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Honorable Kathy Castor
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C., 20515

Honorable Blaine Luetkemeyer
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C., 20515

Dear Representatives Castor and Luetkemeyer:

On behalf of the National Association of Professional Insurance Agents¹ (PIA), thank you for introducing H.R. 900, the Continuous Coverage for Flood Insurance Act. PIA supports the cultivation of deliberate, responsible growth in the private flood insurance market. This bill would provide consumers with more options for broader coverage at a greater range of price points.

Continuous coverage would protect consumers from being shut out of the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) if, for example, their private-market flood policy is cancelled for reasons outside of their control. H.R. 900 would allow consumers whose flood policies are cancelled in the middle of a policy year, through no fault of their own, to return to the NFIP and purchase a policy at their previous rate.

Thank you again for your leadership on this important issue. Please contact Jon Gentile, PIA's vice president of government relations at jgentile@pianational.org if we can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Mike Becker
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National Association of Professional Insurance Agents

¹ PIA represents independent insurance agents in all 50 states, Puerto Rico, and the District of Columbia.