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Senate Bill 225

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By: Senators Harbin of the 16th, Gooch of the 51st, Moore of the 53rd, Tillery of the 19th, Williams of the 25th and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend Code Section 33-25-14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, the
- 2 "Unclaimed Life Insurance Benefits Act," so as to require an insurer to conduct a quarterly
- 3 search of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners' policy locator; to provide
- 4 for annual reporting to the Commissioner of Insurance; to provide for related matters; to
- 5 provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 SECTION 1.

- 8 Code Section 33-25-14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, the "Unclaimed Life
- 9 Insurance Benefits Act," is amended by adding a new subsection to read as follows:
- 10 "(f) An insurer shall conduct a search of the National Association of Insurance
- 11 Commissioners' policy locator at least quarterly and shall report to the Commissioner
- annually the results of such searches and any additional information the Commissioner
- deems necessary and appropriate. Such report shall be submitted by the deadline and in
- the manner and format as prescribed by the Commissioner."

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15 SECTION 2.

16 This Act shall become effective January 1, 2024.

17 SECTION 3.

18 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.