

(3) The Commissioner may conduct such examinations and investigations of insurance matters, in addition to examinations and investigations expressly authorized, as may be necessary to fulfill the purposes of this article. ~~The cost of such additional examinations and investigations shall be borne by the State.~~

(4) The Commissioner shall have such additional powers and duties as may be provided by other laws of this State.

25. Enforcement.

(1) The Commissioner may institute such suits or other legal proceedings as may be required for the enforcement of any provisions of this article. If the Commissioner has reason to believe that any person has violated any provision of this article for which criminal prosecution is provided, he shall so inform the Attorney General.

(2) The Commissioner may prosecute an action in any Court of proper venue to enforce any order made by him pursuant to the provisions of this article.

(3) The Commissioner shall be represented by the Attorney General, his assistants, or by such other attorney at law as may be designated by the Attorney General.

26. Rules and Regulations.

(1) The Commissioner may make reasonable rules and regulations necessary for or as an aid to effectuation of any provision of this article. No such rule or regulation shall extend, modify, or conflict with any provision of this article or the reasonable implications thereof. Prior to the adoption of any rule or regulation, or the amendment or repeal thereof, the Commissioner shall publish or otherwise circulate notice of the nature and purpose of his intended action and afford interested persons opportunity to submit data or views orally or in writing.

(2) In addition to any other penalty provided, wilful violation of any such rule or regulation shall subject the violator to such penalties as may be applicable under this article for violation of the provision to which such rule or regulation relates.

(3) The Commissioner shall compile and keep on file in his office as a public record a set of such rules and regulations which are in effect and shall prepare copies of such rules and regulations which shall be available upon request. The Commissioner shall fix a price covering such compilation which shall cover costs of preparation and mailing.

(4) The Commissioner shall comply with the provisions of Article 41, Section 9.

27. Witnesses and Evidence.

(1) With respect to the subject of any examination, investigation, or hearing conducted by him, the Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner, or an examiner when so authorized by the Commissioner may subpoena witnesses and administer oaths or affirmations and examine any individual under oath, and may require and compel