

Amendment No. ____ (for drafter's use only)

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Representative(s) Farkas offered the following:

Amendment to Amendment (570369) (with title amendment)

On page 109, line 16 through 26,
remove: all of said lines

and insert:

(10)(a)1. An application to form a self-insurance fund under this section must be filed with the department before October 1, 2002. All self-insurance funds authorized under this paragraph must apply for a certificate of authority to become an authorized insurer by October 1, 2006. Any such fund failing to obtain a certificate of authority as an authorized insurer within 1 year of the date of application therefore shall wind down its affair and shall not issue coverage after the expiration of the 1-year period.

2. Any self insurance fund established pursuant to this section after April 1, 2002, shall also comply with ss. 624.460-624.489, notwithstanding s. 624.462(2)(a). In the event of a conflict between the provisions of this section and ss. 624.460-624.489, the latter sections shall govern. With

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1 respect to those sections, provisions solely applicable to
2 workers' compensation and employers liability insurance shall
3 not apply to medical malpractice funds.~~A self insurance may~~
4 ~~not be formed under this section after October 1, 1992.~~

5 Section 106. Subsection (7) of section 631.54, Florida
6 Statutes, is amended to read:

7 631.54 Definitions.--As used in this part:

8 (7) "Member insurer" means any person who writes any
9 kind of insurance to which this part applies under s. 631.52,
10 including the exchange of reciprocal or interinsurance
11 contracts and any medical malpractice self-insurance fund
12 authorized after April 1, 2002 under s. 627.357, and is
13 licensed to transact insurance in this state.

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16 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

17 And the title is amended as follows:

18 On page 126, line 11, of the amendment, after the
19 semicolon, of the amendment

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insert:

22 amending s. 631.54, F.S.; amending definition
23 of member insurer;

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