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**VERSION:** Introduced

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**SYNOPSIS:** For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO PROVIDE INSURANCE CONSUMERS THE RIGHT TO EMPLOY THEIR OWN INSURANCE ADJUSTER; TO AUTHORIZE PUBLIC ADJUSTING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AUTHORIZE PUBLIC ADJUSTING BY PROVIDING INSURANCE CONSUMERS THE RIGHT TO EMPLOY THEIR OWN INSURANCE ADJUSTER.

**NOTICE:** [A] UPPERCASE TEXT WITHIN THESE SYMBOLS IS ADDED [A]  
[D] Text within these symbols is deleted [D]

**TEXT:** BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Section 23-64-102(4)(A), concerning the definition of "adjuster", is amended to read as follows:

(4)(A) [D] An "adjuster" is [D] [A] "ADJUSTER" MEANS [A] an individual, firm, limited liability company, or corporation [D] who [D] [A] THAT [A] for compensation as an independent contractor or as [D] the [D] [A] AN [A] employee of an independent contractor [D] or [D] for [A] A [A] fee or commission investigates and negotiates [D] , on behalf of the insurer, [D] [A] THE [A] settlement of claims arising under [A] AN [A] insurance [D]

contracts <D] [A> CONTRACT ON BEHALF OF: <A]

[A> (I) THE INSURER; OR <A]

[A> (II) AN INSURED IF THE CLAIM ARISES UNDER AN INSURANCE CONTRACT THAT INSURES THE REAL PROPERTY OR PERSONAL PROPERTY OF THE INSURED <A] .

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