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DIGEST

<u>Present law</u> defines "hurricane", "named storm" and "separate deductible". Provides that for all homeowners' insurance policies or other policies insuring a one- or two-family occupied premises for fire and allied lines, any separate deductible that applies in place of any other deductible to loss or damage resulting from a named storm or hurricane shall be applied on an annual basis to all named-storm or hurricane losses that are subject to the separate deductible during the calendar year.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and requires an insurer who applies a separate deductible other than a hurricane deductible to offer the policyholder a discount of a specific dollar amount in the annual premium.

Effective August 1, 2013.

(Amends R.S. 22:1337(B))