedure for Policyholders" filed by Insurance Commissioner Teresa D. Miller, in her capacity as Statutory Liquidator of Penn Treaty Network America Insurance Company (In Liquidation) (PTNA), the Application is GRANTED, and it is hereby ORDERED as follows:

- 1. Pursuant to Section 536 of Article V of The Insurance Department Act of 1921, Act of May 17, 1921, P.L. 789, as amended, 40 P.S. §§221.1 221.63 (Article V), the Liquidator is authorized to advance funds from the estate of PTNA to pay policyholder claims on behalf of state guaranty associations as of March 1, 2017, and until March 1, 2018. Thereafter, any early access transfers to guaranty associations must be done by separate application.
- 2. Unless and until further order of this Court, PTNA policyholders need not file proofs of claim with the Liquidator for claims arising under their PTNA policies, responsibility for which has been transferred to state guaranty associations.
- 3. This Order shall be effective as of March 1, 2017, and shall supersede any provisions to the contrary in the Order of Liquidation dated March 1, 2017.

MARY HANNAH LEAVITT, President Judge

Certified from the Record

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And Order Exit