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Short Title: Uniform Ins. Claim Form.

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Sponsors: Senators Daniel; Forrester, Perdue, Tally, and Seymour.

Referred to: Insurance.

January 28, 1993

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE TO DEVELOP
2 AND REQUIRE UNIFORM FORMS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF CLAIMS
3 UNDER AN ACCIDENT OR HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY.
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5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 Section 1. G.S. 58-50-10 reads as rewritten:

7 "**§ 58-50-10. Claim forms.**

8 ~~All forms used by policyholders, beneficiaries, hospitals and physicians to report~~
9 ~~information relative to the nature and extent of loss or disability for which claim is~~
10 ~~being made under any type of accident or health policy must conform to certain~~
11 ~~standard language approved by the Commissioner. All claims made under any type of~~
12 accident or health policy shall be submitted on a uniform form or format that shall be
13 developed by the Department and approved by the Commissioner for use with the
14 policies. Information requested under an accident or health policy in addition to that
15 contained on a uniform form or format shall be subject to rules adopted by the
16 Department. This section applies to the submission of claims in writing and by
17 electronic means."

18 Sec. 2. The Department shall immediately begin development of the uniform
19 forms and formats required by Section 1 of this act.

20 Sec. 3. Section 1 of this act becomes effective January 1, 1994. The
21 remainder of this act is effective upon ratification.