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Committee: Banking, Commerce and Insurance

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Privacy of Insurance Consumer
- 2 Information Act; to amend section 44-905, Reissue Revised Statutes
- of Nebraska; to provide an exception to the requirement to send
- 4 annual privacy notices; and to repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

- 1 Section 1. Section 44-905, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
- 2 amended to read:
- 3 44-905 (1) A licensee shall provide a clear and conspicuous notice
- 4 to customers that accurately reflects its privacy policies and practices
- 5 not less than annually during the continuation of the customer
- 6 relationship. For purposes of this subsection, annually means at least
- 7 once in any period of twelve consecutive months during which that
- 8 relationship exists. A licensee may define the twelve-consecutive-month
- 9 period, but the licensee shall apply it to the customer on a consistent
- 10 basis.
- 11 (2) A licensee is not required to provide an annual notice under
- 12 <u>subsection (1) of this section if the licensee:</u>
- 13 (a) Provides nonpublic personal information to nonaffiliated third
- parties only in accordance with sections 44-914, 44-915, and 44-916; and
- 15 (b) Has not changed its policies and practices with regard to
- 16 disclosing nonpublic personal information from the policies and practices
- 17 that were disclosed in the most recent disclosure sent to consumers in
- 18 accordance with section 44-904 or subsection (1) of this section.
- 19 $(3)(a) \frac{(2)(a)}{(2)(a)}$ A licensee is not required to provide an annual notice
- 20 to a former customer.
- 21 (b) For purposes of this subsection, a former customer is an
- 22 individual with whom a licensee no longer has a continuing relationship.
- 23 A former customer includes:
- 24 (i) An individual who is no longer a current policyholder of an
- 25 insurance product or no longer obtains insurance services with or through
- 26 the licensee;
- 27 (ii) An individual whose policy is lapsed, expired, or otherwise
- 28 inactive or dormant under the licensee's business practices, and the
- 29 licensee has not communicated with the customer about the relationship
- 30 for a period of twelve consecutive months, other than to provide annual
- 31 privacy notices, material required by law or regulation, or promotional

- 1 materials;
- 2 (iii) An individual whose last-known address according to the
- 3 licensee's records is deemed invalid. An address of record is deemed
- 4 invalid if mail sent to that address by the licensee has been returned by
- 5 the postal authorities as undeliverable and if subsequent attempts by the
- 6 licensee to obtain a current valid address for the individual have been
- 7 unsuccessful; and
- 8 (iv) In the case of providing real estate settlement services, the
- 9 customer has completed execution of all documents related to the real
- 10 estate closing, payment for those services has been received, or the
- 11 licensee has completed all of its responsibilities with respect to the
- 12 settlement, including filing documents on the public record, whichever is
- 13 later.
- 14 (4) (3) When a licensee is required by this section to deliver an
- annual privacy notice, the licensee shall deliver it according to section
- 16 44-909.
- 17 Sec. 2. Original section 44-905, Reissue Revised Statutes of
- 18 Nebraska, is repealed.