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INSURANCE COMMISSIONER: Repeals an exemption from the Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Law for insurance regulators

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2 To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1406(1), relative to exemptions from the Unfair Trade 3 Practices and Consumer Protection Law; to repeal an exemption for the 4 commissioner of insurance; to repeal an exemption for insurance regulators of other 5 states; and to provide for related matters. 6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: 7 Section 1. R.S. 51:1406(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows: 8 §1406. Exemptions 9 The provisions of this Chapter shall not apply to: 10 (1) Any federally insured financial institution, its subsidiaries, and affiliates 11 or any licensee of the Office of Financial Institutions, its subsidiaries, and affiliates 12 or actions or transactions subject to the jurisdiction of the Louisiana Public Service 13 Commission or other public utility regulatory body, the commissioner of financial 14 institutions, the insurance commissioner, the financial institutions and insurance 15 regulators of other states, or federal banking regulators who possess authority to 16 regulate unfair or deceptive trade practices. 17

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Abstract: Repeals an exemption from the Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Law for insurance regulators.

<u>Present law</u> provides an exemption from the Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Law for any federally insured financial institution, its subsidiaries, and affiliates or any licensee of the Office of Financial Institutions, its subsidiaries, and affiliates or actions or transactions subject to the jurisdiction of the Louisiana Public Service Commission or other public utility regulatory body, the commissioner of financial institutions, the insurance commissioner, the financial institutions and insurance regulators of other states, or federal banking regulators who possess authority to regulate unfair or deceptive trade practices.

<u>Proposed law</u> repeals the exemption in <u>present law</u> for the commissioner of insurance and insurance regulators of other states.

(Amends R.S. 51:1406(1))