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House Bill 92 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Carson of the 46th, Lumsden of the 12th, Hugley of the 136th, Maxwell of the 17th, and Meadows of the 5th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend Code Section 33-24-45 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
- 2 cancellation or nonrenewal of automobile or motorcycle policies, so as to expand the
- 3 definition of policy to include policies issued by the same insurer; to provide for related
- 4 matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 SECTION 1.

7 Code Section 33-24-45 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to cancellation

8 or nonrenewal of automobile or motorcycle policies, is amended by revising paragraph (1)

9 of subsection (b) as follows:

- 10 "(1) 'Policy' means a policy, or policies issued by the same insurer, insuring a natural
- person as named insured or one or more related individuals resident of the same
- 12 household and which provides bodily injury coverage and property damage liability
- coverage, personal injury protection, physical damage coverage, medical payments
- 14 coverage, or uninsured motorists' protection coverage or any combination of coverages
- and under which the insured vehicles designated in the policy are of the following types
- only:

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- 17 (A) Any motor vehicle of the private passenger, station wagon, or jeep type or a
- motorcycle that is not used as a public or livery conveyance for passengers nor rented
- to others; or
- 20 (B) Any other four-wheel motor vehicle with a load capacity of 1,500 pounds or less
- which is not used in the occupation or professional business of the insured; provided,
- 22 however, that this Code section shall not apply to policies of automobile liability
- insurance issued under the Georgia Automobile Insurance Plan nor to any policy
- insuring an automobile which is one of more than four insured under a single policy nor
- 25 to any policy covering garage, automobile sales agency, repair shop, service station, or
- public parking place operation hazards."

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27 **SECTION 2.**

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.