

By Senator Gaetz

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to insurance; amending s. 624.155,
3 F.S.; providing a legislative finding with respect to
4 the fiduciary duty of an insurer; providing an
5 effective date.

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7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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9 Section 1. Subsection (10) is added to section 624.155,
10 Florida Statutes, to read:

11 624.155 Civil remedy.—

12 (10) The Legislature finds and declares that an insurer has
13 a fiduciary duty to treat those it insures fairly and in good
14 faith.

15 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.