

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 227

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERS

INSURANCE: Provides relative to reapplication for a producer license subsequent to revocation

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1554(E)(1), relative to applications for a producer license  
3 subsequent to revocation; to authorize a licensee whose license has been revoked to  
4 file another application for a license after one year from the date of the final court  
5 order or decree affirming the revocation; to make technical changes; to provide for  
6 an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 22:1554(E)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

9 §1554. License denial, nonrenewal, or revocation

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11 E.(1) No licensee whose license has been revoked ~~under~~ pursuant to this  
12 Section shall ~~be entitled to~~ file another application for a license within one year from  
13 the effective date of ~~such~~ the revocation, or, ~~if judicial review of such revocation is~~  
14 ~~sought, within five years from~~ the date of final court order or decree affirming ~~such~~  
15 the revocation. ~~A subsequent application, when filed, may be refused by the~~ The  
16 ~~commissioner of insurance~~ may deny the subsequent application unless the applicant  
17 shows good cause why the revocation of ~~his~~ the previous license should not be  
18 deemed a prohibition to the issuance of a new license.

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1           Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not  
2 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature  
3 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If  
4 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become  
5 effective on the day following such approval.

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#### DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Allows a licensee whose license has been revoked to file another application for a license after one year from the date of final court order or decree affirming the revocation.

Present law prohibits a licensee whose license has been revoked to file another application for a license within one year from the effective date of the revocation, or, if judicial review of the revocation is sought, within five years from the date of final court order or decree affirming the revocation.

Proposed law reduces the prohibited period to one year after the effective date of the revocation or from the date of final court order or decree affirming the revocation.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 22:1554(E)(1))