



BERMUDA

HEALTH INSURANCE AMENDMENT ACT 2020

2020 : 11

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Health Insurance Act 1970;

Be it enacted by The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and the House of Assembly of Bermuda, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

Citation

1 This Act, which amends the Health Insurance Act 1970 ("the principal Act"), may be cited as the Health Insurance Amendment Act 2020.

Amends section 3A

2 Section 3A of the principal Act is amended—

- (a) in subsection (1A), by deleting "30 days" and substituting "60 days"; and
- (b) by inserting after subsection (1A)—

"(1B) Every licensed insurer and every employer who operates an approved scheme shall provide to the Committee—

- (a) on a daily basis, a list of every insured person who is on that day insured with the licensed insurer or under the approved scheme (an "eligibility list"); and
- (b) at the time of making a Mutual Re-insurance Fund premium payment under subsection (1A), a list of every insured person covered by the payment, which list shall include the amount paid in respect of each such person.

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(1C) The requirement to provide to the Committee a list under subsection (1B) shall be met by providing the Committee with an electronic version thereof in a format approved by the Committee.”.

Mutual Re-insurance Fund premium payment lists to be provided to Committee

3 (1) Every licensed insurer and every employer who operates an approved scheme shall, within 30 days after the commencement of this Act, provide to the Committee in respect of each Mutual Re-insurance Fund premium payment it has made under section 3A(1A) of the principal Act between 1 June 2019 and the commencement of this Act, a list of every insured person covered by the payment, which list shall include the amount paid in respect of each such person.

(2) The requirement to provide to the Committee a list under subsection (1) shall be met by providing the Committee with an electronic version thereof in a format approved by the Committee.

(3) The Minister may by notice in the Gazette extend the period of 30 days referred to in subsection (1), and further extend such period, if in his opinion it is necessary to do so.

(4) A notice under subsection (3) is not subject to section 6 of the Statutory Instruments Act 1977.

(5) Expressions used in this section shall have the meaning they have in the principal Act.

[Assent Date: 19 March 2020]

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