

House Bill 1062

By: Representatives Wilkinson of the 52nd, Jacobs of the 80th, Lindsey of the 54th, Henson of the 87th, Willard of the 49th, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Chapter 25 of Title 33 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to life
2 insurance, so as to provide that no insurer offering life insurance coverage to citizens of this
3 state shall deny or refuse to accept an application for life insurance; refuse to issue or renew
4 a contract of life insurance; cancel, restrict, or otherwise terminate a contract of life
5 insurance; or charge a different rate for the same life insurance coverage, based upon an
6 applicant's or insured's past or future travel to the State of Israel; to provide for certain
7 exceptions; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting
8 laws; and for other purposes.

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

10 Chapter 25 of Title 33 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to life insurance,
11 is amended by adding a new Code Section 33-25-14 to read as follows:

12 "33-25-14.

13 On and after July 1, 2006, no insurer offering life insurance coverage to citizens of this
14 state shall deny or refuse to accept an application for life insurance; refuse to issue or
15 renew a contract of life insurance; cancel, restrict, or otherwise terminate a contract of life
16 insurance; or charge a different rate for the same life insurance coverage, based upon an
17 applicant's or insured's past or future travel to the State of Israel."
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SECTION 2.

19 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law
20 without such approval.
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SECTION 3.

22 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.
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