

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2094 Session of
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INTRODUCED BY FRANKEL, BRENNAN, CALTAGIRONE, CASORIO, COHEN,
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McILVAINE SMITH, K. SMITH, WHEATLEY, J. WHITE AND YOUNGBLOOD,
DECEMBER 5, 2007

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE, DECEMBER 5, 2007

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of December 18, 1996 (P.L.1066, No.159),
2 entitled "An act providing for review procedures pertaining
3 to accident and health insurance form and rate filings;
4 providing penalties; and making repeals," requiring insurers
5 to notify persons insured of rate increases.

6 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
7 hereby enacts as follows:

8 Section 1. The act of December 18, 1996 (P.L.1066, No.159),
9 known as the Accident and Health Filing Reform Act, is amended
10 by adding a section to read:

11 Section 11.1. Notification of rate increases.--
12 Notwithstanding any other provision of this act, every insurer
13 and HMO shall provide notification of any rate increase approved
14 by the department. The notification shall be in the form as
15 determined in the discretion of the commissioner and shall be
16 provided in the insured's monthly bill prior to publication of
17 the rate increase in the Pennsylvania Bulletin.

18 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.