CHAPTER 333

INSURANCE

HOUSE BILL 04-1210

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) William T., Hoppe, Paccione, Spradley, and Stengel; also SENATOR(S) McElhany, Evans, and Taylor.

AN ACT

CONCERNING AUTHORITY OF THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER TO PROMULGATE RULES RELATED TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICAL PAYMENTS COVERAGE FOR THE PURPOSES OF MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. Part 6 of article 4 of title 10, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION to read:

10-4-641. Rules - medical payments coverage - repeal. (1) THE COMMISSIONER SHALL PROMULGATE ANY NECESSARY RULES FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICAL PAYMENTS COVERAGE, AND COORDINATION OF BENEFITS. MEDICAL PAYMENTS COVERAGE SHALL BE PRIMARY TO ANY HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFIT OF A PERSON INJURED IN A MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT AND MEDICAL PAYMENTS COVERAGE SHALL APPLY TO ANY CO INSURANCE OR DEDUCTIBLE AMOUNT REQUIRED BY THE INJURED PERSON'S HEALTH COVERAGE PLAN, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 10-16-102 (22.5).

(2) THIS SECTION IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2005.

SECTION 2. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: May 28, 2004

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.