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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate Comm: RCS 03/06/2017

The Committee on Banking and Insurance (Farmer) recommended the following:

Senate Substitute for Amendment (592904) (with title amendment)

Delete lines 302 - 362

and insert:

(4) The receiver may petition the receivership court to set a date certain before which all contingent or unliquidated claims are final. In addition to the notice requirements in this section, the receiver shall give notice of filing the petition to all claimants with claims that remain contingent or

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11	unliquidated under this section.
12	(5) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter,
13	the receiver may petition the receivership court to set a date
14	certain after which no further claims may be filed.
15	Section 10. Subsection (5) is added to section 631.192,
16	Florida Statutes, to read:
17	631.192 Allowance of certain claims
18	(5) A claim may not be allowed for postjudgment interest
19	accrued after the date of liquidation.
20	Section 11. Paragraphs (a), (b), and (j) of subsection (1)
21	of section 631.271, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:
22	631.271 Priority of claims
23	(1) The priority of distribution of claims from the
24	insurer's estate shall be in accordance with the order in which
25	each class of claims is set forth in this subsection. Every
26	claim in each class shall be paid in full or adequate funds
27	shall be retained for such payment before the members of the
28	next class may receive any payment. No subclasses may be
29	established within any class. The order of distribution of
30	claims shall be:
31	(a) Class 1
32	1. All of the receiver's costs and expenses of
33	administration.
34	2. All of the expenses of a guaranty association or foreign
35	guaranty association in handling claims.
36	3. All of the deputy supervisor's costs and expenses of
37	administration incurred as a result of administrative
38	supervision under part VI of chapter 624.
39	(b) Class 2.—All claims under policies for losses incurred,

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40 including third-party claims, all claims against the insurer for 41 liability for bodily injury or for injury to or destruction of 42 tangible property which claims are not under policies, and all 43 claims of a quaranty association or foreign quaranty 44 association, and all claims related to a patient's healthcare 45 coverage by physicians, hospitals, and other providers of a health insurer or health maintenance organization. All claims 46 47 under life insurance and annuity policies, whether for death 48 proceeds, annuity proceeds, or investment values, shall be 49 treated as loss claims. That portion of any loss, indemnification for which is provided by other benefits or 50 51 advantages recovered by the claimant, may not be included in 52 this class, other than benefits or advantages recovered or 53 recoverable in discharge of familial obligations of support or 54 by way of succession at death or as proceeds of life insurance, 55 or as gratuities. No payment by an employer to her or his 56 employee may be treated as a gratuity. 57 (j) Class 10.-Interest on allowed claims of Classes 1 58 through 9. The rate of interest payable on an allowed claim must 59 accrue from the date of liquidation until such time as the 60 receivership court approves the distribution. The interest rate 61 must be calculated in accordance 62 63 64 And the title is amended as follows: Delete line 56 65 66 and insert: F.S.; prohibiting claims for postjugdment interest 67 68 accrued after the date of liquidation; amending s.

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