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**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND**

**IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2021**

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**A N A C T**

**RELATING TO INSURANCE -- LIABILITY INSURANCE**

Introduced By: Senator Stephen R. Archambault

Date Introduced: May 07, 2021

Referred To: Senate Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1           SECTION 1. Section 27-7-6 of the General Laws in Chapter 27-7 entitled "Liability  
2 Insurance" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3           **27-7-6. Rental vehicle coverage.**

4           (a) For liability assumed under a written contract, coverage shall be provided under the  
5 property damage liability section of an insured's private passenger automobile insurance policy.  
6 Property damage coverage shall extend to a rented motor vehicle, under ten thousand (10,000) lbs,  
7 without regard to negligence for a period not to exceed sixty (60) consecutive days.

8           (b) Coverage pursuant to subsection (a) of this section shall apply to all collision and  
9 comprehensive type losses.

10          SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION  
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
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- 1           This act would provide that insurance coverage for property damage to rental vehicles
- 2           would also apply to collision and comprehensive type losses.
- 3           This act would take effect upon passage.

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