

Part 2

Construction and Interpretation

31A-1-201 Construction.

- (1) This code shall be liberally construed to achieve the purposes stated in Section 31A-1-102 and under other chapters of the Insurance Code. The statements of purpose shall aid and guide interpretation but are not independent sources of power.
- (2) A provision of the Insurance Code relating to a particular kind of insurance or a particular type of insurer prevails over a provision relating to insurance or insurers in general if there is inconsistency between them.

Enacted by Chapter 242, 1985 General Session

31A-1-202 Effect of repeal of former provisions.

- (1) The repeal of any statute by this title does not affect any right accrued or established, or any liability or penalty incurred under the repealed statute.
- (2) An action or proceeding commenced under any law repealed by this title is not affected by the repeal. However, all procedures followed or sanctions imposed after the repeal of Title 31, Insurance, shall conform to this title as far as possible.

Amended by Chapter 91, 1987 General Session

31A-1-203 Interpretive rules.

References under Section 31A-1-301 to particular sections do not limit application to those sections but merely indicate a place where a term is especially relevant.

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31A-1-205 Severability.

If any provision of this title, or the application of any provision of this title to any person or circumstance, is held invalid, the remainder of this title shall be given effect without the invalid provision or application.

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