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Ms. Rita Stewart Division of Emergency Management and Homeland Security 25 Sigourney Street, 6th Floor Hartford, CT 06106-5042

Re: CBA Disaster Insurance Hotline

Dear Rita:

I am writing to advise you that the Connecticut Bar Association has established a free emergency hotline service to provide insurance advice on a pro bono basis to disaster victims in Connecticut.

It is staffed by members of the Connecticut Bar knowledgeable in insurance matters. As an initial matter, calls or email inquiries will be answered by CBA staff and then referred to attorney volunteers. These inquiries can be made at any time and the CBA will attempt to have an attorney respond within 24 hours.

The call-in number is **866-209-5099** and the email address is **Hotline@ctbar.org**.

We would appreciate it if you would include this contact information in your information materials. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

We look forward to working with you to help our citizens in time of need.

Sincerely yours

Norman K. Janes

Interim Executive Director