

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2015 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 216 by Senator Morrish

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 22:3," delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

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4 "31(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B), 32(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (B),  
5 33(A)(introductory paragraph), and 2058(B)(6) and R.S."

6 AMENDMENT NO. 2

7 On page 1, line 3, after "696(A)," change "(B)(1)(a) and (b)" to "(B)(1)(b)"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 On page 1, at the end of line 4, delete "R.S. 22:31(6), 32(D)" and at the beginning of line 5,  
10 delete "and (E)" and insert "R.S. 22:31(A)(6), 32(C) and (D),"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 4

12 On page 1, at the end of line 5, delete the semicolon ";" and insert "and related entities;"

13 AMENDMENT NO. 5

14 On page 1, line 7, after "of" change "minority affairs" to "diversity and opportunity"

15 AMENDMENT NO. 6

16 On page 1, line 10, after "advocacy" delete the semicolon ";" and insert "and diversity; to  
17 provide with respect to the transfer of certain funds;"

18 AMENDMENT NO. 7

19 On page 1, line 12, after "R.S. 22:3," delete the remainder of the line and insert the  
20 following:

21 "31(A)(introductory paragraph) and (B), 32(A)(1)(introductory paragraph) and (B),  
22 33(A)(introductory paragraph), and 2058(B)(6) are"

23 AMENDMENT NO. 8

24 On page 2, line 2, after "advocacy" delete the comma "," and insert "**and diversity,**"

25 AMENDMENT NO. 9

26 On page 2, line 4, after "public affairs," insert "division of **diversity and opportunity,**"

27 AMENDMENT NO. 10

28 On page 2, delete line 10 in its entirety and insert the following:

29 "A. There is hereby created within the Department of Insurance a division  
30 of ~~minority affairs~~ **diversity and opportunity** which shall have the following  
31 functions and duties:

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B. The division of ~~minority affairs~~ **diversity and opportunity** may conduct a survey of insurance companies doing business in Louisiana in order to seek information and data relative to the policies and practices of hiring of and contracting with minorities. The survey, data, and responses thereto shall not be a public record as defined by the Public Records Law and shall be exempt from disclosure, except such exemption shall not apply with respect to the aggregated number of minorities hired and the positions for which they were hired."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, delete lines 25 through 29 in their entirety and insert the following:

"A.(1) There is hereby created within the Department of Insurance, in the division of ~~minority affairs~~, **diversity and opportunity**, the Advisory Committee on Equal Opportunity. The committee shall be composed of twenty-five members. Twenty-four members shall be appointed by the governor and shall serve at his pleasure. The deputy commissioner of ~~minority affairs~~ **diversity and opportunity** shall serve ex officio as the twenty-fifth member. Five members shall be appointed from a list of nominees submitted by the Louisiana chapter of The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, the Urban League of Greater New Orleans, Inc., the Baton Rouge chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, the Monroe chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and the Shreveport chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Two members shall be appointed from a list of nominees submitted by the deans of the business schools of Dillard University, Xavier University, Southern University, and Grambling University. Seventeen members shall be appointed from a list of nominees, one nominee to be submitted by each of the following associations or groups:

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B. The committee shall assist the commissioner of insurance and the division of ~~minority affairs~~ **diversity and opportunity** in establishing educational and informational services to foster a greater awareness of the opportunities available in the insurance industry and of the skills, training, and education necessary to prepare for opportunities in employment, appointment as producers, and contracting for services with insurance companies transacting business in Louisiana. The commissioner of insurance shall promulgate rules and regulations to implement this Subpart.

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AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, delete lines 1 through 8 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 3, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"§2058. Powers and duties of the association

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B. The association may:

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(6)(a) Refund to the member insurers in proportion to the contribution of each member insurer to the association that amount by which the assets of the association exceed the liabilities, if, at the end of any calendar year, the board of directors finds that the assets of the association exceed the liabilities of the association as estimated by the board of directors for the coming year.

