

AN ACT

relating to certain insurers subject to the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 3(k), Article 21.49, Insurance Code, is amended to read as follows:

(k) "Insurers" means all property insurers authorized to transact property insurance in this State and specifically includes and makes this Act applicable to county mutual companies, Lloyds and reciprocal or interinsurance exchanges, but shall not include:

(1) ~~[(a)]~~ farm mutual insurance companies operating under [as authorized in] Chapter 911 [46] of this Code;

(2) nonaffiliated [(b)] county mutual fire insurance companies described by Section 912.310 of this code which are writing exclusively industrial fire insurance policies as described by Subsection (a)(2) of that section [defined in Article 17.02 of this Code]; and

(3) ~~[(c)]~~ any companies now operating under Chapters 12 and 13 of Title 78 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, which have heretofore been repealed.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

David Bushurst

President of the Senate

Jim Cullin

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1891 was passed by the House on May 13, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Robert Haney
Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1891 was passed by the Senate on May 25, 2005, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Datsy Spaw
Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED:

18 JUNE '05

Date

Rick Perry

Governor

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SECRETARY OF STATE
10:20 AM O'CLOCK

Roger Williams
Secretary of State