## **DIGEST**

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St. Germain HB No. 625

**Abstract:** Incrementally increases the portion of the assessment paid by insures that will be allocated to the Municipal Fire and Police Civil Service Operating Fund.

<u>Present law</u> requires the commissioner of insurance to levy an assessment, in an amount proportionate to the amount of premiums collected in a particular year, against certain insurers in the state. Further makes provisions for the amounts to be dedicated to the Municipal Fire and Police Civil Service Operating Fund.

<u>Proposed law</u> increases the amount dedicated to the Municipal Fire and Police Civil Service Operating Fund <u>from</u> two and one-fourth hundredths of 1% of the gross direct premiums received in the year 1998; two and thirty-seven hundredths of 1% of the direct gross premiums received in the year 2001; and two and one-half hundredths of 1% of the direct gross premium received in the year 2003 and each following year, <u>to</u> two and three-fourths hundredths of 1% of the premium received in 2011; two and eighty-eight hundredths of 1% of the premiums received in the year 2014; and three hundredths of 1% of the premium received in the year 2016 and each of the following years.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the commissioner of insurance shall deposit the amounts to be dedicated with the state treasurer.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that such deposit shall be subject to the approval of the commissioner of administration.

Effective on July 1, 2012.

(Amends R.S. 22:1476(A)(2))

## Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Appropriations</u> to the <u>original</u> bill.

1. Requires approval by the commissioner of administration of the deposit into the Municipal Fire and Police Civil Service Operating Fund.