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2   An act relating to insurance; amending s.
3   626.2815, F.S.; allowing certain interactive,
4   on-line continuing education courses to use
5   unmonitored testing; providing an effective
6   date.
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8   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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10   Section 1. Paragraph (j) of subsection (4) of section
11 626.2815, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
12   626.2815 Continuing education required; application;
13 exceptions; requirements; penalties.--
14   (4) The following courses may be completed in order to
15 meet the continuing education course requirements:
16   (j) Any course, including courses relating to agency
17 management or errors and omissions, developed or sponsored by
18 any authorized insurer or recognized agents' association or
19 insurance trade association or any independent study program
20 of instruction, subject to approval by the department,
21 qualifies for the equivalency of the number of classroom hours
22 assigned thereto by the department. However, unless otherwise
23 provided in this section, continuing education hours may not
24 be credited toward meeting the requirements of this section
25 unless the course is provided by classroom instruction or
26 results in a monitored examination. A monitored examination is
27 not required for an independent study program of instruction
28 that is presented through interactive, on-line technology that
29 the department determines has sufficient internal testing to
30 validate the student's full comprehension of the materials
31 presented.

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CODING: Words ~~stricken~~ are deletions; words <u>underlined</u> are additions.

1   Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2000.
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