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1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to loss run statements; creating ss. 3 626.9202 and 627.4065, F.S.; providing definitions; requiring eligible surplus lines insurers, specified 4 5 unauthorized insurers, and authorized insurers to 6 provide loss run statements to insureds within a 7 specified timeframe; providing the loss run statement 8 history requirements; providing notification 9 requirements; prohibiting fees under certain 10 circumstances; providing applicability; providing an effective date. 11 12 13 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 14 Section 626.9202, Florida Statutes, is created 15 Section 1. to read: 16 17 626.9202 Loss run statements for all lines of insurance.— As used in this section, the term: 18 (1)19 "Loss run statement" means a report that: (a) 20 1. Is generated and maintained by an insurer; and 21 Shows the history of insurance claims that an insured 22 has had during an insurance policy period. 23 (b) "Provide" means to electronically send a document, or 24 to allow access through an electronic portal to view or generate 25 a document.

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(2)(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, an
eligible surplus lines insurer or an unauthorized insurer
permitted by the office to issue an insurance policy under s.
626.918(5) and (6) shall provide a loss run statement to an
insured within 15 calendar days after receipt of the insured's
written request.
(b) The loss run statement provided under paragraph (a)
must be a 5-year loss run history for 5 continuous years before
the year in which the request is made or, if the history is less
than 5 years, a complete loss run history.
(3) At the time the loss run statement is provided, the
eligible surplus lines insurer or unauthorized insurer shall
also notify the surplus lines agent of record that the loss run
statement was provided to the insured.
(4) The eligible surplus lines insurer or unauthorized
insurer may not charge a fee to prepare and provide one loss run
statement per year in accordance with subsection (2).
(5) This section applies to all lines of insurance.
Section 2. Section 627.4065, Florida Statutes, is created
to read:
627.4065 Loss run statements for all lines of insurance
(1) As used in this section, the term:
(a) "Loss run statement" means a report that:
1. Is generated and maintained by an insurer; and

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- (b) "Provide" means to electronically send a document, or to allow access through an electronic portal to view or generate a document.
- (2) (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, an authorized insurer shall provide a loss run statement to an insured within 15 calendar days after receipt of the insured's written request.
- (b) The loss run statement provided under paragraph (a) must be a 5-year loss run history for 5 continuous years before the year in which the request is made or, if the history is less than 5 years, a complete loss run history.
- (3) At the time the loss run statement is provided, the insurer shall also notify the agent of record that the loss run statement was provided to the insured.
- (4) The insurer may not charge a fee to prepare and provide one loss run statement per year in accordance with subsection (2).
- (5) This section applies to all lines of insurance.

  Section 3. This act shall take effect January 1, 2021.