
AMENDED FILING EXPLANATION

Reason for Amendment : Changes in response on page 99 supplemental interrogatories from No to Yes for Cybersecurity



ANNUAL STATEMENT

For the Year Ended December 31, 2017
of the Condition and Affairs of the

FREEDOM SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY

NAIC Group Code.....	0140,	0140	NAIC Company Code.....	22209	Employer's ID Number.....	75-6013587
	(Current Period)	(Prior Period)				
Organized under the Laws of OH			State of Domicile or Port of Entry	OH	Country of Domicile	US
Incorporated/Organized.....	May 21, 1929		Commenced Business.....	July 5, 1929		
Statutory Home Office	ONE WEST NATIONWIDE BLVD..... COLUMBUS OH US 43215-2220 (Street and Number) (City or Town, State, Country and Zip Code)					
Main Administrative Office	8877 N. GAINES CENTER DRIVE..... SCOTTSDALE AZ US..... 85258-2108 480-365-4000 (Street and Number) (City or Town, State, Country and Zip Code) (Area Code) (Telephone Number)					
Mail Address	ONE WEST NATIONWIDE BLVD., 1-04-701..... COLUMBUS OH US 43215-2220 (Street and Number or P. O. Box) (City or Town, State, Country and Zip Code)					
Primary Location of Books and Records	ONE WEST NATIONWIDE BLVD., 1-04-701..... COLUMBUS OH US 43215-2220 614-249-1545 (Street and Number) (City or Town, State, Country and Zip Code) (Area Code) (Telephone Number)					
Internet Web Site Address	WWW.SCOTTSDALEINS.COM					
Statutory Statement Contact	CHERYL M. DENNIS (Name)			614-249-1545 (Area Code) (Telephone Number) (Extension)		
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OFFICERS

Name	Title	Name	Title
1. THOMAS EDWARD CLARK	PRESIDENT	2. ROBERT WILLIAM HORNER III	VP & SECRETARY
3. KENNETH ARI LEVINE	VP & TREASURER		

OTHER

PAMELA ANN BIESECKER	SVP-HEAD OF TAXATION	MICHAEL ALOYSIUS BOYD	SVP-ENTERPRISE BRAND MARKT
MARTHA LOVETTE FRYE #	SR REG VP-SOUTHEAST DIST	THOMAS IORIO	SVP-COMM, FIN INST, SURETY
THOMAS WAYNE JURGENS	SVP-BRKG-E&S	JOHN SANTOS LOPES	SVP-E&S SPECIALTY PROGRAMS
DAVID NEIL NELSON	SVP-CONTRC & PRG UNDRW		

DIRECTORS OR TRUSTEES

MARK ALLEN BERVEN	THOMAS EDWARD CLARK	THOMAS WAYNE JURGENS	MICHAEL PATRICK LEACH
DAVID NEIL NELSON	DOREEN KATHERINE REINKE		

State of..... OHIO
County of..... FRANKLIN

The officers of this reporting entity being duly sworn, each depose and say that they are the described officers of said reporting entity, and that on the reporting period stated above, all of the herein described assets were the absolute property of the said reporting entity, free and clear from any liens or claims thereon, except as herein stated, and that this statement, together with related exhibits, schedules and explanations therein contained, annexed or referred to, is a full and true statement of all the assets and liabilities and of the condition and affairs of the said reporting entity as of the reporting period stated above, and of its income and deductions therefrom for the period ended, and have been completed in accordance with the NAIC *Annual Statement Instructions and Accounting Practices and Procedures* manual except to the extent that: (1) state law may differ; or, (2) that state rules or regulations require differences in reporting not related to accounting practices and procedures, according to the best of their information, knowledge and belief, respectively. Furthermore, the scope of this attestation by the described officers also includes the related corresponding electronic filing with the NAIC, when required, that is an exact copy (except for formatting differences due to electronic filing) of the enclosed statement. The electronic filing may be requested by various regulators in lieu of or in addition to the enclosed statement.

(Signature)	(Signature)	(Signature)
THOMAS EDWARD CLARK	ROBERT WILLIAM HORNER III	KENNETH ARI LEVINE
1. (Printed Name)	2. (Printed Name)	3. (Printed Name)
PRESIDENT	VP & SECRETARY	VP & TREASURER
(Title)	(Title)	(Title)

Subscribed and sworn to before me	a. Is this an original filing?	Yes [] No [X]
This _____ day of _____ 2018	b. If no	1. State the amendment number
		2. Date filed
		3. Number of pages attached

FREEDOM SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY
SUPPLEMENTAL EXHIBITS AND SCHEDULES INTERROGATORIES

The following supplemental reports are required to be filed as part of your statement filing unless specifically waived by the domiciliary state. However, in the event that your domiciliary state waives the filing requirement, your response of WAIVED to the specific interrogatory will be accepted in lieu of filing a "NONE" report and a bar code will be printed below. If the supplement is required of your company but is not being filed for whatever reason enter SEE EXPLANATION and provide an explanation following the interrogatory questions.

MARCH FILING		Responses
1.	Will an actuarial opinion be filed by March 1?	YES
2.	Will the Supplemental Compensation Exhibit be filed with the state of domicile by March 1?	YES
3.	Will the confidential Risk-Based Capital Report be filed with the NAIC by March 1?	YES
4.	Will the confidential Risk-Based Capital Report be filed with the state of domicile, if required, by March 1?	YES
APRIL FILING		
5.	Will the Insurance Expense Exhibit be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by April 1?	YES
6.	Will the Management's Discussion and Analysis be filed by April 1?	YES
7.	Will the Supplemental Investment Risks Interrogatories be filed by April 1?	YES
MAY FILING		
8.	Will this company be included in a combined annual statement that is filed with the NAIC by May 1?	YES
JUNE FILING		
9.	Will an audited financial report be filed by June 1?	YES
10.	Will Accountants Letter of Qualifications be filed with the state of domicile and electronically with the NAIC by June 1?	YES
AUGUST FILING		
11.	Will the regulator-only (non-public) Communication of Internal Control Related Matters Noted in Audit be filed with the state of domicile and electronically with the NAIC (as a regulator-only non-public document) by August 1?	YES

The following supplemental reports are required to be filed as part of your statement filing. However, in the event that your company does not transact the type of business for which the special report must be filed, your response of NO to the specific interrogatory will be accepted in lieu of filing a "NONE" report and a bar code will be printed below. If the supplement is required of your company but is not being filed for whatever reason, enter SEE EXPLANATION and provide an explanation following the interrogatory questions.

MARCH FILING		
12.	Will Schedule SIS (Stockholder Information Supplement) be filed with the state of domicile by March 1?	NO
13.	Will the Financial Guaranty Insurance Exhibit be filed by March 1?	NO
14.	Will the Medicare Supplement Insurance Experience Exhibit be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by March 1?	NO
15.	Will Supplement A to Schedule T (Medical Professional Liability Supplement) be filed by March 1?	YES
16.	Will the Trusteed Surplus Statement be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by March 1?	NO
17.	Will the Premiums Attributed to Protected Cells Exhibit be filed by March 1?	NO
18.	Will the Reinsurance Summary Supplemental Filing for General Interrogatory 9 be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by March 1?	NO
19.	Will the Medicare Part D Coverage Supplement be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by March 1?	NO
20.	Will the confidential Actuarial Opinion Summary be filed with the state of domicile, if required, by March 15 (or the date otherwise specified)?	YES
21.	Will the Reinsurance Attestation Supplement be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by March 1?	NO
22.	Will the Exceptions to the Reinsurance Attestation Supplement be filed with the state of domicile by March 1?	NO
23.	Will the Bail Bond Supplement be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by March 1?	NO
24.	Will the Director and Officer Insurance Coverage Supplement be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by March 1?	YES
25.	Will an approval from the reporting entity's state of domicile for relief related to the five-year rotation requirement for lead audit partner be filed electronically with the NAIC by March 1?	NO
26.	Will an approval from the reporting entity's state of domicile for relief related to the one-year cooling off period for independent CPA be filed electronically with the NAIC by March 1?	NO
27.	Will an approval from the reporting entity's state of domicile for relief related to the Requirements for Audit Committees be filed electronically with the NAIC by March 1?	NO
28.	Will the Supplemental Schedule for Reinsurance Counterparty Reporting Exception - Asbestos and Pollution Contracts be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by March 1?	NO
APRIL FILING		
29.	Will the Credit Insurance Experience Exhibit be filed with state of domicile and the NAIC by April 1?	NO
30.	Will the Long-Term Care Experience Reporting Forms be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by April 1?	NO
31.	Will the Accident and Health Policy Experience Exhibit be filed by April 1?	NO
32.	Will the Supplemental Health Care Exhibit (Parts 1, 2 and 3) be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by April 1?	NO
33.	Will the regulator-only (non-public) Supplemental Health Care Exhibit's Expense Allocation Report be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by April 1?	NO
34.	Will the Cybersecurity and Identity Theft Insurance Coverage Supplement be filed with the state of domicile and the NAIC by April 1?	YES
AUGUST FILING		
35.	Will Management's Report of Internal Control Over Financial Reporting be filed with the state of domicile by August 1?	YES

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