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## BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY SPECIALTY INSURANCE APPOINTS PAUL EMERSON TO LEAD CUSTOMER & BROKER ENGAGEMENT IN CANADA

BOSTON, TORONTO, June 5, 2023 – Berkshire Hathaway Specialty Insurance (BHSI) today announced that Paul Emerson is assuming the additional role of Head of Customer & Broker Engagement in Canada. He is currently Senior Vice President, Head of Third-Party Claims, Canada, and will retain that role as well.

"We are excited to expand our Customer & Broker Engagement team in Canada as we continue to grow our presence and deepen relationships said Lori Spoon, Head of Customer & Broker Engagement, BHSI. "Leading our third-party claims team in Canada, Paul has worked closely with teams across our business and been pivotal in deploying our CLAIMS IS OUR PRODUCT philosophy to strengthen our customer and broker relationships. This expanded role is a natural extension of this success."

Paul joined BHSI in 2015 as Vice President, Liability Claims, and was later promoted to lead third-party claims in Canada. During his more than 20-year career, he was also a practicing attorney specializing in liability defense litigation.

In his dual roles, Paul will report to Robert Romeo, Head of Claims, North America, while working closely with Lori Spoon and the global Customer and Broker Engagement team. He continues to be based in Toronto.

"Paul has an excellent record of building and leading our Canadian claims operation and an outstanding talent for fortifying relationships through thoughtful claims resolutions," said Robert Romeo. "His proven expertise and relationship-building success make him an excellent choice to further elevate our engagement with customers and brokers across Canada."

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