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Take notice that an application for confirmation of a scheme for the Australian insurance business of Zurich Insurance Company (Zurich) to be transferred to and amalgamated with the Australian reinsurance business of Converium Limited (Converium) is to be made to the Federal Court of Australia in Sydney on 5 December 2003 at 9.45 a.m., or on such later date as the Court appoints. The scheme, the actuarial report of Gregory Clive Taylor, FIAA, upon which the scheme will be based, and the transfer agreement between Zurich and Converium relating to the proposed business transfer will be open for public inspection and a copy of the scheme may be obtained free of charge by any holder of a policy affected by the scheme between the hours of 9.00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m. every day (except weekends and public holidays) for a period of at least 15 days from 5 November 2003 at the following locations: New South Wales: Littlewoods Services Pty Limited, Level 21 Australia Square, 264 George Street, Sydney.

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Any holder of a policy affected by the scheme may attend the Court hearing and

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request to be heard by the Court on the application for confirmation of the scheme. Any person who wishes to appear before the Court is requested to advise Mr Ken Watson of Minter Ellison, Solicitors, Sydney (telephone 02 9921 4848) at least seven (7) days prior to the hearing date specified above. This notice is issued by Zurich Insurance Company A.B.N. 085 188 923 and Converium Limited A.R.B.N. 098 315 176. BPN021651