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WRITTEN DETERMINATION REGARDING THE APPOINTMENT OF PETTIT KOHN INGRASSIA & LUTZ TO SERVE AS OUTSIDE COUNSEL ON BEHALF OF THE OFFICE OF THE WEST VIRGINIA ATTORNEY GENERAL

The Office of the West Virginia Attorney General (hereinafter "WVAGO") has sought the assistance of outside counsel to facilitate the recognition and collection, in the State of California, of a judgment obtained pursuant to the West Virginia Consumer Credit and Protection Act. More specifically, the WVAGO is seeking legal assistance to obtain recognition, in the State of California, of a judgment that has been obtained against CashCall, Inc. in order for WVAGO to collect on that judgment.

Pursuant to the written determination issued on July 22, 2015, the Office of the Attorney General determined that is was both cost-effective and in the interest of the public to appoint outside counsel to assist Glenville with the needed legal services. A request for proposals, RFP # 36, was issued in accordance with subsection (D) of the Attorney General's Policy on Outside Counsel (Policy #WVAG0-004).

As of the August 7, 2015, deadline for proposals, the Office of the Attorney General received four timely proposals for legal services. After a review of the proposals received, the Office has determined that the law firm of Pettit Kohn Ingrassia & Lutz ("Pettit Kohn") has submitted the most competitive proposal for legal services pursuant to Section E of Policy # WVAG0-004, based on the following factors:

- Pettit Kohn has the requisite attorneys and staff in the geographic area where the legal services are to be performed, and is readily available to perform the needed services in a timely manner.
- Pettit Kohn has the requisite litigation experience and specifically experience in domesticating foreign judgments in California.
- Pettit Kohn has proposed the most competitive rate for the needed legal services.

Based on the factors set forth above, the Office of the Attorney General authorizes the appointment of Pettit Kohn to serve as outside counsel for the legal matters cited herein pursuant to Section (E) of Policy # WVAGO-004.

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Dated: September 3, 2015