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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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EMPLOYERS INSURANCE COMPANY OF WAUSAU,

Petitioner,

12 Civ. 8005 (LLS)

- against -

ORDER

ARROWOOD INDEMNITY COMPANY,

Respondent.

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NATIONAL INDEMNITY COMPANY,

Petitioner,

12 Civ. 8006 (LLS)

- against -

ORDER

ARROWOOD INDEMNITY COMPANY,

Respondent.

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NATIONWIDE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY,

Petitioner,

12 Civ. 8007 (LLS)

- against -

ORDER

ARROWOOD INDEMNITY COMPANY,

Respondent.

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On the parties' submissions and after hearing them by counsel today, the issues raised are disposed of under Section 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. § 5, as follows:

- (1) The present arbitrators in the seven treaties which provide the steps for them to take in the selection of

an umpire, shall follow those steps forthwith, and report to the Court the name of the individual so selected; and

- (2) The Court will regard that selection as presumptively appropriate for appointment by the Court as umpire for the six remaining cases. The presumption is rebuttable, and the Court will hear the parties further in that connection upon the application of any party.

So ordered.

Dated: New York, New York
October 25, 2013

Louis L. Stanton

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U.S.D.J.