Title 31
MARYLAND INSURANCE ADMINISTRATION
Subtitle 03 INSURANCE PRODUCERS AND OTHER INSURANCE PROFESSIONALS
31.03.13 Producer Registers and Documentation of Appointments

Authority: Insurance Article, §§2-109(a)(1), 10-103(c), and 10-118(j), Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Proposed Action
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The Insurance Commissioner proposes to amend Regulations .02 and .04 under COMAR 31.03.13 Producer Registers and Documentation of Appointments. Because substantive changes have been made to the original proposal as published in 45:14 Md. R. 708 (July 6, 2018), this action is being reproposed at this time.

Statement of Purpose
The purpose of this action is to amend Regulations .02 and .04 under COMAR 31.03.13 Producer Registers and Documentation of Appointments. This action is a reproposal to add changes to Regulation .04. The Maryland Insurance Administration no longer uses prefixes on insurance producer licenses and has not used them since approximately 2009, when a new state-based systems licensing database was implemented. After the initial proposal to remove the prefix requirement in Regulation .02 was submitted, it came to the Maryland Insurance Administration’s attention that the license prefix requirement was also in Regulation .04, so this action removes the requirement from Regulation .04 as well.

Comparison to Federal Standards
There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

Estimate of Economic Impact
The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses
The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities
The proposed action has no impact on individuals with disabilities.

Opportunity for Public Comment
Comments may be sent to Lisa Larson, Regulations Manager, Maryland Insurance Administration, 200 St. Paul Place, Suite 2700, Baltimore, MD 21202, or call 410-468-2007, or email to insuranceregreview.mia@maryland.gov, or fax to 410-468-2020. Comments will be accepted through January 7, 2019. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

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Insurance Commissioner