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1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to wrap-up insurance policies; 3 creating s. 627.4138, F.S.; providing definitions; 4 providing that wrap-up insurance policies may include 5 workers' compensation claim deductibles equal to or 6 greater than a specified amount if specified standards 7 are met; providing an effective date. 8 9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 10 11 Section 1. Section 627.4138, Florida Statutes, is created 12 to read: 13 627.4138 Wrap-up insurance policies for nonpublic 14 construction projects.-15 (1) As used in this section, the term: 16 "Specified contracted work site" means construction (a) 17 being performed during one or more policy years at one site or 18 multiple sites of the same construction project. "Wrap-up insurance policy" means policies issued to 19 (b) 20 the nonpublic owner or the general contractor of a construction 21 project through a consolidated insurance program which may 22 provide general liability, property damage liability, workers' 23 compensation, employers' liability, or pollution liability 24 insurance coverage or a combination of such coverages for the 25 contractors and subcontractors working at a specified contracted 26 work site of the construction project. 27 (2) A wrap-up insurance policy may include a deductible of 28 \$100,000 or more for workers' compensation claims if:

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29 (a) The workers' compensation minimum standard premium 30 calculated on the combined payrolls for all entities covered by 31 the policy exceeds \$500,000; 32 The estimated total cost of the project is \$25 million (b) 33 or more; 34 The insurer is obligated to pay the first dollar of a (C) 35 claim like any other workers' compensation policy without a 36 deductible; 37 The reimbursement of the deductible by the insured (d) 38 does not affect the insurer's obligation to pay claims; 39 (e) The insurer complies with all the filing requirements 40 of the Department of Financial Services under chapter 440 for 41 all losses, including those below the deductible limit; 42 The insurer files unit statistical reports with the (f) 43 National Council on Compensation Insurance which show all 44 losses, including those below the deductible limit; 45 (g) The unit statistical reports necessary for the 46 calculation of an experience modification factor for the insured 47 are filed with the National Council on Compensation Insurance; 48 The insurer complies with the National Council on (h) 49 Compensation Insurance aggregate financial calls, detail claim 50 information calls, unit statistical reporting, and other 51 required calls; and 52 The insurer has an established program for having the (i) 53 first-named insured reimburse the insurer for losses paid within 54 the deductible. 55 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.

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