AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:984, relative to the identification of a health benefit plan insurer and sponsor; to require that dental benefit plan documentation identify the plan's insurer; to require information on the face of the identification documentation regarding the level of insurance coverage; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 22:984 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§984. Identification of health benefit plan insurer and sponsor

A. Every health insurer authorized to write health and accident policies of insurance in this state, or dental plans issued in this state or issued for delivery in this state, including plans described pursuant to Subpart G of this Part, who issues an identification card, membership card, insurance coverage card, or other documentation of coverage to any policyholder or health plan participant shall, in issuing such card or cards, satisfy the requirements of this Section.

B. No health insurer acting as the administrator for a health benefit plan which plan is not fully insured shall issue any identification card, membership card, insurance coverage card, or other documentation of coverage on which the name of the health insurer is prominently displayed on the face of such the card or documentation. The name of the health benefit plan's sponsor shall be prominently displayed on the face of such the card or documentation with an annotation that the plan's benefits are being administered by the health insurer.

CODING: Words in struck through type are deletions from existing law; words underscored are additions.
C. Every identification card, membership card, insurance coverage card, or other documentation of coverage issued to any policyholder or health plan participant by a health insurer for a plan that is fully insured shall include the phrase "Non-ERISA" prominently displayed on its face.

D. The commissioner may promulgate rules and regulations implementing the provisions of this Section.

Section 2. This Act shall become effective on January 1, 2018.