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August 6, 2009 <u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> <u>RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED</u>

Susan Comparato
President
Syncora Guarantee Inc.
(Formerly XL Capital Assurance, Inc.)
1221 Avenue of the Americas
New York, NY 10020-1001

Re: 2008 Annual Statement Filing

NAIC Company Code: 20311 License Number: 9100040

Dear Ms. Comparato:

The Mississippi Department of Insurance received Syncora Guarantee's Jurat Page on March 6, 2009 and your company's filing with the NAIC was received on March 5, 2009.

<u>AUTHORITY</u>

Pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. §83-5-55 (Supp. 2008), "Every insurance company **shall** file with the Commissioner of Insurance, on or before the first day of March of each year, a statement showing the business standing and financial condition of the company..."

Pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. §83-5-69 (Supp. 2008), "Any company that neglects to make and file its quarterly and annual statement within the time provided in this chapter **shall** pay to the Commissioner of Insurance One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for each day's neglect; and upon notice by the Commissioner to that effect, its authority to do new business **shall** cease while such default continues..."

STATEMENT OF CHARGES

Your company's failure to file an Annual Statement in a timely manner constitutes a violation of Miss. Code Ann. §83-5-55 (Supp. 2008) and Miss. Code Ann. §83-5-69 (Supp. 2008).

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In accordance with the above-cited statutory authority, please submit payment to this office in the amount of \$400.00 representing the administrative penalty for the failure to timely file your company's 2008 Annual Statement.

The payment should be post-marked as follows:

Mississippi Department of Insurance Attn: Christina Kelsey- Legal Division Personal and Confidential Post Office Box 79 Jackson, MS 39205

Any questions about this process should be directed to my attention at 601-359-3577.

With kindest regards, I remain,

Sincerely,

Christina Kelsey Senior Attorney

Mississippi Insurance Department

CJK: kc

cc: Mark Haire, Deputy Commissioner
Kim Causey, Interim General Counsel
Debra Vernon, Director, Financial & Market Regulation
David Browning, Chief Examiner
Nancy Cross, Director, Statutory Compliance