Message From: Rodric Williams [/O=MMS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RODRIC WILLIAMSE9C114F4-B03F-4595-B082-CE89BE5C79D47B] Sent: 28/02/2014 12:06:51 To: Parsons, Andrew GRO Subject: FW: Post Office Limited - Commercially sensitive and legally privileged From: Mark.Hicks **GRO** Sent: 03 September 2013 07:20 To: Rodric Williams Cc: Charles Colquhoun Subject: RE: Post Office Limited - Commercially sensitive and legally privileged Hello Rodric I can confirm that this matter has now been formally notified to QBE, your liability insurers. I am meeting with QBE tomorrow to discuss renewal and will feedback any comments or questions. Thank you for your help Kind regards Mark From: Rodric Williams **GRO** Sent: 02 September 2013 18:47 To: Mark Hicks **Cc:** Charles Colguhoun [Post Office Limited] Subject: RE: Post Office Limited - Commercially sensitive and legally privileged Thanks Mark. Please go ahead and notify the general liability insurers. Kind regards, Rodric Rodric Williams I Litigation Lawyer 148 Old Street, LONDON, EC1V 9HQ Postline:

From: Mark.Hicks GRO

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Sent: 02 September 2013 14:42

To: Rodric Williams

Cc: Charles Colquhoun

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Hello Rodric

I trust you had a good weekend.

I am not sure if this was discussed with the lawyers however we think that it might be prudent to advise your general liability Insurers QBE of this.

For no other reason than if anyone should submit a claim for stress, this could be seen as an "injury to a third party" and thus could be a claim under your Public Liability policy

It is fairly remote but by advising QBE, then they will at least not be able to decline indemnification to PO through nondisclosure or late notification.

We would of course reiterate to QBE that no claims are envisaged.

I would be grateful for your thoughts/Instructions please

Kind regards

Mark H

From: Rodric Williams GRO

**Sent:** 30 August 2013 17:34 **To:** Richard Watts; Mark Hicks

**Cc:** Charles Colquhoun [Post Office Limited]

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Richard,

Please provide the brokers with notice of potential claims.

With thanks for your assistance, Rodric

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From: richard.watts GRO

Sent: 28 August 2013 17:44

To: Rodric Williams; Mark.Hicks GRO

Cc: Charles Colquhoun

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Hi Roderic,

Many thanks for this.

As you correctly point out, we are not the current brokers, but I am more than happy to pass this over to them for you. Before I do, I just need to check that you are happy that we notify this to them as a potential claim rather than just for information.

Sorry if it seems a bit of an odd question,

Kind regards

Richard

From: Rodric Williams GRO

**Sent:** 28 August 2013 16:19 **To:** Mark Hicks; Richard Watts

Cc: Charles Colquhoun [Post Office Limited]

Subject: Post Office Limited - Commercially sensitive and legally privileged

Mark, Richard,

Please find attached a note from our solicitors outlining the risks presented by the recent investigation into the "Horizon" IT system used in Post Office branches. Can you please share this with our insurers so that they are aware of the circumstances which could potentially give rise to claims against the policies we have with them, preserving so far as possible the legal privilege attaching to the note.

I note that you are not our brokers for our D&O insurance. Can you please let us know how we should provide this information to that broker if you are not able to do it for us.

Thank you for your assistance, Rodric

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