Insurance and Real Estate Committee

MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, March 14, 2019

11:00 AM IN ROOM 2D OF THE LOB

I. CONVENE MEETING

II. REMARKS BY THE CHAIRS

III. BILLS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR ACTION

1. S.B. No. 901 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING RETIREMENT PLANS OFFERED BY POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS OF THIS STATE. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

2. S.B. No. 134 (COMM) AN ACT OPENING THE STATE EMPLOYEE HEALTH PLAN TO SMALL BUSINESS EMPLOYEES. (JFS TO THE FLOOR)

3. H.B. No. 7267 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC OPTIONS FOR HEALTH CARE IN CONNECTICUT. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

4. H.B. No. 7174 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING PRESCRIPTION DRUGS. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

5. S.B. No. 902 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING HIGH DEDUCTIBLE HEALTH PLANS. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

6. S.B. No. 976 (RAISED) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY REIMBURSEMENT RATES PAID BY HEALTH CARRIERS TO HOSPITALS. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

7. S.B. No. 42 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING COINSURANCE, COPAYMENTS AND DEDUCTIBLES AND CONTRACTING BY HEALTH CARRIERS. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

8. S.B. No. 977 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING EXPLANATIONS OF BENEFITS. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

9. H.B. No. 5517 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES AND CONTRACTS THAT INSURE THE LIVES OF CONVICTED FELONS. (JF TO THE FLOOR)
10. **S.B. No. 978** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING TEACHERS’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM CONTRIBUTIONS. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

11. **H.B. No. 7262** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF GENETIC INFORMATION AND TESTING BY LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

12. **H.B. No. 7173** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING CONTRACTS BETWEEN HEALTH INSURERS AND OPTOMETRISTS. **(JFS TO THE FLOOR)**

13. **S.B. No. 908** (RAISED) AN ACT AUTHORIZING FOREIGN BRANCH CAPTIVE INSURANCE COMPANIES. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

14. **H.B. No. 7177** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING SHORT-TERM RENTAL PROPERTIES. **(JFS TO THE FLOOR)**

15. **H.B. No. 7175** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING SURETY BAIL BOND AGENTS. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

16. **H.B. No. 7171** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE ONLINE INSURANCE VERIFICATION SYSTEM AND NOTICES REGARDING PRIVATE PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLE LIABILITY INSURANCE POLICIES. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

17. **S.B. No. 31** (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING SURPRISE MEDICAL BILLS FOR LABORATORY SERVICES. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

18. **S.B. No. 33** (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE OF ORALLY AND INTRAVENOUSLY ADMINISTERED PRESCRIPTION DRUGS. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

19. **S.B. No. 38** (COMM) AN ACT REDUCING THE TIME FRAME FOR URGENT CARE ADVERSE DETERMINATION REVIEW REQUESTS AND EXPEDITED EXTERNAL REVIEWS. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

20. **S.B. No. 975** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING REQUIRED HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR INFERTILITY TREATMENT AND REQUIRING THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER TO STUDY COVERAGE BARRIERS POSED TO INDIVIDUALS WITH IATROGENIC INFERTILITY. **(JFS TO THE FLOOR)**

21. **S.B. No. 979** (RAISED) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THIS STATE AND INSURANCE IN THIS STATE. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

22. **S.B. No. 87** (COMM) AN ACT PROHIBITING DISCRETIONARY CLAUSES IN DISABILITY INCOME INSURANCE POLICIES. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

23. **S.B. No. 317** (COMM) AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CERTAIN SURGICAL PROCEDURES PERFORMED TO TREAT SEVERE OBESITY. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**

24. **S.B. No. 15** (COMM) AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR MOTORIZED WHEELCHAIRS. **(JF TO THE FLOOR)**
25. **S.B. No. 320** (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING REAL ESTATE CLOSINGS AND ATTORNEYS AND LAW FIRMS PREFERRED BY MORTGAGE LENDERS. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

26. **S.B. No. 330** (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING EQUAL ENJOYMENT OF THE HIGHEST ATTAINABLE STANDARD OF HEALTH. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

27. **S.B. No. 903** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING INSURANCE DATA AND INFORMATION SECURITY. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

28. **S.B. No. 904** (RAISED) AN ACT REQUIRING THE COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE SERVICES TO ESTABLISH A FIRST-TIME HOMEBUYER SAVINGS ACCOUNT PROGRAM AND ESTABLISHING A TAX DEDUCTION FOR CONTRIBUTIONS TO FIRST-TIME HOMEBUYER SAVINGS ACCOUNTS. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

29. **S.B. No. 906** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT'S RECOMMENDED CHANGES TO THE INSURANCE STATUTES. (JFS TO THE FLOOR)

30. **S.B. No. 907** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE RESIDENTIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT AND CRUMBLING CONCRETE FOUNDATIONS. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

31. **S.B. No. 909** (RAISED) AN ACT ENABLING PERSONS TO SATISFY THE EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS THROUGH AN ONLINE COURSE OF STUDY. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

32. **S.B. No. 974** (RAISED) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY METHODS OF DEVELOPING, EXPANDING AND IMPROVING THE INSURANCE INDUSTRY WORKFORCE IN THIS STATE. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

33. **S.B. No. 981** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING SELF-SERVICE STORAGE INSURANCE. (JFS TO THE FLOOR)

34. **S.B. No. 982** (RAISED) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

35. **S.B. No. 983** (RAISED) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE CONNECTICUT HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGE. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

36. **H.B. No. 5213** (COMM) AN ACT EXPANDING REQUIRED HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR HEARING AIDS. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

37. **H.B. No. 5270** (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING PEER SUPPORT SPECIALISTS AND REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR OUTPATIENT PEER SUPPORT SERVICES PROVIDED BY CERTIFIED PEER SUPPORT SPECIALISTS. (JFS TO THE FLOOR)
38. **H.B. No. 5425** (COMM) AN ACT REQUIRING HOME IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTORS TO MAINTAIN LIABILITY INSURANCE COVERAGE.  
   *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*

39. **H.B. No. 5521** (COMM) AN ACT EXPANDING REQUIRED HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR PREEXISTING CONDITIONS.  
   *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*

40. **H.B. No. 5627** (COMM) AN ACT EXTENDING THE PERIOD A CHILD, STEPCHILD OR OTHER DEPENDENT CHILD MAY RETAIN DENTAL INSURANCE COVERAGE UNDER A PARENT’S HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY. *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*

41. **H.B. No. 5850** (COMM) AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR THE PURCHASE OF SERVICE ANIMALS.  
   *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*

42. **H.B. No. 6087** (COMM) AN ACT RESTRICTING THE USE OF PRIOR CLAIMS FOR NALOXONE HYDROCHLORIDE. *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*

43. **H.B. No. 6088** (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING CONTRACTING HEALTH ORGANIZATIONS AND DENTISTS, DENTAL PLANS AND PROCEDURES. *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*

44. **H.B. No. 6093** (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE AVAILABILITY OF HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE TO IMMIGRANTS IN THIS STATE. *(JFS TO THE FLOOR)*

45. **H.B. No. 6095** (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING REQUIRED HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR DETOXIFICATION AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES. *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*

46. **H.B. No. 7170** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING PRIVATE PASSENGER NONFLEET AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE POLICY QUOTES. *(JFS TO THE FLOOR)*

47. **H.B. No. 7178** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING DISCLOSURES BY REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS. *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*

48. **H.B. No. 7260** (RAISED) AN ACT EXCLUDING BEER MANUFACTURERS, THEIR EMPLOYEES AND THE DEPENDENTS OF THEIR EMPLOYEES FROM VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE INSURANCE STATUTES CONCERNING SMALL EMPLOYER HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE. *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*

49. **H.B. No. 7261** (RAISED) AN ACT PROHIBITING REQUIREMENTS FOR PRESCRIBING CLINICALLY INAPPROPRIATE QUANTITIES OF OUTPATIENT PSYCHOTROPIC DRUGS. *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*

50. **H.B. No. 7264** (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE PREMIUM RATE INCREASES. *(JF TO THE FLOOR)*
51. H.B. No. 7269 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS’ RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TECHNICAL AND OTHER CHANGES TO THE INSURANCE AND RELATED STATUTES. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

52. H.B. No. 7270 (RAISED) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY HEALTH INSURANCE. (JF TO THE FLOOR)

IV. ANNOUNCEMENT OF TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING

V. ADJOURNMENT