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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47

BY REPRESENTATIVES TALBOT, ANDERS, GLOVER, AND THIBAUT

INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE: Requests the Department of Insurance to assemble a task force to address the high automobile insurance rates in the state

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2	To urge and request the Department of Insurance to assemble a task force to address the high
3	automobile insurance rates in the state.
4	WHEREAS, Louisiana is the second most expensive state for automobile insurance
5	in the nation; and
6	WHEREAS, in the past two years, five companies have left the state due to the
7	unprofitability of the automobile insurance industry; and
8	WHEREAS, fourteen percent of Louisiana drivers do not have insurance and forty
9	percent of drivers have only the bare minimum policy; and
10	WHEREAS, major metropolitan areas, such as New Orleans and Baton Rouge, have
11	considerably higher automobile insurance rates than other less populated areas in the state.
12	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
13	urge and request the Department of Insurance to assemble a task force to address the high
14	automobile insurance rates in the state and submit a report with findings and
15	recommendations to the Senate and House committees on insurance by March 1, 2019.
16	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
17	Department of Insurance.

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