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July 6, 2016

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Leland Martin, President American Federated Insurance Company 406 Liberty Park Court Building A, Suite B Flowood, MS 39232

RE: Report of Examination as of December 31, 2014

Dear Mr. Martin:

In accordance with <u>Miss. Code Ann.</u> § 83-5-201 et seq. (Rev. 2011), an examination of your Company has been completed. Enclosed herewith is the Order adopting the report and a copy of the final report as adopted.

Pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 83-5-209(6)(a) (Rev. 2011), the Mississippi Department of Insurance shall continue to hold the content of said report as private and confidential for a period of ten (10) days from the date of the Order. After the expiration of the aforementioned 10-day period, the Department will open the report for public inspection.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

MIKE CHANEY COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

BY

Christina J. Kelsey Senior Attorney

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Encls. Order w/exhibit

BEFORE THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

IN RE: RE

REPORT OF EXAMINATION OF

CAUSE NO. 16-6992

AMERICAN FEDERATED INSURANCE COMPANY

ORDER

THIS CAUSE came on for consideration before the Commissioner of Insurance of the State

of Mississippi ("Commissioner"), or his designated appointee, in the Offices of the Commissioner,

1001 Woolfolk Building, 501 North West Street, 10th Floor, Jackson, Hinds County, Mississippi,

pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 83-5-201 et seq. (Rev. 2011). The Commissioner, having fully

considered and reviewed the Report of Examination together with any submissions or rebuttals and

any relevant portions of the examiner's work papers, makes the following findings of fact and

conclusions of law, to-wit:

JURISDICTION

I.

That the Commissioner has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to the provisions of Miss.

Code Ann. § 83-5-201 et seq. (Rev. 2011).

II.

That American Federated Insurance Company is a Mississippi-domiciled company licensed

to write Accident and Health; Casualty/Liability; Fidelity; Fire/Allied Lines; Inland Marine; Surety;

and Workers' Compensation coverages.

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FINDINGS OF FACT

III.

That the Commissioner, or his appointee, pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 83-5-201 et seq. (Rev. 2011), called for an examination of American Federated Insurance Company and appointed Kim Strong, Examiner-In-Charge, to conduct said examination.

IV.

That on or about May 5, 2016, the draft Report of Examination concerning American Federated Insurance Company for the period of January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2014, was submitted to the Department by the Examiner-In-Charge, Kim Strong.

V.

That on or about May 20, 2016, pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 83-5-209(2) (Rev. 2011), the Department forwarded to the Company a copy of the draft report and allowed the Company a 15-day period to submit any rebuttal to the draft report. The Company responded in a letter on or about June 8, 2016.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

VI.

The Commissioner, pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 83-5-209(3) (Rev. 2011), must consider and review the report along with any submissions or rebuttals and all relevant portions of examiner work papers and enter an Order: (1) adopting the Report of Examination as final or with modifications or corrections; (2) rejecting the Report of Examination with directions to reopen; or (3) calling for an investigatory hearing.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED, after reviewing the Report of Examination, the written submission, and all relevant examiner work papers, that the Report of Examination of American Federated Insurance Company, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", should be and same is hereby adopted as final.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of the adopted Report of Examination, accompanied with this Order, shall be served upon the Company by certified mail, postage pre-paid, return receipt requested.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Mississippi Department of Insurance shall continue to hold the content of this report as private and confidential for a period of ten (10) days from the date of this Order, pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 83-5-209(6)(a) (Rev. 2011).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 83-5-209(4) (Rev. 2011), that within thirty (30) days of the issuance of the adopted report, American Federated Insurance Company shall file affidavits executed by each of its directors stating under oath that they have received a copy of the adopted report and related orders.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that American Federated Insurance Company take the necessary actions and implement the necessary procedures to ensure that all recommendations contained in the Report of Examination are properly and promptly complied with.

SO ORDERED, this the 23 day of June 2016.



MARK HAIRE

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing Order and a copy of the final Report of Examination, as adopted by the Mississippi Department of Insurance, was sent by certified mail, postage pre-paid, return receipt requested, on this the day of July 2016, to:

Mr. Leland Martin, President American Federated Insurance Company 406 Liberty Park Court Building A, Suite B Flowood, MS 39232

> Christina J Kelsey Senior Attorney

Christina J. Kelsey Senior Attorney Counsel for the Mississippi Department of Insurance Post Office Box 79 Jackson, MS 39205-0079 (601) 359-3577 Miss. Bar No. 9853



MISSISSIPPI INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Report of Examination

of

AMERICAN FEDERATED INSURANCE COMPANY

as of

December 31, 2014

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EXAMINER'S AFFIDAVIT AS TO STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES USED IN AN EXAMINATION

State of Mississippi, County of Madison,

Kimberly Strong, being duly sworn, states as follows:

- I have authority to represent the Mississippi Insurance Department in the examination of American Federated Insurance Company as of December 31, 2014.
- 2. The Mississippi Insurance Department is accredited under the National Association of Insurance Commissioners Financial Regulation Standards and Accreditation.
- 3. I have reviewed the examination work papers and examination report, and the examination of the American Federated Insurance Company was performed in a manner consistent with the standards and procedures required by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners and the Mississippi Insurance Department.

The affiant says nothing further.

Kimberly Strong, CPA, CFE
Examiner-in-Charge

Subscribed and sworn before me by kimberly strong on this 19th day of

(SEAL)

NOTARY PUBLIC
Comm Expires
October 1, 2017

Notary Public

My commission expires 10/1/2017 [date]



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April 18, 2016

Honorable Mike Chaney Commissioner of Insurance Mississippi Insurance Department 1001 Woolfolk Building 501 North West Street Jackson, Mississippi 39201

Dear Commissioner Chaney:

Pursuant to your instructions and authorization and in compliance with statutory provisions, an examination has been conducted as of December 31, 2014, of the affairs and financial condition of:

AMERICAN FEDERATED INSURANCE COMPANY

406 Liberty Park Court Flowood, MS 39232

	License #	NAIC Group #	NAIC#	FEETS#	MATS#
I	8200015	0641	10170	10170-MS-2014-2	MS099-M4

This examination was commenced in accordance with Miss. Code Ann. § 83-5-201 *et seq.* and was performed in Flowood, Mississippi, at the statutory home office of the Company. The report of examination is herewith submitted.

SCOPE OF EXAMINATION

We have performed a full scope, risk-focused financial examination of American Federated Insurance Company ("Company" or "AFIC"). The last examination covered the period of January 1, 2008, through December 31, 2010. This examination covers the period January 1, 2011, through December 31, 2014.

We conducted our examination in accordance with the NAIC *Financial Condition Examiners Handbook*. The Handbook requires that we plan and perform the examination to evaluate the financial condition, assess corporate governance, identify current and prospective risks of the Company and evaluate system controls and procedures used to mitigate those risks. An examination also includes identifying and evaluating significant risks that could cause an insurer's surplus to be materially misstated both currently and prospectively.

All accounts and activities of the Company were considered in accordance with the risk-focused examination process. This may include assessing significant estimates made by management and evaluating management's compliance with Statutory Accounting Principles. The examination does not attest to the fair presentation of the financial statements included herein. If, during the course of the examination an adjustment is identified, the impact of such adjustment will be documented separately following the Company's financial statements.

This examination report includes significant findings of fact and general information about the insurer and its financial condition. There may be other items identified during the examination that, due to their nature (e.g., subjective conclusions, proprietary information, etc.), are not included within the examination report but separately communicated to other regulators and/or the Company.

COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF PREVIOUS EXAMINATION

The comments and recommendations included in the previous examination report were addressed by the Company in a manner deemed acceptable by the Mississippi Insurance Department ("MID").

HISTORY OF THE COMPANY

AFIC was incorporated in February 1983 as a property and casualty insurer under the laws of the state of Mississippi. In December 1987, AFIC increased its outstanding capital stock to 600,000 shares of \$1 par value common stock. In April 2006, the Company increased its outstanding capital stock to 1,200,000 shares of \$1 par common stock.

CORPORATE RECORDS

The minutes of the meetings of the Board of Directors ("Board"), prepared during the period under examination, were reviewed along with the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws, along with any amendments thereto.

Based on the review of the Board meeting minutes, it is recommended that the minutes of these meetings reflect the following:

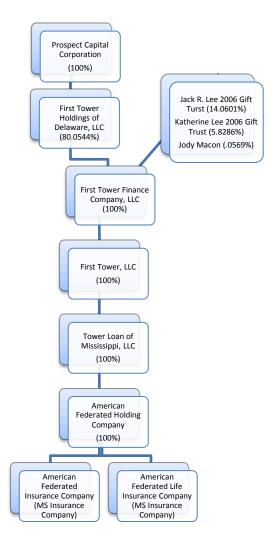
- The minutes of the Board did not provide evidence that the engagement of the actuary had been presented to the Board on an annual basis as required by the NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions*. It is recommended that the Board implement policies and procedures to ensure that the engagement of the actuary is presented to and reviewed by the Board on an annual basis in accordance with NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions*.
- The minutes of the Board did not include that the actuarial opinion had been presented to the Board on an annual basis in compliance with NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions*. It is recommended that the Board implement policies and procedures to ensure the actuarial opinion is presented to and reviewed by the Board on an annual basis in accordance with NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions*.

HOLDING COMPANY STRUCTURE

The Company is a member of an insurance holding company system as defined in <u>Miss. Code Ann.</u> §83-6-1. Holding Company Registration Statements were filed during the examination period with the MID in accordance with <u>Miss. Code Ann.</u> §§ 83-6-5 and 83-6-9. The statements and applicable amendments were reviewed, and it appeared that any changes and material transactions by and between the Company and its affiliates were disclosed appropriately.

The following chart depicts the Company's ownership as of December 31, 2014:

Organizational Chart



Parent and Affiliated Companies

The organizational chart above denotes the direct line of ownership of the Company. See Schedule Y – Part 1 of the Annual Statement for the complete organizational chart.

Prospect Capital Corporation ("Prospect" or "Parent"): On June 15, 2012, Prospect acquired an 80.0544% majority interest in First Tower Finance Company, LLC (f/k/a First Tower Holdings, LLC, f/k/a First Tower Corporation), and its subsidiaries, through its wholly-owned subsidiary, First Tower Holdings of Delaware, LLC.

Prospect is a publically-traded, closed-end investment company that has elected to be regulated as a business development company under the Investment Company Act of 1940. Prospect invests primarily in first and second-lien senior loans and mezzanine debt and provides capital to

middle-market companies and private equity financial sponsors for refinancing, leveraged buyouts, acquisitions, recapitalizations, later-stage growth investments and capital expenditures.

First Tower Holdings of Delaware, LLC ("FT Delaware"): FT Delaware is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Prospect. FT Delaware operates as a holding company which owns 80.0544 % of First Tower Finance Company, LLC.

First Tower Finance Company, LLC ("FT Finance"): FT Finance is owned 80.0544% by FT Delaware and 19.8887% by the Jack R. Lee and Katherine Lee Gift Trusts. FT Delaware and the Jack R. Lee and Katherine Lee Gift Trusts are Class A (voting) members with one Class B (nonvoting) member owning .0569%. FT Finance operates as a holding company which wholly-owns First Tower, LLC.

On June 24, 2014, an amendment form was submitted to the Mississippi Secretary of State's Office changing the legal name of the limited liability company from First Tower Holdings, LLC to First Tower Finance Company, LLC. It was noted that Schedule Y – Part 1 of the December 31, 2014, Annual Statement still reflected the Company's previous legal name. It is recommended that the Company include the actual legal name of all affiliated entities, as of the related year end, in the organizational chart on Schedule Y – Part 1 of the Annual Statement.

First Tower, LLC ("**FT**"): FT is wholly-owned by FT Finance and is engaged in consumer lending and related insurance activities through its wholly-owned subsidiaries, Tower Loan of Mississippi, LLC, Tower Loan of Illinois, LLC, First Tower Loan, LLC, Gulfco of Mississippi, LLC, Gulfco of Alabama, LLC, Gulfco or Louisiana, LLC, Tower Loan of Missouri, LLC, and Tower Auto Loan, LLC.

Tower Loan of Mississippi, LLC ("TL of MS"): TL of MS is wholly-owned by First Tower and is engaged in consumer lending in the States of Mississippi and Louisiana. TL of MS provides insurance services through its wholly-owned subsidiary, American Federated Holding Company.

American Federated Holding Company ("AFHC"): AFHC is wholly-owned by TL of MS and acts as an insurance holding company for two insurance subsidiaries, the Company and American Federated Life Insurance Company ("AFLIC").

American Federated Life Insurance Company ("AFLIC"): AFLIC is wholly-owned by AFHC. AFLIC provides credit life insurance on consumer loans issued by consumer finance subsidiaries of TL of MS.

Related Party Transactions

Premiums: Premiums are collected for credit property insurance at each of the consumer finance branch offices and remitted by TL of MS to the Company on a monthly basis. At December 31, 2014, the Company reported a receivable from parent, subsidiaries and affiliates in the amount of \$2,158,039 related to premiums owed for December.

Claims: Upon submission of appropriate claim documentation and proof of loss, the Company pays claims to affiliated consumer finance branch offices to be applied to the insured's outstanding loan balances.

Dividends: Prior to June 15, 2012, dividends based on premium income were paid to the Company's then parent company, First Tower Corporation, in lieu of commissions. During the period under examination, the Company paid dividends in the amounts of \$7,554,063 during 2011 and \$3,076,085 during 2012. On June 15, 2012, the Company executed a commission agreement with FT and its subsidiaries as opposed to paying dividends.

Administrative Expense Allocation Agreement between AFIC and AFLIC:

The Company was party to an expense allocation agreement amended January 1, 2013. Pursuant to this agreement, certain shared expenses are initially paid out of AFIC and subsequently reimbursed to AFIC by AFLIC. At December 31, 2014, the amounts receivable from AFLIC pursuant to this agreement was \$31,577. The agreement dictates that payment by AFLIC to AFIC of the monthly expense allocation will occur by the end of the month following the monthly expenses incurred by the Company.

General and Administrative Expense Allocation Agreement with FT and its Subsidiaries:

Effective June 15, 2012, the Company entered into a General and Administrative Expense Allocation Agreement with FT and each of its wholly-owned subsidiaries. Pursuant to this agreement, FT will prepare monthly a calculation of general and administrative expenses and the pro rata share to be allocated to the Company based on the ratio of the Company's total revenues in any calendar month to the total revenue generated in any calendar month by each of FT's finance company subsidiaries. The Company is required to remit payment within fifteen (15) days after receiving a monthly statement from FT. At December 31, 2014, amounts payable pursuant to this agreement were \$162,998.

It was noted that the amounts payable pursuant to the General and Administrative Allocation Agreement with FT and its subsidiaries was reported as commissions payable on page 3 of the December 31, 2014, Annual Statement. It is recommended that the Company report amounts payable in conjunction with the General and Administrative Expense Allocation Agreement as Payable to parent, subsidiary and affiliates in compliance with NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions*.

Commission Agreement with FT and its Subsidiaries:

Effective June 15, 2012, the Company entered into a Commission Agreement with FT and each of its wholly-owed finance company subsidiaries. Pursuant to this agreement, once the Company has received all premiums for any given month, the Company shall calculate the commissions due to each of the finance company subsidiaries and shall remit any commissions owed no later than the last day of the month following the month in which the commissions are earned. Commissions paid shall be reasonable and shall be equal to a percentage of the premium of each

insurance policy written but shall be no higher than the maximum rate permitted under the applicable state statute. At December 31, 2014, amounts payable pursuant to this agreement were \$1,288,400.

The consumer finance operating subsidiaries of FT agree to assist the Company to ensure that the proper licenses are maintained for all finance company employees authorized to place insurance policies and that such persons are appropriately appointed in accordance with applicable laws.

It was noted that the amounts payable pursuant to the Commissions Agreement with FT and its subsidiaries were reported as commissions payable on page 3 of the December 31, 2014, Annual Statement. It is recommended that the Company report amounts payable in conjunction with the Commission Agreement with FT and its subsidiaries as Payable to parent, subsidiary and affiliates in compliance with NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions*.

MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL

Board of Directors

The Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws vest the management and control of the Company's business affairs with the Board. The members of the duly elected Board, along with their place of residence, year appointed as a Director, and principal occupation, at December 31 2014, were as follows:

Name and Residence	Year Elected/Appointed	Principal Occupation
Francis Clark Lee	1995	Secretary/Tresurer
Brandon, Mississippi		American Federated Insurance Co.
James Leland Martin, Jr.	2000	President
Jackson, Mississippi		American Federated Insurance Co.
Cheryl Posey Taggart	2009	Vice President – Director of Accounting
Birmingham, Alabama		American Federated Insurance Co.

Officers

The officers duly elected by the Board and holding office at December 31, 2014, are as follows:

Name and Residence	Year Elected/Appointed	Title
James Leland Martin, Jr.	2000	President
Francis Clark Lee	1995	Secretary/Treasurer
Cheryl Posey Taggart	2009	Vice President

Conflict of Interest

The Company had formal procedures whereby disclosure was made to the Board of any material interest or affiliation on the part of any officer or director that was, or would likely be, a conflict with the official duties of such persons. The statements were reviewed, and no conflicts or exceptions to the Company's policies were noted.

FIDELITY BOND AND OTHER INSURANCE

The Company maintained a commercial insurance policy for employee theft with a limit of \$500,000. This amount meets the NAIC suggested minimum fidelity coverage for a company of its size. The Company also maintained an insurance program that appeared to provide adequate coverage to protect it from hazards that it may encounter.

The Company had additional types of coverage in-force at December 31, 2014, including, but not limited to, directors and officers, excess liability and excess financial products insurance.

PENSIONS, STOCK OWNERSHIP AND INSURANCE PLANS

The Company's employees have the opportunity to participate in a qualified defined contribution plan that is sponsored by an affiliate. In addition to pension benefits, an affiliate provides certain health and dental benefits.

TERRITORY AND PLAN OF OPERATION

The Company provides collateral protection insurance on consumer loans issued by consumer finance operating subsidiaries of FT. The Company's customer base is comprised of mostly individuals unable to secure loans through conventional lending channels. The loans are fully collateralized and average \$1,800 with an average life of eighteen (18) months (average term at loan issuance is twenty-four (24) months). The purpose of the loans issued is generally for the purchase of household goods, and loans are not advanced for homeowner improvements or the purchase of automobiles.

The Company markets its products exclusively through the consumer financial branches of the FT. FT owns several consumer finance companies with over two hundred (200) branches throughout Alabama, Louisiana, Illinois, Mississippi and Missouri.

As of December 31, 2014, the Company was authorized to write the following lines of business in the State of Mississippi:

Accident and health Fidelity Inland marine Workers' compensation Casualty/liability Fire/allied lines Surety

GROWTH OF COMPANY

The review of the growth of the Company was performed based on balances as reported in the annual statements filed with the MID during the period under examination.

	2014	2013 2012		2011		
Change in surplus	\$ 3,518,420	\$ 3,168,300	\$	(1,877,159)	\$	608,325
Ratio of premiums earned to						
capital and surplus	1.40 to 1	1.89 to 1		2.67 to 1		1.81 to 1
Ratio of assets to liabilities	1.49 to 1	1.37 to 1		1.23 to 1		1.36 to 1
Ratio of revenues to expenses	1.20 to 1	1.19 to 1		1.07 to 1		2.15 to 1
Cash flows from operations	\$ 3,936,890	\$ 4,899,327	\$	3,591,856	\$	10,463,744
Net income (loss)	\$ 3,063,023	\$ 2,888,792	\$	1,052,050	\$	8,078,719

ACCOUNTS AND RECORDS

The Company's 2014 trial balance was tied to the financial statements within the statutory annual statement filed with the MID, with no material exceptions noted. The Company was audited annually by an independent CPA firm and its loss and loss adjustment expense and unearned premium liabilities were reviewed by a consulting actuary and an actuarial opinion issued for each year under examination.

The Company utilized internally developed software, Progress, to manage policies, process claims and prepare certain financial information. FT maintains an IT department that encompassed a hardware and software technology group, branch application support group, and quality assurance group.

The Company was licensed as a multi-line property and casualty insurance company pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 83-19-31(b), which required the Company to maintain a minimum capital of \$600,000 and surplus of \$900,000. Pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 83-5-55, the Company was required to file an NAIC Property and Casualty Annual Statement. The Company was also required to file a risk-based capital (RBC) report pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 83-5-401 through § 83-5-427.

STATUTORY DEPOSITS

The Company's statutory deposits with the State of Mississippi complied with Miss. Code Ann. §83-19-31(2) and §83-7-21. The following chart displays the Company's deposits at December 31, 2014:

Description of Security	Par Value	Fair Value	
Fannie Mae Note	\$ 100,000	\$ 101,241	
US Treasury Note	1,448,000	1,447,834	
Total	\$ 1,548,000	\$ 1,549,075	

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Introduction

The financial statements consist of a Statement of Assets, Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds as of December 31, 2014, a Statement of Income for the year ended December 31, 2014, and a Reconciliation of Capital and Surplus for the examination period ended December 31, 2014.

The following financial statements are based on the statutory financial statements filed by the Company with the Mississippi Insurance Department and present the financial condition of the Company for the period ending December 31, 2014.

Statement of Assets, Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds December 31, 2014

Assets	
Bonds	\$ 27,571,188
Common stocks	1,594,392
Cash and short-term investments	5,638,588
Investment income due and accrued	314,328
Net deferred tax asset	1,663,009
Receivables from parent, subsidiaries and affiliates	2,189,616
Total assets	38,971,121
Liabilities, Capital and Surplus	
Losses	\$ 461,616
Loss adjustement expenses	23,337
Commissions payable, contingent commissions and other similar charges	1,451,398
Other expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees)	56,030
Taxes, licenses and fees (excluding federal and foreign taxes)	82,913
Unearned premiums	24,135,310
Total liabilities	26,210,604
Common capital stock, \$1 par value; 1,200,000 shares	
authorized, issued and outstanding	1,200,000
Gross paid in and contributed surplus	300,000
Unassigned funds (surplus)	11,260,517
Total capital and surplus	12,760,517
Total liabilities, capital and surplus	\$ 38,971,121

Statement of Income For the Examination Period Ended December 31, 2014

Underwriting Income Premiums earned Losses incurred Loss adjustment expenses incurred	\$ 17,844,561 1,177,067 2,456
Other underwriting expenses incurred	14,370,654
Net underwriting gain	2,294,385
Investment Income Net investment income earned Net realized capital losses	767,097 (2,430)
Net investment gain	764,667
Other Income	
Aggregate write-ins for miscellaneous income	 3,971
Total other income	 3,971
Net income	\$ 3,063,023

Reconciliation of Capital and Surplus For the Examination Period Ended December 31, 2014

	2014	2013	2012	2011
Capital and surplus, December 31, prior year	\$ 9,242,096	\$ 6,073,796	\$ 7,950,955	\$ 7,342,630
Net income	3,063,023	2,888,792	1,052,050	8,078,719
Change in net unrealized capital gains (losses)	(2,120)	142,476	100,799	38,095
Change in net deferred income tax	457,518	5,357,181	46,077	45,574
Dividends to stockholders	-	-	(3,076,085)	(7,554,063)
Change in non-admitted assets	-	(5,220,149)	-	-
Capital and surplus, December 31, current year	\$ 12,760,517	\$ 9,242,096	\$ 6,073,796	\$ 7,950,955

MARKET CONDUCT ACTIVITIES

A full market conduct examination was not conducted; however, specific areas of the market conduct activities were reviewed. The specific areas reviewed included those items as indicated below. No significant exceptions with regard to limited procedures performed were noted.

Policyholder Service

The Company maintained a complaint log during the period under examination. All complaints appeared to have been appropriately resolved and no policyholder abuse was noted.

Underwriting and Rating

The Company appeared to be appropriately applying premium rates for insured policies based on application data.

It appeared that all applicable policy forms had been appropriately approved by the MID.

Claims Handling

Claim files were reviewed for general indicators of policyholder treatment concerns noting no material exceptions.

Producer Licensing

The Company appeared to have the appropriate licensure to issue its products, and agents appeared to be properly licensed and appointed.

Privacy

Privacy notices were sent to the Company's policyholders annually which appeared to be in compliance with applicable laws and standards.

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Procedures performed commitments or other examination date.							

COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The following comments and recommendations reflect findings as of the examination date.

- 1. It is recommended that the Board implement policies and procedures to ensure that the engagement of the actuary is presented to and reviewed by the Board on an annual basis in accordance with NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions*. (Page 4)
- 2. It is recommended that the Board implement policies and procedures to ensure the actuarial opinion is presented to and reviewed by the Board on an annual basis in accordance with NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions*. (Page 4)
- 3. It is recommended that the Company include the actual legal name of all affiliated entities, as of the related year end, in the organizational chart on Schedule Y Part 1 of the Annual Statement. (Page 6)
- 4. It is recommended that the Company report amounts payable in conjunction with the General and Administrative Expense Allocation Agreement as Payable to parent, subsidiary and affiliates in compliance with NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions*. (Page 7)
- 5. It is recommended that the Company report amounts payable in conjunction with the Commission Agreement with FT and its subsidiaries as Payable to parent, subsidiary and affiliates in compliance with NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions*. (Page 8)

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The examiners representing the Mississippi Insurance Department and participating in this examination were:

Administrative Examiner Jimmy D. Blissett, CFE

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IT Specialist Eric Casperson, CPA

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Examiner Hannah Hurt, CPA

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Consulting Actuary Julie Stephenson, ASA, MAAA

Consulting Actuary Robert P. Daniel, ACAS, MAAA

Consulting Actuary Benjamin Conrad

The courteous cooperation of the officers and employees responsible for assisting in the examination is hereby acknowledged and appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

Kimberly Strong, CPA, CFE

Kimberry Strong

Examiner-in-charge