# STATE OF GEORGIA COUNTY OF FULTON

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this October 19, 2020





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#### BEFORE THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE STATE OF GEORGIA

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT RULE CHANGES AND NOTICE OF HEARING

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Georgia Administrative Procedure Act, O.C.G.A. Sections 50-13-3, 50-13-4, 50-13-6, 50-13-21, and 33-2-9 of the following proposal by the Commissioner of Insurance ("the Commissioner") to amend the Rules and Regulations of the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance.

The Rules and Regulations of the Commissioner of Insurance are proposed to be amended by the following actions:

> -Amending Regulation 120-2-97 entitled "Pharmacy Benefits Managers Regulation"

-Promulgating Regulation 120-2-106 entitled "Surprise Billing"

#### SYNOPSIS AND EXPLANATION OF PROPOSED RULE CHANGES

Amendments to the rules contained in Regulation 120-2-97 are made pursuant to HB 946 and SB 313 passed by the Georgia General Assembly during the 2020 term.

The Promulgation of Rules under the Regulation 120-2-106 are made pursuant to HB 888 and HB 789 passed by the Georgia General Assembly during the 2020 term.

### SCHEDULE

The aforesaid proposal is now on file in the Administrative Procedure Division of this Office in Suite 708, West Tower, Floyd Building, Two Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive, Atlanta, Georgia 30334, and is hereby declared to be a public record as follows:

Interested persons may participate in the proposed rulemaking process by submitting their written comments to the following address: Office of the Commissioner of Insurance, Administrative Procedure Division, 708 West Tower, Floyd Building, Two Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive, Atlanta, Georgia 30334. All comments must be received by the Administrative Procedure Division by 4:30 P.M. on November 12, 2020. Interested persons may also participate in the proposed rulemaking by making oral comments at the hearing to be held on Thursday, November 19, 2020, at 10:00 A.M. in the Hearing Room of the Office of Commissioner of Insurance, Ninth Floor, West Tower, Floyd Building, Two Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive, Atlanta, Georgia 30334.

Oral presentations at the hearing may be limited to five (5) minutes per person in order to afford all interested persons an opportunity to be heard. If you have a physical impairment and require assistance or have any questions regarding this notice, please contact the Administrative Procedure Division.

Based upon full consideration of all written and oral comments regarding the above matters, the Commissioner of Insurance may reject or adopt the proposed rules or make changes to the proposed rules, which may require another rulemaking hearing.

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