

**ACT No. 101**

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HOUSE BILL NO. 644

BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERRE

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1654(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1) and (B)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 22:1654(B)(8), relative to third party administrator licenses; to authorize the denial of an application for licensure; to authorize the revocation of a license or denial of an application for licensure for providing false information; to make technical changes; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 22:1654(A)(introductory paragraph) and (1) and (B)(introductory paragraph) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 22:1654(B)(8) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§1654. Grounds for denial, suspension, or revocation of license

A. The commissioner shall suspend or revoke the license of an administrator, deny the application for a license, or, in lieu of ~~revocation thereof~~, impose a fine for each separate violation not to exceed five thousand dollars per violation or twenty-five thousand dollars in the aggregate if ~~he~~ the commissioner finds that the administrator:

(1) Is using ~~such~~ methods or practices in the conduct of its business ~~so as to~~ that render its further transaction of business in this state hazardous or injurious to insured persons or the public.

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