

WIND AND HAIL UPDATE

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SC INSURANCE DATA SECURITY ACT

South Carolina is the first state to pass and implement the NAIC Model Insurance Data Security Act.

Protecting the non-public information of policyholders is a primary mission of the SC DOI. SC Wind supports this protection of consumers.

SC Wind strongly encourages all producers to become familiar with this Act and the information posted at doi.sc.gov.

Please note that the law applies to all persons and entities licensed by the South Carolina Department of Insurance.

You should be aware that the Act:

- * Includes out of state producers licensed by the SC DOI
- * While there is an exemption for smaller organizations, the exemption is **NOT COMPLETE.**

Producers are encouraged to contact their agent associations for guidance on compliance.

SC Wind is in the process of preparing to implement **Multi-Factor Authenti- cation** for access to the Producer Portal. Additional information will be forthcoming.