- (3) THE PREMIUM TAX ON THE POLICY.
- $\underline{\text{(G)}}$ A POLICY FEE CHARGED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SECTION SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE PREMIUM TAX REQUIRED BY \S 194 OF THIS ARTICLE.

486B

(a) (1) Every premium finance company shall register as such with the Commissioner prior to engaging in business in this State as a premium finance company, and also shall file a bond in the penalty amount of \$25,000 with the Commissioner, as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection. Registration forms shall be of such design and content as is prescribed by the Commissioner and may require the filing of the form of premium finance agreement to be used and the service charges to be applied and disclosure of the identity, trade names, and the names of officers, managers, owners, and directors. The Commissioner shall also require and designate forms for reporting changes in officers, directors, owners, trade names, and business addresses. The registration shall continue in effect and shall automatically be renewed upon receipt by the Commissioner, of the annual, NONREFUNDABLE registration fee of [\$25] \$100 on or before the first day of July of each year, so long as any other prerequisites to engaging in business as a premium finance company are met by the registrant.

609.

- (c) Before a self-insurance-group-may function, it must:
- (1) SUBMIT TO THE COMMISSIONER A PLAN OF OPERATION, INCLUDING THE GROUP'S SELF-INSURANCE AGREEMENT:
 - (2) PAY THE FEES REQUIRED UNDER THIS ARTICLE; AND
- (3) [obtain] OBTAIN the Commissioner's approval, including approval of the group's self insurance agreement.

618.

- (a) A risk retention group seeking to be chartered in this State shall:
- (1) Be chartered and licensed as a casualty insurance company in conformance with all insurance laws and regulations of this State; and
- (2) Except as provided elsewhere in this subtitle, shall comply with all of the laws, rules, regulations, and requirements applicable to such insurers chartered and licensed in this State, and with the requirements of § 619 of this subtitle, to the extent such requirements are not a limitation on the laws, rules, regulations, or requirements of this State.

619.

Risk retention groups chartered and licensed in a state other than this State, and seeking to do business as a risk retention group in this State, shall observe and abide by the laws of this State as follows: