STATE OF ARIZONA

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DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

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In the Matter of the Surrender of the Certificate of Authority of)	Docket No.	97A-003-INS
FRONT ROYAL INSURANCE)))	ORDER	
Petitioner.))		
	Surrender of the Certificate of Authority of FRONT ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY (NAIC No. 34380),	Surrender of the Certificate) of Authority of) FRONT ROYAL INSURANCE) COMPANY (NAIC No. 34380),)	Surrender of the Certificate) Docket No. of Authority of) FRONT ROYAL INSURANCE) ORDER COMPANY (NAIC No. 34380),)

Based upon reliable evidence provided to the Director of Insurance by the Assistant Director of the Corporate and Financial Affairs Division of the Department of Insurance, the Director finds as follows:

- 1. Petitioner, Front Royal Insurance Company, NAIC No. 34380, is a foreign insurer domiciled in Virginia.

 Petitioner received its certificate of authority to transact property and casualty insurance in Arizona on June 28, 1990.
- 2. Effective December 30, 1994, Petitioner, the non-surviving entity, merged into Colony Insurance Company ("Colony"), the surviving entity, a foreign insurer domiciled in Virginia. Petitioner has voluntarily surrendered its certificate of authority to the Director.
- 3. On December 29, 1994, the Insurance Commissioner of Virginia approved the merger of Petitioner into Colony.
- 4. Petitioner has no obligations under any policy of insurance to any policyholders or claimants who are residents of Arizona.

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