



Insurance Requirements for Service Companies

Due to recent legislative changes outlined in House Bill 1494, the Texas Department of Agriculture now requires Service Companies to maintain liability insurance as described in the Texas Administrative Code.

Texas Administrative Code, Section 12.42 states:

(5) maintain at all times while the service company performs device maintenance activities a current effective operations liability insurance policy issued by an insurance company authorized to do business in this state or by a surplus lines insurer that meets the requirements of Chapter 981, Texas Insurance Code, and rules adopted by the commissioner of insurance in an amount set by the department and based on the type of licensed activities to be performed. General liability coverage including: premises and operations in an amount not less than \$25,000 per occurrence; or \$50,000 aggregate.

Please have your insurer submit a standard ACORD verification form as proof of liability insurance at time of application and renewal via mail or email to:

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