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BEFORE THE STATE OF WASHINGTON  
OFFICE OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

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In the Matters of:

**BENEFIT MARKETING SOLUTIONS,  
LLC, and BENEFIT SERVICES  
ASSOCIATION  
and  
RENT-A-CENTER, INC. and  
RENT-A-CENTER WEST, INC.**

No. 14-0081

No. 14-0082

ORDER ON MOTION FOR  
RECONSIDERATION

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This case comes before me on the Motion for Reconsideration brought by Rent-a-Center Inc., Rent-a-Center West, Inc., Benefit Marketing Solutions, LLC, and Benefit Services Association ("Respondents"), dated February 12, 2015.

Following an evidentiary hearing in this matter on January 12, 2015, I entered Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Final Order, filed February 2, 2015.

RCW 34.05.470(1) provides that within ten days of the service of a final order, any party may file a petition for reconsideration, stating the specific grounds upon which relief is requested.

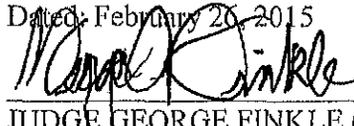
Respondents timely filed a Motion for Reconsideration, dated February 12, 2015, stating the specific grounds upon which they requested relief, in compliance with RCW 34.05.470(1). The OIC filed a Response to such Motion, dated February 20, 2015. Respondents filed a Reply to OIC's Response, dated February 25, 2015.

I have considered the Respondents' Motion for Reconsideration on its merits and dispose of it pursuant to RCW 34.05.470(4).

Respondents' Motion for Reconsideration is denied.

Assuming *arguendo* that only the AD&D coverage and non-vehicle service contract were at issue in the hearing -- and not the waivers -- I would not strike or modify the relief granted in the February 2, 2015, Order.

Dated: February 26, 2015

  
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JUDGE GEORGE FINKLE (Ret.)  
Presiding Officer

This order may be appealed to Superior Court by, within 30 days after date of service (date of mailing) of this order, 1) filing a petition in the Superior Court, at the petitioner's option, for (a) Thurston County or (b) the county of the petitioner's residence or principal place of business; and 2) delivery of a copy of the petition to the Office of the Insurance Commissioner; and 3) depositing copies of the petition upon all other parties of record and the Office of the Attorney General.

Declaration of Mailing

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that on the date listed below, I mailed or caused delivery through normal office mailing custom, a true copy of this document to the following people at their addresses listed above: Gulliver A. Swenson, Mike Kreidler, James T. Odiorne, J.D., CPA, John F. Hamje, Marcia G. Stickler, and AnnaLisa Gellermann.

DATED this 26<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2015.

  
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KELLY A. CAIRNS