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RE: Communication from attorney Werner Erich Scherr On behalf of Progressive Insurance Company and

> Brian D. Johnson C.I. File No. 05-V-100

Dear Mr. Scherr:

We have received your client's claims in the amount of \$50,000.00, relating to property damage and injuries sustained on May 25, 2006 when his vehicle collided with a City of Milwaukee garbage truck at South 35th Street and West Mitchell Street.

Enclosed is a copy of a letter dated August 16, 2005 to your client's insurance company. The City of Milwaukee denied liability of the reasons noted in the letter. Therefore, we are denying your client's claim for the same reasons. As noted in our denial letter, you may appeal our decision by sending a letter within 21 days of the date of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202, requesting a hearing.

Very truly yours,

Steven m. Carini

STEVEN M. CARINI Investigator/Adjuster

SMC:beg Enclosure

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