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BILL NO		FIRST HOUSE			SECONI) HOUSE	CONFERENCE		
)ATE SPONSOR	SYNOPSIS	HEARINGS	COMM. ACTION	HOUSE ACTION	HEARINGS	COMM. ACTION	HOUSE ACTION	COMMITTEE	GOVERNOR
2-8-83 Ins. Comm.	Amends K.S.A. 40-19c10 to limit the amount that Blue Cross and Blue Shield can increase payments to providers and to require that subscribers be given a list of provider who have entered into agreements with Blue Cross and Blue Shield (Ins. Dept. Pro. No. 2).	·	3-3-83; Be passed.	3-9-83; EFA not passed.	·	,			
2-8-83 Ins. Comm.	Enacts a new section to impose reserve requirements for health maintenance organizations (Ins. Dept. Pro. No. 3).	2-8,10-83	2-28-83; tabled; rec. for interim					·	
2-8-83 Ins. Comm.	Amends K.S.A. 40-3103 to increase P.I.P. benefits, amends K.S.A. 40-3117 to increase the tort threshold to\$2,500, and enacts a new section to provide for automatic adjustment of such benefits and threshold amounts (Ins. Dept. Pro. No. 1).	22-83		3-9-83; Withdrawn; rereferred to Ins. Comm.					
	Enacts a new act regulating continuing care contracts.	2-24-83							
2-8-83	Limits application of K.S.A. 40-2,102 regarding coverage of newborn children.		2-28-83; Be passed as amended		3-23-83				
	Enacts a new act requiring the licensure of insurance adjusters.		3-3-83; Be passed as amended.	3-9-83; EFA passed as amended					
2-9-83	Amends K.S.A. 40-2209 to mandate the offering of continued or converted group disability income insurance.								
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H.B. 2411 2-9-83 Branson	Amends K.S.A. 40-1707 to allow local firemen's relief associations to pay administrative and legal expenses out of their funds.	2-24-83					·		
H.B. 2435 2-10-83 Ins. Comm.	Enacts new sections to require that insurers provide "an appropriate reduction" in premiums for drivers aged 55 and over who participate in an accident prevention course (Re Ins. Dept. Pro. No. 6).							·	
H.B. 2436 2-10-83 Ins. Comm.	Amends K.S.A. 40-1706 to authorize the Commissioner to charge expenses incurred in administering the Firemen's Relief Fund to the fund itself as opposed to being paid from the Insurance Dept.'s general fund appropriation (Ins. Dept. Pro. No. 4).	2-24-83	2-28-83; Be not passed.						
H.B. 2437 2-10-83 Ins. Comm.	Amends K.S.A. 40-284, 3107, 3109, and 3117 concerning exceptions to, application of, and limitations of automobile liability insurance coverages.	3-1-83	3-3-83; Be passed as amended.	3-8-83; FA passed as amended by C.O.W.					
H.B. 2446 2-15-83 Ins. Comm.	Amends K.S.A. 40-2404 to add a new unfair trade practice that of title insurance rebates (Insurance Department Pro. No. 17).	2-28-83	3-2-83; Be passed.	3-7-83; EFA passed		3-24-83; Be passed.	3-29-83; FA passed as amended by COW.		4-19-83; Approved.
H.B. 2447 2-15-83 Ins. Comm.	Amends K.S.A. 40-235 to prohibit the writing of preliminary or final title insurance until the company has conducted a reasonable title search (Insurance Department Pro. No. 16).	2-28-83	3-2-83; Be passed.	3-7-83; EFA passed.		3-24-83; Be passed.	3-29-83; FA passed		4-11-83; Approved.
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H.B. 2460 2-16-83 Ins. Comm.	Amends K.S.A. 40-2203 to prevent a person from being denied insurance benefits because of nonpayment of premium if such nonpayment was due to a physical or mental condition, for up to 90 days (Insurance Department Pro. No. 5).	3-2-83							
H.B. 2485 2-22-83 Ins. Comm.	Amends K.S.A. 40-282 to allow agents to cancel insurance on a pro rata basis for the nonpayment of a policyholder's account. (I.I.A.K. request.)	3-2-83	3-3-83; Be passed as amended	3-8-83; FA passed as amended.	3-29-83				
H.B. 2517 2-23-82 Ins. Comm.	Enacts a new section to require that persons with dental service in their health insurance be allowed to choose any dentist and that any dentist, upon request, may participate in any health care plan covering dental service (request of Kansas Dental Association).	3-2-83			·				
H.B. 2518 2-23-83 Ins. Comm.	Amends K.S.A. 40-2209 and other sections pertaining to continued and converted group health insurance policy requirements.	3-2-83						,	
H.B. 2519 2-23-83 Ins. Comm.	Amends K.S.A. 40-1102 to allow credit life insurance to be purchased to cover automobile leasing agreements.								
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S. B. 122 Commercial & F. I.	Amends K.S.A. 40-24li to make nonrefundable the fee paid for insurance company certifi- cation of agents to the Commissioner when the agent's examination is failed.		Passed as amended 2-16-83	COW passed as amended 2-23-83	3–21–83	Passed 3-22-83	Passed by COW 3-28-83		4-6-83 Approved
S. B. 124 Commercial & F. I.	This would give the Insurance Commissioner authority to determine whether a particular firm or plan of insurance is exempt from state ins. regulation under ERISA	2–10–83	Passed as amended 2-16-83	COW passed as amended 2-23-83	3–15–83	Passed 3-22-83	Passed by COW 3—28—83		4-6-83 Approved
S. B. 134 Commercial & F. I.	Amends K.S.A. 1982 Supp.40-242 concerning revocation or suspension of agents' licenses, to make it clear that such an agent may not be employed in another capacity to allow the agent to continue to solicit business for the company.	2–16–83	Passed 2—16—83	Passed by COW 2-22-83	3–21–83	Passed 3-22-83	Passed by COW 3-28-83		4-6-83 Approved
S. B. 145 Commercial & F. I.	Amends K.S.A. 40-3304 concerning insurance holding companies; would delete provisions which allow the Commissioner to disapprove a merger under the holding company act if approval would adversely offset the interests of security-holders		Passed as amended 3-02-83	COW passed as amenäed 3-08-83	3–15–83	Passed 3-22-83	Passed by COW 3-30-83		4-15-83 Approved
S. B. 157 Commercial & F. I.	This would lessen current investment restrictions; to permit investments not previously specified in the ins. statutes; & to recognize the value of assets already owned but not previously permitted as asset	2-23-83	Passed as amended 2-28-83	Passed as amended 3-03-83	3–21–83 3–24–83	tabled Passed as amended 3-24-83	Passed as amended by COW 3-30-83		4-15-83 Approved