## §7003. Requirements for sale of portable electronic device insurance

- 1. **Brochures.** At every location where portable electronic device insurance is offered to customers, brochures or other written materials must be made available to a prospective customer that:
  - A. Disclose that portable electronic device insurance may provide a duplication of coverage already provided by a customer's homeowner's insurance policy, renter's insurance policy or other source of coverage; [PL 2011, c. 297, §5 (NEW).]
  - B. State that the enrollment by the customer in a portable electronic device insurance policy is not required in order to purchase or lease a portable electronic device or service; [PL 2011, c. 297, §5 (NEW).]
  - C. Summarize the material terms of the insurance coverage, including:
    - (1) The identity of the insurer;
    - (2) The identity of the supervising entity;
    - (3) The amount of any applicable deductible and how it is to be paid;
    - (4) Benefits of the coverage; and
    - (5) Key terms and conditions of coverage such as whether the portable electronic device may be replaced with a similar make and model or repaired using reconditioned or nonoriginal manufacturer parts or equipment; [PL 2011, c. 297, §5 (NEW).]
  - D. Summarize the process for filing a claim, including a description of any requirements to return the portable electronic device and the maximum fee applicable if the customer fails to comply with any equipment return requirements; and [PL 2011, c. 297, §5 (NEW).]
  - E. State that the customer may cancel enrollment for coverage under a portable electronic device insurance policy at any time and the person paying the premium must receive a refund of any applicable unearned premium. [PL 2011, c. 297, §5 (NEW).]

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- **2. Periodic basis of coverage.** Portable electronic device insurance may be offered on a month-to-month or other periodic basis as a group or master commercial inland marine policy issued to a vendor under which individual customers may elect to enroll for coverage. [PL 2011, c. 297, §5 (NEW).]
- **3. Eligibility and underwriting standards.** Eligibility and underwriting standards for customers electing to enroll in coverage must be established by an insurer for each portable electronic device insurance program.

[PL 2011, c. 297, §5 (NEW).]

SECTION HISTORY

PL 2011, c. 297, §5 (NEW).

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