

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 226 Session of 2013

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE, JANUARY 22, 2013

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of July 22, 1974 (P.L.589, No.205), entitled
 2 "An act relating to unfair insurance practices; prohibiting
 3 unfair methods of competition and unfair or deceptive acts
 4 and practices; and prescribing remedies and penalties,"
 5 further providing for unfair methods of competition and
 6 unfair or deceptive acts or practices.

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

9 Section 1. Section 5(a) of the act of July 22, 1974 (P.L.
 10 589, No.205), known as the Unfair Insurance Practices Act, is
 11 amended by adding a paragraph to read:

12 Section 5. Unfair Methods of Competition and Unfair or
 13 Deceptive Acts or Practices Defined.--(a) "Unfair methods of
 14 competition" and "unfair or deceptive acts or practices" in the
 15 business of insurance means:

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17 (15) Using occupation or attained level of education as a
 18 factor in the underwriting or ratemaking processes for private
 19 passenger automobile rates.

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