

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

GLORIA ARTHUR, on behalf of  
herself and all others similarly  
situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

TRAVELERS INDEMNITY  
COMPANY and THE STANDARD  
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 09-7332

Judge Carl J. Barbier

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STATE OF LOUISIANA  
DEPT. OF INSURANCE

**NOTICE OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT  
PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 1715**

Defendant Travelers Indemnity Co. ("Travelers"), by and through its undersigned counsel of record, hereby gives notice pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1715 of a proposed settlement in the above-captioned class action (the "Action"). In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1715(b), Travelers states as follows:

1. A copy of the complaint in the Action and all materials filed therewith are electronically available on the Court's Pacer website found at <https://ecf.laed.uscourts.gov>. Through the docket report for Case No. 09-7332, the original complaint and attachment can be found at Docket No. 1.

2. The class representatives in the Action have filed a motion for preliminary approval of the proposed settlement, which has been set for hearing on October 27, 2010 at 9:30 a.m. at the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana before the Honorable Carl J. Barbier.

3. The terms of the proposed settlement are contained in a Settlement Agreement and Release, executed by defendant Travelers and the class representative and dated September 11, 2009 (the "Settlement Agreement"). A copy of the Settlement Agreement (with its exhibits) is enclosed with this notice. Copies of the proposed forms of notice to class members are attached as Exhibits E and F of the enclosed Settlement Agreement.

4. There is no settlement or other agreement contemporaneously made between class counsel and counsel for the defendants. The class representative in the Action and Travelers' rights and obligations are triggered by the number and identity of opt-outs by members of the class, including the right to terminate the Settlement Agreement.

5. At this time, there has been no final judgment or notice of dismissal in the Action. A copy of a proposed final judgment is attached as Exhibit I to the enclosed Settlement Agreement.

6. Travelers believes that there are approximately 35,000 class members. Given that persons within the class have moved from Louisiana to other states since the time of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita, Travelers does not know, and cannot presently determine the number of class members residing in each State, and cannot quantify the proportionate share of the claims of class members in each State to the entire settlement, although Travelers does expect that the vast majority of class members will reside in Louisiana.

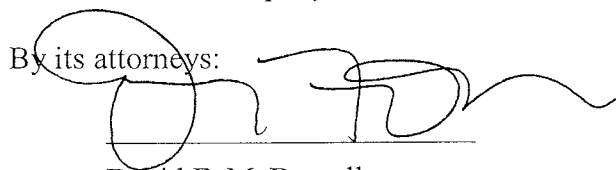
7. At this time, there has been no written judicial opinion relating to the materials described in subparagraphs (3) through (6) of 28 U.S.C. § 1715.

Dated: April 27, 2010

Respectfully submitted,

Travelers Indemnity Company and The Standard  
Fire Insurance Company

By its attorneys:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. McDowell", written over a horizontal line.

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