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January 23, 2015

Ms. Nitasha Bansal  
Liberty Mutual Insurance Company  
399 Campus Drive  
Somerset, New Jersey 08873

Re: Mark Cava  
Claim No.: 2116264303  
Date of Incident: 11/18/11

Dear Ms. Bansal:

Below is an addendum as requested on the examinee, Mark Cava, for my independent medical evaluation done on 9/9/14.

Review of Records

I reviewed the following records:

1. Submitted to my additional review were records from Bergen Pain Management, Dr. Thomas Ragukonis, from 10/16/14.
2. Also submitted to my review were notes of Dr. Sammy Masri from date of 12/5/14 and from the date of 12/29/14 as well as electrodiagnostic testing from the date of 12/15/14.

Conclusion and Summary

Based upon the additional information submitted to review, the opinion in my independent medical evaluation from 9/9/14 remains unchanged. It has been noted that in my review of the MRI of the lumbar spine from 1/14/12, there was no disc herniation noted.

It should also be noted that in my review of the recently submitted electrodiagnostic testing of 12/15/14 that the examinee had normal electrophysiological study and no evidence to suggest radiculopathy, peripheral neuropathy, myopathy, or plexopathy.

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Again, based upon the additional records submitted to my review, the opinion in my independent medical evaluation remains unchanged that the examinee just sustained sprains to cervical and lumbosacral spines and has no permanency as a result of the injury sustained from the motor vehicle accident of 11/18/11. Again, the electrophysiological testing was normal.

The above opinions are expressed within a reasonable degree of medical probability and certainty.

I, Jeffrey F. Lakin, declare that the information contained within this document was prepared and is the work product of the undersigned and is true to the best of my knowledge and information. As is customary, I am being paid for my time examining the examinee and reviewing the medical records when provided to me in preparation of this report, as well as for any future services, which may be required such as review of additional records, and/or future legal services referable to the above case.

If I can be of further assistance to you regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeffrey F. Lakin M.D.", written in a cursive style.

/s/ JEFFREY F. LAKIN, M.D.

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