

~~rental of a motor vehicle if the motor vehicle rental company meets certain requirements under certain circumstances; imposing certain certification, training, employee compensation, and proof of financial ability requirements on a motor vehicle rental company that offers insurance coverage under certain circumstances; defining certain terms; and generally relating to the regulation of motor vehicle rental companies that offer insurance coverage.~~

BY adding to

Article — Insurance

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altering a certain termination provision relating to the authority of motor vehicle rental companies to sell or offer insurance to renters under certain circumstances; requiring a motor vehicle rental company to hold a special restricted certificate of qualification in order to sell or offer insurance to a renter of a motor vehicle under certain circumstances; requiring the Maryland Insurance Commissioner to issue a special restricted certificate of qualification to a motor vehicle rental company under certain circumstances; requiring a motor vehicle rental company to perform certain duties as a condition to receiving a special restricted certificate of qualification, including making available to a renter of a motor vehicle certain disclosures and providing certain training to employees of the motor vehicle rental company; establishing the primacy of an insurance policy sold by a motor vehicle rental company under certain circumstances; authorizing the Commissioner to suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew a special restricted certificate of qualification under certain circumstances; authorizing the Commissioner to adopt certain regulations; defining certain terms; providing for a delayed effective date for certain provisions of this Act subject to a certain contingency; requiring the Commissioner to report by a certain time on certain compensation packages; and generally relating to the authority of motor vehicle rental companies to sell or offer insurance to renters of motor vehicles.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Chapter 746 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1998

Section 3

BY adding to

Article — Insurance

Section 10-601 through 10-607, inclusive, to be under the new subtitle "Subtitle 6. Motor Vehicle Rental Companies"

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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: