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New Mexico Office of Superintendent of Insurance Earns National Five-Year Accreditation

Santa Fe, NM – The New Mexico Office of Superintendent of Insurance (OSI) recently announced that it has successfully earned a full five-year accreditation from the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC).

The formal accreditation follows a rigorous evaluation conducted by a national team of expert reviewers during a comprehensive on-site review in September 2026. The findings resulted in a vote by the NAIC's Financial Regulation Standards and Accreditation (F) Committee during the NAIC's 2026 Fall National Meeting to accredit the insurance regulatory department in New Mexico.

NAIC accreditation is the cornerstone of state-based insurance regulation and financial solvency oversight across the United States. Because insurance companies often operate nationally, state regulators rely on the domiciliary state's financial reviews to ensure solvency and protect policyholders. NAIC accreditation certifies that the New Mexico OSI meets the highest national standards of financial regulation, rigorous analysis, and consumer protection.

"Accreditation is the ultimate mark of regulatory excellence and consumer trust," said Alice Kane, Superintendent of Insurance. "When New Mexicans purchase an insurance policy—whether for their home, health, auto, or business—they need absolute confidence that the company will be solvent and ready to pay claims when disaster strikes."

The five-year accreditation highlights significant structural enhancements made by OSI.

"This achievement was truly a team effort," Kane added. "With the vital support of our legislative leaders and state partners, we built a highly qualified team that holds its own against complex national markets. New Mexico policyholders can rest assured that their insurance department is operating at the highest level of national oversight."

The NAIC evaluates state insurance departments every five years across extensive criteria, including legal and statutory authorities, financial examination quality, market conduct, consumer protection, and organizational staffing standards.

More information on the National Association of Insurance Commissioners' (NAIC) 2026 Fall National Meeting can be found HERE.

About the Office of Superintendent of Insurance
The Office of Superintendent of Insurance (OSI) is New Mexico's regulatory agency responsible for overseeing a wide range of insurance products, including private health and life insurance, auto, home, business, and title insurance. For more information visit osi.state.nm.us.

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