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<u>Present law</u> requires an insurer to notify the commissioner of insurance when the insurer is going to cease writing coverage in the state.

Proposed law retains present law.

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<u>Proposed law</u> requires an authorized insurer writing property and casualty insurance to provide the commissioner notice 30 days prior to its ceasing writing or resuming writing coverage in a parish, zip code, or region of the state.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that an authorized insurer who fails to provide the required notice may be fined up to \$1,000 for each day the insurer fails to provide the required notice.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the required notices are not public records and are exempt from disclosure under the Public Records Law.

Effective January 1, 2026.

(Amends R.S. 44:4.1(B)(11); adds R.S. 22:1276)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to the original bill

1. Makes a technical change.