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October 27, 2022

Jim Paugh Arch Reinsurance Ltd. Waterloo House, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor 100 Pitts Bay Road Pembroke, HM 08, Bermuda

**RE:** Arch Reinsurance Ltd. ("Company")

Request for Deferral of Certified Reinsurer Funding for Liabilities Relating to Hurricane Ian

Dear Mr. Paugh,

The Florida Office of Insurance Regulation ("Office") has reviewed the Company's request to defer funding for short-tail line liabilities relating to Hurricane Ian for a period of one year from September 28, 2022 pursuant to Rule 69O-144.007(4), Florida Administrative Code.

The deferral of collateral funding frees up the cash of the Company so that the Company will be able to pay insurance companies in a timely manner, which allows the insurance companies to pay policyholder claims in a timely manner. The Office hereby approves the Company's request to defer collateral required to be posted from the date of first instance of a liability reserve entry for short-tailed line of business liabilities, as defined in Rule 69O-144.007(4), Florida Administrative Code, related to Hurricane Ian for one year.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this approval, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Ainsley Hurley

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Financial Examiner / Analyst Supervisor