

Amendment No. 9

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WITHDRAWN	_____	(Y/N)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		

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Appropriations Committee
 2 Representative Geller offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 1518 and 1519, insert:

Section 22. Subsection (4) is added to section 626.9201, Florida Statutes, to read:

626.9201 Notice of cancellation or nonrenewal.-

(4) (a) An insurer may not issue a notice of nonrenewal pursuant to this section for residential property insurance coverage as defined by s. 627.4025 for a period of 9 months when, after a loss event:

1. A claimant has provided one of the following to the claimant's insurer:

a. A post-loss communication;

b. A notification of claim; or

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17 c. A proof of loss statement; or

18 2. A claims investigation has not been concluded.

19 (b) Insurers must not issue a notice of nonrenewal once
20 the claimant files a legal complaint and until the final
21 conclusion of the litigation.

22 (c) After the litigation has concluded, the insurer must
23 administratively close the insured's claim within 60 days.

24 Section 23. Subsection (9) is added to section 627.4133,
25 Florida Statutes, to read:

26 627.4133 Notice of cancellation, nonrenewal, or renewal
27 premium.—

28 (9)(a) An insurer may not issue a notice of nonrenewal
29 pursuant to this section for residential property insurance
30 coverage as defined by s. 627.4025 for a period of 9 months
31 when, after a loss event:

32 1. A claimant has filed:

33 a. A post-loss communication;

34 b. A notification of claim; or

35 c. A proof of loss statement; or

36 2. A claims investigation has not been concluded.

37 (b) Insurers must not issue a notice of nonrenewal once
38 the claimant files a legal complaint and until the final
39 conclusion of the litigation.

40 (c) After the litigation has concluded, the insurer must
41 administratively close the insured's claim within 60 days.

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Remove line 158 and insert:
insurer insolvency proceedings; amending s. 626.9201,
F.S.; prohibiting insurers from issuing certain
notices for a specified timeframe in certain
circumstances; requiring insurers to administratively
close claims within a specified timeframe; amending s.
627.4133, F.S.; prohibiting insurers from issuing
certain notices for a specified timeframe in certain
circumstances; requiring insurers to administratively
close claims within a specified timeframe; providing
for