

31A-22-502 Employee groups.

- (1) As used in this section:
 - (a) "Employees" includes:
 - (i) for one or more affiliated corporations, proprietorships, or partnerships under common control, their:
 - (A) officers;
 - (B) managers;
 - (C) retired employees; and
 - (D) individual proprietors or partners; and
 - (ii) for a trusteeship, if their duties are primarily connected with the trusteeship:
 - (A) trustees;
 - (B) employees of trustees; or
 - (C) both Subsection (1)(a)(ii)(A) and (B).
 - (b) "Employer" includes a Utah public agency.
 - (c)
 - (i) "Utah public agency" means a public institution that:
 - (A) derives its authority from this state; and
 - (B) is not privately owned.
 - (ii) "Utah public agency" includes:
 - (A) a local political subdivision as defined in Section 11-14-102;
 - (B) the state;
 - (C) a department or agency of the state; and
 - (D) all public educational institutions.
- (2) The lives of a group of individuals may be insured under a policy:
 - (a) issued as policyholder, to:
 - (i) an employer; or
 - (ii) the trustees of a fund established by an employer;
 - (b) insuring employees of the employer for the benefit of persons other than the employer; and
 - (c) subject to the requirements of Subsections (3) through (5).
- (3)
 - (a) All the employer's employees or all of any class of employees of the employer shall be eligible for insurance under the policy described in Subsection (2).
 - (b) A policy issued to insure the employees of a public body may include elected or appointed officials.
- (4) A Utah public agency may pay or authorize the payment out of the Utah public agency's corporate revenue, the premiums required to maintain the group insurance in force.
- (5)
 - (a) The premiums for the policy described in Subsection (2) shall be paid by the policyholders:
 - (i) from the employer's funds;
 - (ii) funds contributed by the insured employees; or
 - (iii) both the funds described in Subsections (5)(a)(i) and (ii).
 - (b) Except as provided under Section 31A-22-512, a policy on which no part of the premium is contributed by the insured employees shall insure all eligible employees.

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