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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 413

1 On <u>page 1</u> of the printed bill, line 2, delete "and".

2 In line 3, before the period insert "; and declaring an emergency".

3 After line 4, insert:

4 "SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2013 Act is added to and made a part
5 of the Insurance Code.

6 "<u>SECTION 2.</u> (1) At least annually, an insurer offering health ben-7 efit plans, as defined in ORS 743.730, to individuals and small employ-8 ers shall send a notice to each individual and small employer 9 policyholder and certificate holder that contains:

"(a) Information about how the policyholder or certificate holder
 may receive notice from the Department of Consumer and Business
 Services about rate filings and public hearings on rate filings.

"(b) The department's website address and the toll-free telephone
 number of the department's consumer advocacy unit.

"(2) An insurer may satisfy the requirements of this section by:
 "(a) Including the information, in a prominent manner, in a mail ing or an electronic communication of other insurance-related infor mation to the policyholder or certificate holder, including but not
 limited to a policy renewal notice or enrollment confirmation; or

"(b) Sending a separate notice that need not include information
related to the policy or certificate.".

In line 5, delete "1" and insert "3".

1 Delete lines 13 through 21.

In line 22, restore the bracketed material and delete the boldfaced material.

4 In line 26, delete "(4)" and insert "(3)".

5 On page 2, line 4, delete "2" and insert "4".

6 On page 3, delete lines 4 through 6.

7 In line 7, delete "4" and insert "5".

8 After line 32, insert:

9 "SECTION 6. This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate
10 preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is
11 declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect October 1, 2013.".
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