1 State of Arkansas As Engrossed: H1/24/01 S3/1/01 A Bill 2 83rd General Assembly HOUSE BILL 1279 3 Regular Session, 2001 4 By: Representative Glover 5 6 7 For An Act To Be Entitled 8 AN ACT TO ADD A NEW SECTION TO ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 23, 9 CHAPTER 66, SUBCHAPTER 3 REQUIRING NOTICE TO THE 10 11 INSURED OF AN INTENT TO REQUEST CANCELLATION OF AN INSURANCE POLICY BY A PARTY CLAIMING THE RIGHT UNDER 12 ANY AGREEMENT OTHER THAN AN INSURANCE POLICY: AND FOR 13 OTHER PURPOSES. 14 15 **Subtitle** 16 AN ACT REQUIRING NOTICE TO THE INSURED 17 OF AN INTENT TO REQUEST CANCELLATION OF 18 AN INSURANCE POLICY BY A PARTY CLAIMING 19 THE RIGHT UNDER ANY AGREEMENT OTHER THAN 20 21 AN INSURANCE POLICY. 22 23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS: 24 25 26 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code, Title 23, Chapter 66, Subchapter 3 is amended 27 to add an additional section, to read as follows: 23-66-319. Cancellation of insurance policies by third parties. 28 29 (a) Anyone holding the right to request cancellation of the named 30 insured's insurance policy, other than the insurer, shall send to the insured, and to the insured's agent or broker of record, at least ten (10) days written 31 notice of the intention to cancel the policy. The right to be mailed this 32 33 notice is personal to the named insured and cannot be waived nor may it be assigned by the insured to such person or entity that holds the right to 34 35 request the cancellation. (b) After expiration of such ten-day period in which to cure the 36

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1	default, a notice of cancellation of the policy may be sent to the insurer,
2	with a copy to the named insured.
3	(c) Any notices failing to comply with this section shall be
4	ineffective to cancel the policy.
5	(d) This section shall not apply to annuities, disability or life
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