

ACT 214

H.B. NO. 1322

A Bill for an Act Relating to Insurance Licensing.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:*

SECTION 1. Section 431:7-101, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsections (a) and (b) to read as follows:

- “(a) The commissioner shall collect in advance the following fees:
- (1) Certificate of authority: Issuance ..... \$900
  - (2) Organization of domestic insurers and affiliated corporations:
    - (A) Application and all other papers required for issuance  
of solicitation permit, filing ..... \$1,500
    - (B) Issuance of solicitation permit ..... \$150

- (3) Producer's license:
  - (A) Issuance, regular license ..... \$50
  - (B) Issuance, temporary license ..... \$50
- (4) Nonresident producer's license: Issuance ..... \$75
- (5) Independent adjuster's license: Issuance ..... \$75
- (6) Public adjuster's license: Issuance ..... \$75
- (7) Workers' compensation claim adjuster's limited license:
  - Issuance ..... \$75
- (8) Independent bill reviewer's license: Issuance ..... \$80
- (9) Limited producer's license: Issuance ..... \$60
- (10) Managing general agent's license: Issuance ..... \$75
- (11) Reinsurance intermediary's license: Issuance ..... \$75
- (12) Surplus lines broker's license: Issuance ..... \$150
- (13) Service contract provider's registration: Issuance ..... \$75
- (14) Approved course provider certificate: Issuance ..... \$100
- (15) Approved continuing education course certificate: Issuance ..... \$30
- (16) Vehicle protection product warrantor's registration: Issuance ..... \$75
- (17) Criminal history record check ..... \$20
- (18) Limited line motor vehicle rental company producer's  
license: Issuance ..... \$1,000
- [(18)] (19) Examination for license: For each examination, a fee to be established by the commissioner.

(b) The fees for services of the department of commerce and consumer affairs subsequent to the issuance of a certificate of authority, license, or other certificate are as follows:

- (1) \$600 per year for all services (including extension of the certificate of authority) for an authorized insurer;
- (2) \$50 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a regularly licensed producer;
- (3) \$75 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a regularly licensed nonresident producer;
- (4) \$45 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a regularly licensed independent adjuster;
- (5) \$45 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a regularly licensed public adjuster;
- (6) \$45 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a workers' compensation claims adjuster's limited license;
- (7) \$60 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a regularly licensed independent bill reviewer;
- (8) \$45 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a producer's limited license;
- (9) \$75 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a regularly licensed managing general agent;
- (10) \$75 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a regularly licensed reinsurance intermediary;
- (11) \$45 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a licensed surplus lines broker;
- (12) \$75 per year for all services (including renewal of registration) for a service contract provider;
- (13) \$65 per year for all services (including extension of the certificate) for an approved course provider;
- (14) \$20 per year for all services (including extension of the certificate) for an approved continuing education course;

- (15) \$75 per year for all services (including renewal of registration) for a vehicle protection product warrantor; ~~and~~
- (16) \$20 for a criminal history record check~~[-]; and~~
- (17) \$600 per year for all services (including extension of the license) for a regularly licensed limited line motor vehicle rental company producer.

The services referred to in paragraphs (1) to ~~[(16)]~~ (17) shall not include services in connection with examinations, investigations, hearings, appeals, and deposits with a depository other than the department of commerce and consumer affairs.’’

SECTION 2. Section 431:9-228, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

**“§431:9-228 Place of business.** ~~[(a) Every licensed adjuster, and independent bill reviewer shall have and maintain in this State a place of business accessible to the public.~~

~~(b)]~~ (a) The place of business of every licensed adjuster and independent bill reviewer shall be [that wherein] the place where the licensee principally conducts transactions under the licensee’s [licenses.] license.

~~[(e)]~~ (b) The licensee shall promptly notify the commissioner of any change of business address.’’

SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2007.

(Approved June 27, 2007.)