

HB0142



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

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Introduced 1/14/2021, by Rep. La Shawn K. Ford

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

215 ILCS 5/155.47 new

Amends the Illinois Insurance Code to provide that a first-party claimant who has had a property and casualty claim denied in whole or in part and has obtained a payment in excess of the initial offer of the insurer shall be entitled to reimbursement of their reasonable costs incurred to substantiate the claim.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Insurance Code is amended by
5 adding Section 155.47 as follows:

6 (215 ILCS 5/155.47 new)

7 Sec. 155.47. First-party claimant reimbursement. A
8 first-party claimant who has had a property and casualty claim
9 denied in whole or in part and has obtained a payment in excess
10 of the initial offer of the insurer shall be entitled to
11 reimbursement of their reasonable costs incurred to
12 substantiate the claim.