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## **Berkley Accident and Health Appoints Sean Murphy as Chief Financial Officer**

October 29, 2013 – Hamilton Square, New Jersey – Berkley Accident and Health announces the appointment of Sean F. Murphy, CPA as Chief Financial Officer. In this new position at Berkley Accident and Health, Sean will direct the financial analysis of the company's existing business segments, as well as evaluate new business opportunities.

"Sean brings tremendous ability and expertise to this position," said Christopher Brown, President and CEO of Berkley Accident and Health. "We are excited to have him join our team. Sean is an expert in business analytics and performance reporting. His background will help to strengthen Berkley Accident and Health's capabilities as a risk management company by enhancing our ability to deliver in-depth plan performance data to our clients."

A finance veteran, Sean brings 25 years of experience in finance and insurance to his new role. Prior to joining Berkley, Sean held senior executive-level finance positions at a personal lines insurance carrier and a reinsurance group. Sean started his career with PricewaterhouseCoopers, working as a senior audit manager in their New York City and Dublin offices. Sean is a graduate of Bryant University.

## **About Berkley Accident and Health**

Berkley Accident and Health is a member company of W. R. Berkley Corporation, a Fortune 500 company. Berkley Accident and Health provides an innovative portfolio of accident and health insurance products. It offers four categories of products: Employer Stop Loss, Group Captive, Managed Care (including HMO reinsurance and provider excess), and Specialty Accident. The company underwrites stop loss coverage through Berkley Life and Health Insurance Company, which is rated A+ (Superior) by A.M. Best Company, Inc.

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