

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

[PERFECTED]

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1381

## 91ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE LUETKENHAUS.

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Reported from the Committee on Insurance February 13, 2002, with recommendation that the bill Do Pass by Consent.

Perfectred by Consent January 25, 2002.

TED WEDEL, Chief Clerk

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### AN ACT

To amend chapter 375, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the interpretation of insurance materials.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 375, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as sections 375.919, to read as follows:

**375.919. An insurer, as defined in section 375.001, may provide insurance policies, endorsements, riders, and any explanatory material in a language other than English. If a policy, endorsement, or rider is provided in a language other than English, the insurer shall also provide to the policyholder a copy of such policy, endorsement, or rider in English. In the event of a dispute regarding the insurance or advertising material, the English language version shall dictate the resolution.**