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TO: ALL LICENSED PRE-PAID LEGAL INSURANCE COMPANIES, AGENT AND COMPANY TRADE ASSOCIATIONS, AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES

FROM: ARKANSAS INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

SUBJECT: CHANGE IN LICENSING/APPOINTMENTS FOR PRE-PAID LEGAL INSURANCE AGENTS, INCLUDING WITHDRAWAL OR RESCISSION OF RULE & REGULATION 47, "PRE-LICENSING EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR LEGAL INSURANCE AGENTS",
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1997

Effective July 1, 1997, the Department is no longer requiring pre-licensure education or examinations of individual applicants for licensure or appointment as a pre-paid legal insurance agent, under the Commissioner's authority in Ark. Code Ann. §23-91-219, and pursuant to agreement with pre-paid legal insurance companies and agents.

In connection with this change in license or appointment eligibility, the Department is withdrawing or rescinding current Rule and Regulation 47, "Pre-Licensing Educational Requirements for Legal Insurance Agents", effective July 1, 1997.

New individual applicants must continue to submit the Administrative and Regulatory Fee (ALF Fee) of \$35, the pre-paid legal insurer appointment fee of \$40, a completed Department application form (Form I-55), a current photograph, and other customary requirements.

Please direct your inquiries to the License Division at (501) 371-2750.

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