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Mr. Thomas Dawson
c/o Drinker Biddle & Reath, LLP
Validus Reinsurance, Ltd.
1177 Avenue of the Americas, 41st Floor
New York, NY 10036

Re: Validus Reinsurance, Ltd.

Dear Mr. Dawson:

I have completed the review of your application for the above company to be recognized as an accredited reinsurer in Kentucky. Pursuant to KRS 304.5-140 (2) (b), please be advised that the company has been added to our register of accredited reinsurers. To maintain this status, the Company must make annual filings each year. You will be notified of those filings in December of each year.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 502/782-5298 or gina.metts@ky.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Gina Metts".

Gina Metts
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