

State, the agent or attorney for the company, upon whom process of law can be served; (there must also be filed with the Insurance Commissioner a certified copy of the vote or resolution of the directors appointing such attorney, which appointment shall continue until another attorney be substituted.) And said writing or power of attorney shall stipulate and agree, on the part of the company making the same, that any lawful process against said company which is served on such agent, shall be of the same legal force and validity as if served on such company or association within this State; and also, that in case of the death or absence of the attorney so appointed, service of process may be made upon the Insurance Commissioner of this State; and such power of attorney cannot be revoked or modified (except that a new one may be substituted), so long as any policy or liability remains outstanding against such company in this State; the term process, used above, shall be held and deemed to include any writ, summons or order, whereby any action, suit or proceeding shall be commenced, or which shall be issued in or upon any action, suit or proceeding, by any court, officer or magistrate; third, a statement of the condition of the company on the thirty-first day of December next preceding, under oath of the president or vice-president of the company, with that of the secretary or actuary, as hereinafter provided for; fourth, a requisition for the appointment of each agent or solicitor, executed by the proper officers or authorized representative of the insurance company certifying to the fitness of the appointee and signed by the agent or solicitor applying for a license, in accordance with the provisions of Section 184B of this Article. An insurance company may designate any representative as Principal or General Agent, or State Manager, and any representative thus designated shall be authorized to requisition upon the Insurance Commissioner for the appointment of sub-agents or solicitors.

SECTION 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on and after July 1st, 1920.

Approved April 9, 1920.

CHAPTER 268.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Sections 2 and 7 of Article 11 of the Annotated Code of Maryland,