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Amendments to Senate Bill No. 343
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Requested by Senator Keith Bales

For the Senate Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs Committee

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1. Title, line 5.
Strike: "A PROVISIONAL"
Insert: "AN APPRENTICE"

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2. Title, line 6.
Following: "FOR"
Insert: "CERTAIN"

3. Page 1, line 27 through line 28.
Strike: "a" on line 27 through "provisional" on line 28
Insert: "an apprentice"

4. Page 2, line 17.
Strike: "a provisional"
Insert: "an apprentice"

5. Page 3, line 6.
Strike: "a provisional"
Insert: "an apprentice"

6. Page 3, line 9 through line 10.
Strike: "if the" on line 9 through "state" on line 10

7. Page 4.
Following: line 21
Insert: "(5) "Apprentice adjuster" means an individual who is licensed under 33-17-301(5)."
Renumber: subsequent subsections

8. Page 5, line 24.
Strike: subsection 19 in its entirety
Renumber: subsequent subsections

9. Page 6, line 9.
Strike: "provisional"
Insert: "apprentice"

10. Page 6, line 12.
Strike: "a provisional"
Insert: "an apprentice"

11. Page 6, line 13.
Strike: "provisional"
Insert: "apprentice"

12. Page 6.
Following: line 24
Insert: "(3) The commissioner may issue an adjuster license to an out-of-state person who provides proof that the person is licensed as an adjuster in another state that permits residents of Montana to regularly act as adjusters in that state."
Renumber: subsequent subsections

13. Page 6, line 29.
Strike: "provisional"
Insert: "adjuster"

14. Page 7, line 5 through line 7.
Strike: subsection 5 in its entirety
Renumber: subsequent subsections

15. Page 7, line 8.
Strike: "A provisional"
Insert: "An apprentice"

16. Page 7, line 15.
Strike: "An"
Insert: "For a person who is not exempt as an adjuster under 33-17-102 or who has a license as an adjuster under subsection (3), an"

17. Page 7, line 18 through line 19.
Strike: "A" on line 18 through "provisional" on line 19
Insert: "An apprentice"

18. Page 7, line 25.
Strike: "a provisional"
Insert: "an apprentice"

19. Page 7, line 30.
Strike: "a provisional"
Insert: "an apprentice"

20. Page 9, line 25.
Strike: "a provisional"
Insert: "an apprentice"
Strike: "33-17-301(4)"
Insert: "33-17-301(5)"

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Explanation - These have not been edited.
--Changes "provisional" to "apprentice" -- in light of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners' use of "apprentice" in its draft model act.
--Deletes requirement for insurance companies' employees to be licensed (p 3) - title line 6
--Deletes confusing language on page 7 about process for apprentice to become full-fledged adjuster
--Officially provides for reciprocity for adjusters (new subsection after line 24)
--p. 7 lines 15-17 -- Provides exception to out-of-state or in-state adjusters who have licenses or are working for a company