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*Testimony of Rep. Anne Perry introducing*

**LD 2074, An Act to Prohibit Property and Casualty Insurance Companies from Denying Policyholders in the State Insurance on Their Residences in the State Because of a Loss Sustained to a Home in Another State**

*Before the Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance & Financial Services*

Good afternoon, Senator Bailey, and fellow members of the Committee On Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services. I am Rep. Anne Perry and I represent ten communities in Washington County. I am here to introduce LD 2074, “An Act to Prohibit Property and Casualty Insurance Companies from Denying Policyholders in the State Insurance on Their Residences in the State Because of a Loss Sustained in Another State.”

The idea for this bill occurred with a discussion I had with a former legislator and former IFS Committee member (Don Pilon) regarding a problem he had. He had been denied renewal of his homeowners insurance because of a claim he had on a house in Florida, which he no longer owns.

He has been doing further research on this issue and we may be looking at another approach to this. I hope you will hold your questions for him.

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