Regular Session, 2011

HOUSE BILL NO. 107

BY REPRESENTATIVES TALBOT, BILLIOT, CONNICK, HENRY, LABRUZZO, LIGI, LOPINTO, TEMPLET, AND WILLMOTT AND SENATORS APPEL, MARTINY, MORRELL, AND QUINN

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1923 (introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 22:1923 (1)(j),
3	relative to fraudulent insurance acts; to define certain activity toward a self-insured
4	governmental entity that maintains a self-insured loss fund or risk pool as such an
5	act; and to provide for related matters.
6	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
7	Section 1. R.S. 22:1923(introductory paragraph) is hereby amended and reenacted
8	and R.S. 22:1923(l)(j) is hereby enacted to read as follows:
9	§1923. Definitions
10	As used in this Part, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated
11	herein: in this Section:
12	(1) "Fraudulent insurance act" shall include but not be limited to acts or
13	omissions committed by any person who, knowingly and with intent to defraud:
14	* * *
15	(j) Presents, causes to be presented, or prepares with the knowledge or belief
16	that it will be presented to a self-insured governmental entity any oral or written
17	statement which he knows to contain materially false information as part of, in
18	support of, denial of, or concerning any fact material to or conceals any information
19	concerning any fact material to any claim for payment under such self-insured
20	governmental entity's loss fund or risk pool. For the purposes of this Subparagraph.
21	"self-insured governmental entity" shall mean any agency of the state, political

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1	subdivision of the state, or agency thereof, or consortium of governmental entities
2	that maintains a self-insured loss fund or risk pool.
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4	Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
5	signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
6	by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
7	vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
8	effective on the day following such approval.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____