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REX FRAZIER NAMED VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL COUNSEL FOR THE PERSONAL INSURANCE FEDERATION OF CALIFORNIA

SACRAMENTO, CA. – (April 5, 2005). Dan Dunmoyer, president of the Personal Insurance Federation of California (PIFC) announced today that Rex Frazier, former California Deputy Insurance Commissioner for Policy and Research and Chief of the Legislative Bureau, has joined PIFC as Vice President and General Counsel effective immediately.

“Mr. Frazier left the California Department of Insurance (CDI) in 1999 to join the Pillsbury Winthrop LLP law firm in Los Angeles,” Mr. Dunmoyer said. “His insurance and regulatory background combined with his experience as an attorney are elements that will make him a superb advocate for PIFC legislative, legal and regulatory efforts.”

As an attorney for Pillsbury Winthrop LLP, Mr. Frazier provided regulatory advice and legal assistance to insurance companies and producers, banks, money transmitters and finance lenders. As Deputy Insurance Commissioner for Policy and Research and Legislative Bureau Chief from 1994 to 1999, he negotiated CDI’s budget before the California Legislature, managed the Statistical Analysis Bureau and the Policy Research Bureau and was responsible for developing CDI positions on legislation.

PIFC Board Chairman Wayne Wilson, Vice President, Government Affairs, Farmers Insurance Group, noted that Mr. Frazier will be a valuable addition to PIFC’s efforts to work closely with the Legislature and CDI to assure that clear legal and policy input can be provided on issues that impact insurers and their customers. “The PIFC Board welcomes Mr. Frazier to the team. His experience and leadership will be invaluable as he joins the PIFC staff to work on the myriad personal lines insurance issues before the Legislature, California Earthquake Authority (CEA), CDI and the legal system of our state.”

Mr. Frazier received a J.D. Degree from McGeorge School of Law in 1999; a Master of Public Policy Degree from the University of Chicago in 1992 and a B.A. in Public Policy from the University of Chicago in 1991.