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<u>Proposed law</u> requires the department of insurance (department) to maintain an electronic registry for licensed and unlicensed adjusters that is prominently displayed on the department's website.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the adjusters to include a photo that can be uploaded to the registered adjuster database (database).

Proposed law requires the database to include but not limited to all of the following:

- (1) Requires a search for registered adjusters to be the first and last name or by license number.
- (2) Allows a person to view a picture of a registered adjuster.

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- (3) Allows a person to view the registered adjuster's license status that includes all of the following:
 - (a) The date the license was obtained and the states the adjuster is licensed in.
 - (b) If the license is active or if the licensed is expired.
- (4) Allows a person to view the insurance company the adjuster is employed with and all the insurance companies the adjuster has worked for that includes past dates of employment for the adjuster.
- (5) Allows a person to view all the adjusting firms the adjuster has worked that includes the adjuster's past dates of employment.
- (6) Allows a person to view the past work history of the adjuster.
- (7) Allows a person to view any complaints filed with the department against the adjuster that includes any administrative or criminal actions against the adjuster.
- (8) Allows a person to view all other non-privileged information the department may have records on for the adjuster.
- (9) Requires the database to be easily understandable by the person that may not be familiar with insurance terms.

Proposed law authorizes the commissioner to adopt rules.

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