



## West Virginia Offices *of the* Insurance Commissioner

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### ***Commissioner Dodrill Named to Special Committee on Race & Insurance***

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West Virginia Insurance Commissioner James Dodrill has been named to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners' (NAIC) Special Committee on Race and Insurance. This important new committee, established by a unanimous vote of the Nation's insurance commissioners last week during the NAIC's commissioners' roundtable meeting, is dedicated to acknowledging and understanding the disparate treatment of minorities in insurance, both from a consumer and industry standpoint, examining ways to address the issues, and taking action which strives to eliminate the problem.

"I am very excited to be able to play a part, any part, in addressing obstacles to diversity for insurance consumers, producers and companies in our State and Nation", said Commissioner Dodrill. "The COVID-19 pandemic, which has hit our minority communities the hardest, has also helped shine a light on the need to likewise address racism's insidious impact on all of us and in all parts of our daily lives."