



W. R. Berkley Corporation Names Sandra C. Nelson President of Monitor Liability Managers, LLC

GREENWICH, Conn., Sep 16, 2009 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- **W. R. Berkley Corporation (NYSE: WRB)** today announced that Sandra C. Nelson has been named president of Monitor Liability Managers, LLC. The appointment is effective immediately.

Ms. Nelson most recently served as Monitor's executive vice president, and has been with Monitor since its founding in 1992. She earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in History and Economics from the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire.

Monitor Liability Managers, LLC is an underwriting management company specializing in professional and executive liability insurance. Monitor distributes its products to the marketplace through appointed and licensed independent agents and brokers on a nationwide basis with a focus on small to middle market companies.

William R. Berkley, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of W. R. Berkley Corporation, said: "Sandy has been a tremendous asset to Monitor. She has had duties including overseeing all of Monitor's underwriting, administrative, producer development, product development and regulatory compliance operations. We are highly confident in her ability to assume full responsibility for Monitor's operations."

Founded in 1967, W. R. Berkley Corporation is an insurance holding company that is among the largest commercial lines writers in the United States and operates in five segments of the property casualty insurance business: specialty insurance, regional property casualty insurance, alternative markets, reinsurance, and international.

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