INTERSTATE INSURANCE PRODUCT REGULATION COMMISSION

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE

Date Issued: June 29, 2023

Proposed Uniform Standards: Standards for Group Fixed Annuity Contract Uniform Standards for Employer Groups

- 1. **Purpose of Proposed New Rules**: These standards shall apply to Group Fixed Annuity Contracts that are issued to employers, or the trustees of a fund established by an employer pursuant to either a defined benefit or defined contribution plan, and are permitted in the jurisdiction where the contract is delivered or issued for delivery.
- 2. Legal Authority: The Commission is authorized to create uniform standards for products by Article IV, Section 2 of the Interstate Insurance Product Regulation Compact, as enacted into law by each compacting state.
- 3. **Text of Proposed New Rules**: The Proposed Standards are available on the Commission's website (<u>www.insurancecompact.org</u>) and included with this notice as a separate document.
- 4. Where, When, and How Persons May Present Their Views: The Management Committee for the Commission will accept written comment on the Proposed Standards until August 29, 2023. Written comments may be delivered via electronic mail to <u>comments@insurancecompact.org</u>, or via mail to the Management Committee c/o Karen Schutter, 444 North Capitol Street, NW, Suite 700 Hall of States, Washington DC 20001-1509.
- 5. Where, When, and How Persons May Request a Public Hearing: Written requests for a public hearing on the Proposed Standards must be received no later than July 19, 2023. Persons who may request a public hearing are Commission members, the Management Committee, the Legislative Committee, the Consumer Advisory Committee, the Industry Advisory Committee, or a person or organization representing at least 25 persons affected by the Proposed Standards. Written requests may be delivered via electronic mail to <u>comments@insurancecompact.org</u>, or via mail to the Management Committee c/o Karen Schutter, Executive Director, 444 North Capitol Street, NW, Suite 700 Hall of States, Washington DC 20001-1509.