COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE AMENDMENT

Bill No. HB 1053 (2015)

Amendment No. 2

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE	ACTION
ADOPTED	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	(Y/N)
OTHER	

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Insurance & Banking

Subcommittee

Representative Santiago offered the following:

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Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 26 and 27, insert:

Section 1. Paragraph (m) is added to subsection (3) of section 627.311, Florida Statutes, to read:

9 627.311 Joint underwriters and joint reinsurers; public
10 records and public meetings exemptions.-

(3) The office may, after consultation with insurers licensed to write automobile insurance in this state, approve a joint underwriting plan for purposes of equitable apportionment or sharing among insurers of automobile liability insurance and other motor vehicle insurance, as an alternate to the plan required in s. 627.351(1). All insurers authorized to write automobile insurance in this state shall subscribe to the plan

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18 and participate therein. The plan shall be subject to continuous 19 review by the office which may at any time disapprove the entire 20 plan or any part thereof if it determines that conditions have changed since prior approval and that in view of the purposes of 21 22 the plan changes are warranted. Any disapproval by the office 23 shall be subject to the provisions of chapter 120. The Florida 24 Automobile Joint Underwriting Association is created under the 25 plan. The plan and the association:

26 (m) May cancel personal lines or commercial policies 27 issued by the plan within the first 60 days after the effective 28 date of the policy or binder for nonpayment of premium if the reason for cancellation is the issuance of a check for the 29 30 premium that is dishonored for any reason or any other type of premium payment that is rejected or deemed invalid. An insured 31 32 may not cancel a policy or binder within the first 90 days, or 33 within a lesser period as required by the plan, after the 34 effective date of the policy or binder, except: 1. Upon total destruction of the insured motor vehicle; 35 36 2. Upon transfer of ownership of the insured motor 37 vehicle; or 3. After purchase of another policy or binder covering the 38 motor vehicle that was covered under the policy being canceled. 39 40 41 _____ TITLE AMENDMENT 42 43 Between lines 2 and 3, insert:

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44	s. 627.311, F.S.; authorizing a joint underwriting	
45	plan and the Florida Automobile Joint Underwriting	
46	Association to cancel certain insurance policies	
47	within a specified period under certain circumstances;	
48	prohibiting an insured from canceling certain	
49	insurance policies within a specified period;	
50	providing exceptions; amending	
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