

- 1 Page 2-line 4 After "purpose of" insert "either"; after
2 "investigating" delete "and" and strike
3 "making adjustment".
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- 5 Page 2-line 5 Strike line through "policy" and insert "and
6 negotiating settlements relative to insurance
7 claims or applying the factual circumstances
8 of an insurance claim to the insurance policy
9 provisions, or both, arising under property
10 and casualty insurance contracts,".
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- 12 Page 2-line 11 After "Wyoming" insert "either"; after
13 "investigates" delete "and" and strike
14 "adjusts a".
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- 16 Page 2-line 12 Strike line through "state" and insert "and
17 negotiates settlements relative to insurance
18 claims or applies the factual circumstances of
19 an insurance claim to the insurance policy
20 provisions, or both, arising under property
21 and casualty insurance contracts".
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- 23 Page 2-line 17 After "W.S." insert "26-1-102(a)(i),".
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- 25 Page 2-line 19 Delete "(xxiv)" and insert "(xxvii)".
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27 Page 2-after line 21 Insert:
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29 **"26-1-102. Definitions.**

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31 (a) As used in this act:

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33 (i) "Adjuster" means any individual who, ~~for~~
34 ~~compensation as an independent contractor, or as the employee of~~
35 ~~an independent contractor, or as a salaried employee of an insurer,~~
36 ~~or for fee or commission, on behalf of the insurer investigates~~
37 ~~and negotiates settlement of claims arising under insurance~~
38 ~~contracts, except that~~ either investigates and negotiates
39 settlements relative to insurance claims or applies the factual
40 circumstances of an insurance claim to the insurance policy
41 provisions, or both, arising under property and casualty insurance
42 contracts. An attorney-at-law who is licensed to practice law in
43 this state, or a licensed agent or broker who adjusts or assists
44 in adjustment of losses arising under policies issued through that

1 broker or by the insurer represented by that agent, is not an
2 adjuster for the purposes of chapter 9 of this code;".

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4 Page 7-after line 10 Insert:

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6 "(xxv) "Adjuster" means any individual who either
7 investigates and negotiates settlements relative to insurance
8 claims or applies the factual circumstances of an insurance claim
9 to the insurance policy provisions, or both, arising under property
10 and casualty insurance contracts. An attorney-at-law who is
11 licensed to practice law in this state or a licensed agent or
12 broker who adjusts or assists in adjustment of losses arising under
13 policies issued through that broker or by the insurer represented
14 by that agent, is not an adjuster for the purposes of this chapter.
15 An appraiser or umpire is not an adjuster for the purposes of this
16 chapter.

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18 (xxvi) "Appraiser" means a person selected by the
19 insurer or the insured to place a value on or estimate the amount
20 of loss pursuant to an insurance claim. An appraiser does not
21 negotiate settlements relative to insurance claims or apply the
22 factual circumstances of an insurance claim to the insurance policy
23 provisions.

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25 (xxvii) "Umpire" means a person selected by the
26 appraisers representing the insurer and the insured or, if the
27 appraisers cannot agree, by the court or hearing officer charged
28 with resolving issues that the appraisers are unable to agree upon
29 during the appraisal.". ZWONITZER, CHAIRMAN