

through ~~9-4A-08~~ and the subtitle "~~Subtitle 4A. Group Self Insurance for Workers' Compensation~~", respectively, of Article ~~Labor and Employment of the Annotated Code of Maryland.~~

~~SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED,~~ That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

**Article - ~~Labor and Employment Insurance~~**

**~~Subtitle 4A. Group Self Insurance for Workers' Compensation.~~**

**~~9-4A-01. 25-301.~~**

(a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.

(b) "Administrator" means a person engaged by a workers' compensation self-insurance group to carry out the policies established by the self-insurance group and to provide management of the self-insurance group.

(c) "INSOLVENT SELF-INSURANCE GROUP" MEANS A SELF-INSURANCE GROUP ~~THAT CANNOT MEET ITS CURRENT OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAWS OF THIS STATE IN WHICH EACH INDIVIDUAL MEMBER OF THE GROUP IS UNABLE TO MEET THE MEMBER'S DEBTS AS THEY MATURE IN THE ORDINARY COURSE OF BUSINESS, AS DETERMINED BY THE COMMISSIONER.~~

[(c)] (D) "Self-insurance agreement" means the partnership arrangement between the members of a self-insurance group that defines the rights, obligations, and liabilities of the members of the self-insurance group.

[(d)] (E) (1) "Self-insurance group" means two or more employers organized in accordance with this subtitle.

(2) "Self-insurance group" does not include a governmental self-insurance group organized under § 9-404 of [the Labor and Employment Article] ~~THIS TITLE.~~

**~~9-4A-02.~~**

~~An employer may satisfy the requirements of § 9-402 of [the Labor and Employment Article] THIS TITLE by participating in a self insurance group that meets the requirements of this subtitle.~~

**~~9-4A-03.~~**

(a) ~~In this section, "service company" means a person that provides services that are not provided by the administrator, including:~~

(1) ~~claims adjustment;~~

(2) ~~safety engineering;~~

(3) ~~compilation of statistics and the preparation of premium, loss, and tax reports;~~