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PROGRAM AGENDA – Day 1 Tuesday, April 14, 2015

8:30 AM – 9:15 AM - Registration Opens



Networking Breakfast Buffet

9:15 AM – Welcome and Opening Remarks

9:20 AM

State of the EPLI Marketplace

Cara Lovering 2nd Vice President, Employment Practices Liability Product Management Travelers

> Adeola I. Adele Executive Vice President FINEX North America – Willis

Christopher M. Wolfe Assistant Vice President, Employment Practices Claims Financial Lines Claims / AIG Property Casualty AIG

 $10{:}10\;AM-\text{Presentation Ends}$

10:10 AM

The EPLI Marketplace: Underwriting and Claims: Where EPLI Coverage and the Marketplace are Heading in 2015 & Beyond.

> Laura E. Levin, Esq. Complex Claims Specialist Navigators Management Company, Inc.

Lynette Lyngaas Senior Vice President, Executive Liability Monitor Liability Managers

> Gail L. Gottehrer Partner Axinn, Veltrop & Harkrider LLP

Claudine English-Tucci, Esq. Assistant Vice President & Assistant Counsel Chubb & Son

 $11:00 \ AM-\text{Presentation Ends}$

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11:00 AM –

15 Minute Stretching Break

11:15AM

EPLI Trends: What Claims Trends Should We Expect in 2015 & Beyond?

> Moderator: Mercedes Colwin Managing Partner, New York Office Gordon & Rees

Raymond Cashman Director Freedom Specialty, a Nationwide Company

> David Zell XL Private Commercial XL Insurance

Moiré L. Morón, Esq. Senior Claims Technical Specialist - Liability Management and Professional Liability Claims QBE North America

12:05 PM – Presentation Ends

12:05 PM

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Networking Luncheon

1:00 PM

Background Checks, Criminal History and Credit Checks: Are they Legal? Are they necessary?

> Laura R. Lapidus , Esq. EPL Risk Control Consulting Director CNA

Jeffrey Weisz EPL Claims Manager ACE North American Claims

Jennifer R. Weinstein Claims Manager Starr Adjustment Services, Inc. A Member of Starr Companies

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1:50 PM

Government Regulations and Enforcement and EPLI – The New Frontiers for Claims: NLRB, EEOC, OSHA, ERISA

> Dove A.E. Burns, Esq. Partner Goldberg Segalla

2:40 PM – Presentation Ends

2:40 PM – ExecuSummit Afternoon Networking Break

3:00 PM

Retaliation and Whistleblower Litigation: Techniques for Limiting Damages, Best Practices, Discrimination Claims and Harassment Claims.

> Ryan Sardelli Vice President of Middle Market Zurich North America

> > Heather R. Boshak Partner Fox Rothschild LLP

Mary E. Pivec Partner Ford & Harrison LLP

3:50 PM – Presentation Ends.

3:50 PM

Helping Insureds Help Themselves: Advances in Value-added Risk Management Services

> Moderator: Richard Betterley President Betterley Risk Consultants

Randall J. Krause, Esq., CIPP/US ePlace Solutions, Inc.

Robin Taylor Symons Co-Managing Partner - Miami Gordon & Rees

4:40 PM – Presentation Ends.

4:45 PM

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Networking Cocktail Reception

5:45 PM – Day One Concludes.

PROGRAM AGENDA - Day 2 Wednesday, April 15, 2015

8:00 AM - 8:55 AM

Networking Breakfast Buffet

8:55 AM – Welcome and Opening Remarks

9:00 AM

Pregnancy Discrimination: EEOC, Title VII, PDA, and/or ADAAA. What is the State of the Law in 2015?

> Dean Falavolito, Esq. Partner Margolis Edelstein

Jeffrey Hirsch Attorney at Law Kissel Hirsch & Wilmer LLP

Todd Cincotta Assistant Vice President, Specialty Liability The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company

9:50 AM – Presentation Ends

9:50 AM

The Independent Contractor v. Employee: More Liability and Consequences than Ever for Misclassifying Employees

Thomas P. Hams, Esq. Managing Director, National EPLI Practice Leader **Financial Services Group** A Division of Aon Risk Services Central, Inc.

> Kelly Thoerig Senior Vice President Marsh

10:40 AM – Presentation Ends

10:40 AM

ExecuSummit Morning Networking Break

11:00 AM

Affordable Care Act and the Impact on Employment Claims

Nathon Gurto Senior Claims Examiner Markel - Claims

Kevin M. Fisher, Esq. Assistant Vice President **Employment Practices and Governmental Claims** Allied World National Assurance Company

> Caroline Berdzik Partner Goldberg Segalla

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11:50 AM – Closing Remarks

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