

# INSURANCE COMPANIES.

## CHAPTER 102.

[S. B. 21.]

### PUBLICATION OF STATEMENT.

AN ACT to Amend Section 3119 of Article 6 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota, Relating to the Publication of Annual Statements of Insurance Companies.

*Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:*

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] That section 3119 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 3119. ANNUAL STATEMENT. PUBLICATION THEREOF.] Every insurance company doing business in this state must transmit to the commissioner of insurance a statement of its condition and business for the year ending on the preceding thirty-first day of December, which shall be rendered not later than the first Monday of February in each year. Foreign insurance companies shall have until the following first day of December to transmit their statements of business, other than that taken in the United States. Such statements must be published at least three times in a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in each judicial district of the state in which such insurance company shall have an agency. Statements for publication shall be made out on blanks furnished by the commissioner of insurance and the certificate of authority of the commissioner of insurance for the company to do business in this state shall be published in connection with such statement. Proof of publication shall be filed with the commissioner of insurance in all cases within four months from the time of the filing of the annual statement. Such publications shall be made at the authorized rate for publishing legal notices. The commissioner of insurance shall select three newspapers of general circulation, published in each of the judicial districts, from which such companies shall select one in which such statements shall be published.

§ 2. REPEAL.] All acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

§ 3. EMERGENCY.] Whereas, an emergency exists in that the publication of the annual statements of insurance companies will be required before July 1, 1899; therefore, this law shall go into force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved February 24, 1899.