Administrative Rule Analysis



CREDIT FOR REINSURANCE

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Department: Insurance and Financial Services

Agency: Office of General Counsel

Enabling Statute: The Insurance Code of 1956, 1956 PA 218, MCL 500.100 et seq.

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BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULES

Current rules provide for insurer requirements for counting reinsurance as either an asset or reduction from liability. 2018 PA 91 updated the Insurance Code in order to reflect the model law and regulations of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC). The proposed rules would modernize reinsurance regulation, make it consistent with the policies of other states, and incorporate the NAIC model.

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED RULES

2018-056 IF would not have a significant fiscal impact on the Department of Insurance and Financial Services (DIFS), or on other units of state or local government. DIFS has indicated that any revenues resulting from the annual fee on reinsurers for certification would be negated by the cost of additional staff necessary to process the applications.

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