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BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 36  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “within” in line 4 down through “contract or” in line 5; and in line 7, after “contract;” insert “altering a certain rescission period for public adjuster contracts; requiring a public adjuster to provide certain notice to the Maryland Insurance Commissioner under certain circumstances;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, strike beginning with the colon in line 27 down through “(I)” in line 28; and in line 28, strike “3” and substitute “**15**”.

On pages 2 and 3, strike beginning with “IF” in line 28 on page 2 down through “OLD” in line 2 on page 3.

On page 3, in line 5, strike “APPLICABLE”; and strike beginning with the colon in line 12 down through “(II)” in line 15.

On page 4, strike beginning with the colon in line 3 down through “(2)” in line 6; and after line 6, insert:

**“(F) (1) A PUBLIC ADJUSTER WHO ENTERS INTO A PUBLIC ADJUSTER CONTRACT DURING, OR WITHIN 72 HOURS AFTER, THE LOSS GIVING RISE TO AN INSURANCE CLAIM SHALL PROVIDE NOTICE TO THE COMMISSIONER THAT THE PUBLIC ADJUSTER HAS ENTERED INTO THE CONTRACT.**

**(2) THE NOTICE REQUIRED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE:**

(I) PROVIDED TO THE COMMISSIONER WITHIN 1 BUSINESS DAY AFTER THE PUBLIC ADJUSTER ENTERS INTO THE CONTRACT; AND

(II) IN A FORM AND MANNER THE COMMISSIONER DETERMINES.”.