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By Senator Diaz de la Portilla

36-1013A-03 See HB 721 A bill to be entitled 1 2 An act relating to warranty association regulation; amending ss. 634.031, 634.303, and 3 4 634.403, F.S.; exempting affiliates of insurers 5 from provisions regulating certain warranty 6 associations, under certain circumstances; 7 providing for nonapplication of the exemptions 8 under certain circumstances; providing an 9 effective date. 10 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 11 12 Section 1. Subsection (5) is added to section 634.031, 13 Florida Statutes, to read: 14 634.031 License required.--15 (5) Any person that is an affiliate of a domestic 16 insurer as defined in chapter 624 is exempt from application 17 of this part if the person does not issue, or market or cause 18 19 to be marketed, motor vehicle service agreements to residents 20 of this state and does not administer motor vehicle service 21 agreements that were originally issued to residents of this 22 state. If the department determines, after notice and opportunity for a hearing, that a person's intentional 23 business practices do not comply with any of the exemption 24 requirements of this subsection, the person shall be subject 25 26 to this part. 27 Section 2. Subsection (3) is added to section 634.303, 28 Florida Statutes, to read: 29 634.303 License required.--(3) Any person that is an affiliate of a domestic 30 insurer as defined in chapter 624 is exempt from application 31 1

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1 of this part if the person does not issue, or market or cause to be marketed, home warranties to residents of this state and 2 3 does not administer home warranties that were originally issued to residents of this state. If the department 4 5 determines, after notice and opportunity for a hearing, that a б person's intentional business practices do not comply with any 7 of the exemption requirements of this subsection, the person 8 shall be subject to this part. 9 Section 3. Subsection (4) is added to section 634.403, 10 Florida Statutes, to read: 11 634.403 License required.--(4) Any person that is an affiliate of a domestic 12 insurer as defined in chapter 624 is exempt from application 13 of this part if the person does not issue, or market or cause 14 to be marketed, service warranties to residents of this state 15 and does not administer service warranties that were 16 17 originally issued to residents of this state. If the department determines, after notice and opportunity for a 18 19 hearing, that a person's intentional business practices do not comply with any of the exemption requirements of this 20 subsection, the person shall be subject to this part. 21 22 Section 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a 23 law. 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

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