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RISK AND SOCIETY

LARGE INDUSTRIAL RISKS, CATASTROPHES

AND ENVIRONMENTAL THREATS, DEFINING

INSURABILITY, THE ROLE OF PRIVATE

INSURANCE INDUSTRY AND THE STATE

THE SPANISH "CONSORCIO" AND CATASTROPHIC RISKS

- a) COMPULSORY INSURANCE BASIS
- b) SPECIAL REGULATIONS
- c) LOCAL INSURERS PARTICIPATION
- d) FURTHER TECHNICAL STUDIES
- e) SPECIAL CONSIDERATION FOR LARGE INDUSTRIAL RISKS
- f) INTERNATIONAL REINSURERS PARTICIPATION

CATASTROPHIC AND POLITICAL RISKS IN SPAIN

(1971 - 1991)

a) PREMIUM INCOME: 2,640 Mio US \$

b) LOSS RATIO: 98.1 %

c) LOSS DISTRIBUTION:

. FLOOD 67.5 %

. STORMS 20.1 %

. TERRORISM 7.9 %

. OTHERS 4.5 %

100 %

d) YEARLY LOSS RATIO DISTRIBUTION (1971-1991)

586 % - 22 % - 2 % - 0 % - 2 % - 15 % - 84 %

38 % - 29 % - 60% - 41% - 248 % - 569 % - 23 %

19 % - 48 % - 186% - 60% - 127 % - 19 % - 21 %

LATIN AMERICA SITUATION IN CATASTROPHIC RISKS

- a) RISKS AWARENESS
- b) PROTECTION MEASURES
- c) RISK REDUCTION
- d) COMPULSORY RISK FINANCING PROGRAM
- e) SUPRANATIONAL PLANS
- f) GENERAL COOPERATION AMONGST PROGRAMS

ENVIRONMENTAL AND LARGE INDUSTRIAL RISKS

- a) NEW ROLES FOR INSURERS AND INSUREDS
- b) RISK MANAGEMENT SERVICES
- c) NEW RISK FINANCING METHODS
- d) POLLUTION POOLS AND ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT
- e) INSURANCE COOPERATION