

facility, the joint underwriting association or their agents or employees, or any officer or employee of the District of Columbia, for any statements made in good faith by them concerning the insurability of property in any reports or other communications or at the time of the hearings conducted in connection therewith, or in the findings with respect thereto required by the provisions of this Act. The reports and communications of the inspection bureau, the industry placement facility, and joint underwriting association with respect to individual properties shall not be open to inspection by, or otherwise available to, the public.

ANNUAL REPORTS BY ASSOCIATION

SEC. 9. The association shall file with the Commissioner, annually on or before the first day of March, a statement which shall contain information with respect to its transactions, condition, operations, and affairs during the preceding year. Such statement shall contain such matters and information as are prescribed by the Commissioner and shall be in such form as is approved by him. The Commissioner may at any time require the association to furnish him with additional information with respect to its transactions, condition or any matter connected therewith which he considers to be material and which will assist him in evaluating the scope, operation, and experience of the association.

APPEALS

SEC. 10. (a) Any applicant for insurance and any affected insurer may appeal to the Commissioner within ninety days after any ruling, action, or decision by or on behalf of the inspection bureau, industry placement facility, or joint underwriting association.

(b) All final orders or decisions of the Commissioner made pursuant to this Act shall be subject to review by the District of Columbia Court of Appeals pursuant to section 11-742 of the District of Columbia Code.

REIMBURSEMENT OF NATIONAL INSURANCE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

SEC. 11. In order to carry out the purposes of this Act and to make available to insurers who participate hereunder reinsurance against losses resulting from riots or civil disorders afforded under the National Insurance Development Corporation Act of 1968, the Commissioner is authorized to assess each insurance company authorized to do business in the District of Columbia an amount, in the proportion that the premiums written by each such company, on lines reinsured by the National Insurance Development Corporation, during the preceding calendar year bears to the aggregate premiums written on those lines in the District of Columbia by all insurance companies, sufficient to provide a fund to reimburse the Corporation in the manner set forth in section 1223(a)(1) of the National Insurance Development Corporation Act of 1968. Such fund may be added to or such a fund may be created by moneys appropriated therefor by the Congress.

DELEGATION

SEC. 12. The Commissioner is authorized to delegate any of the functions vested in him by this Act.

APPROPRIATIONS

SEC. 13. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary to carry out this Act.

JUDICIAL REVIEW

SEC. 14. Section 11-742(a) of the District of Columbia Code is amended (a) by striking "and" immediately following clause (9); (b) by striking the period following clause (10) and inserting in lieu thereof "; and"; and (c) by adding the following:

"(11) final orders and decisions of the Commissioner under the provisions of the District of Columbia Insurance Placement Act."