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L.D. 1733  
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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
112TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1226, L.D. 1733, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to the Surplus Lines Insurance Law."

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 3 by striking out all of the 2nd underlined sentence (page 1, lines 27 to 33 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'An agent may place or seek to place insurance coverage, other than with an insurer for which he holds an appointment or in accordance with chapter 19, to the extent permitted by section 1615.'

Further amend the bill in section 2 in subsection 1 by striking out all of the last underlined sentence (page 2, lines 11 to 16 in L.D.)

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment removes the provision that made insurance agents and brokers the responsible parties for determining whether insurers are authorized and clarifies what the responsibilities of insurance agents and brokers will be under the bill.

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