purposes by a member in good standing of the American Academy of Actuaries. Mortality tables and interest currently recognized for life insurance reserves by the NAIC may be used as well as appropriate assumptions for the other provisions incorporated in the policy form. The actuary must follow both actuarial standards and certification for good and sufficient reserves. Reserves in the aggregate should be sufficient to cover:

- a. policies upon which no claim has yet arisen;
- b. policies upon which an accelerated claim has arisen.
- 2. For policies and certificates which provide actuarially equivalent benefits, no additional reserves need to be established.
- 3. Policy liens and policy loans, including accrued interest, represent assets of the company for statutory reporting purposes. For any policy on which the policy lien exceeds the policy's statutory reserve liability such excess must be held as a non-admitted asset.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 22:644.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Insurance, Office of the Commissioner, LR 18:1409 (December 1992).

### §1523. Filing Requirement

A. The filing and prior approval of forms containing an accelerated benefit is required.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 22:644.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Insurance, Office of the Commissioner, LR 18:1409 (December 1992).

# Chapter 17. Regulation 45—Filing of Affirmative Action Plans

# §1701. Purpose

A. The purpose of this regulation is to implement R.S. 22:33(A)(1), which requires an insurer to file an affirmative action plan upon the violation of a cease and desist order issued by the commissioner after hearing.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 22:11, 22:32 and 22:33 and the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Insurance, Office of the Commissioner, LR 19:1581 (December 1993), LR 46:1688 (December 2020).

#### §1703. Applicability and Scope

A. This regulation applies to any insurer that is called for hearing before the commissioner for violating Chapter 1, Part I, Subpart C of the Insurance Code (Equal Opportunity in Insurance) and found to be in violation of a cease and desist order issued in accordance with the provisions of R.S. 22:33(A). It sets forth the minimum content and procedures for the filing of an affirmative action plan by an insurer who violates Chapter 1, Part I, Subpart C of the Insurance Code,

and who then violates a cease and desist order issued by the commissioner after hearing.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 22:11, 22:32 and 22:33 and the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Insurance, Office of the Commissioner, LR 19:1581 (December 1993), LR 46:1688 (December 2020).

# §1705. Content and Procedure

- A. The commissioner shall notify an insurer of its violation of a cease and desist order issued pursuant to Chapter 1, Part I, Subpart C of the Insurance Code by certified U.S. mail, return receipt requested. Said notification shall also direct the insurer to file an affirmative action plan.
- B. The notice shall require the insurer to file its plan within 20 days of receipt of the notice.
- C. The insurer shall file its plan by means of the U.S. mail, and it shall contain the minimum requirements stated in R.S. 22:33(C)(4)(a) and (b).
- D. The insurer shall address the plan to the attention of the Division of Diversity and Opportunity.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 22:11, 22:32 and 22:33 and the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Insurance, Office of the Commissioner, LR 19:1581 (December 1993), LR 46:1688 (December 2020).

#### §1707. Effective Date

A. This regulation shall become effective upon final promulgation in the *Louisiana Register*.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 22:11, 22:32 and 22:33 and the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Insurance, Office of the Commissioner, LR 19:1581 (December 1993), LR 46:1688 (December 2020).

# Chapter 19. Regulation 46—Long-Term Care Insurance

#### §1901. Purpose

A. The purpose of this regulation is to implement R.S. 22:1181-1191, Long-Term Care Insurance Act, to promote the public interest; to promote the availability of long-term care insurance coverage; to protect applicants for long-term care insurance, as defined, from unfair or deceptive sales or enrollment practices; to facilitate public understanding and comparison of long-term care insurance coverages; and to facilitate flexibility and innovation in the development of long-term care insurance.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 22:1186(A), 22:1186(E), 22:1188(C), 22:1189, and 22:1190.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Insurance, Office of the Commissioner, LR 19:1153 (September 1993), amended LR 23:975 (August 1997), LR 31:462 (February 2005), LR 31:462 (February 2005), LR 43:1394 (July 2017) (effective January 1, 2018).

# §1903. Applicability and Scope