(14) (10) Filing annual statement by unauthorized insurer applying for
approval to become an accepted insurer applying for approval to become an accepted
reinsurer and/or a surplus lines carrier

- (15) (11) Temporary certificates and appointments:
 - (i) Agents.....\$ 25.00

(A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(2) (I) "INSURER" MEANS AN INSURER OR OTHER ENTITY AUTHORIZED TO ENGAGE IN BUSINESS IN THE STATE UNDER A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY OR LICENSE ISSUED BY THE COMMISSIONER

(II) "INSURER" INCLUDES:

- 1. <u>A HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION OPERATING</u>
 <u>UNDER A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY ISSUED BY THE COMMISSIONER UNDER TITLE 19,</u>
 <u>SUBTITLE 7 OF THE HEALTH GENERAL ARTICLE;</u>
- 2. <u>A NONPROFIT HEALTH SERVICE PLAN OPERATING UNDER SUBTITLE 20 OF THIS ARTICLE;</u>
- 3. <u>A DENTAL PLAN REGULATED UNDER SUBTITLE 42 OF THIS</u> ARTICLE; AND
- <u>4 A FRATERNAL BENEFIT SOCIETY REGULATED UNDER SUBTITLE 19 OF THIS ARTICLE.</u>
- (3) (I) "PREMIUMS" HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 631 OF THIS ARTICLE TO THE EXTENT IT IS ALLOCABLE TO THIS STATE.
- (II) "PREMIUMS" INCLUDES ANY AMOUNTS PAID TO A HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION AS COMPENSATION FOR PROVIDING TO MEMBERS THE SERVICES SPECIFIED UNDER TITLE 19, SUBTITLE 1 OF THE HEALTH – GENERAL ARTICLE TO THE EXTENT IT IS ALLOCABLE TO THIS STATE.
- (B) IN ADDITION TO THE FEES COLLECTED UNDER § 41 OF THIS ARTICLE, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL COLLECT IN ADVANCE A FEE FROM EACH INSURER THAT IS THE