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## A BILL

Го	amend sections 1761.01, 1761.02, 1761.03, 1761.05
	to 1761.10, and 1761.13 of the Revised Code to
	modify the Credit Union Guaranty Corporations Law
	regarding insurable credit union share accounts,
	composition of a board of directors, eligibility
	requirements for licensure, powers of a
	corporation, reporting requirements, funds to be
	included in a guarantee fund, and eligible
	investments by a corporation.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 1761.01, 1761.02, 1761.03, 1761.05,	10
1761.06, 1761.07, 1761.08, 1761.09, 1761.10, and 1761.13 of the	11
Revised Code be amended to read as follows:	12
Sec. 1761.01. As used in this chapter:	13
(A) "Account" means the total of all amounts credited to a	14

low-income members; share accounts of other credit unions; and, to

consistent with law, share accounts of public units or political

subdivisions. For purposes of division (B)(2)(b) of this section,

"supervisory authority" means, with respect to any credit union

the extent determined by the participating credit union's

supervisory authority to be received by that credit union

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chapter nor shall any capital contributions, assessments, or fees

received from participating credit unions for primary coverage by

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following conditions:	169
(1) The articles of incorporation of the applicant or	170
corporation, and any amendments thereto, are filed with and	171
approved by the secretary of state and the attorney general;	172
(2) The articles of incorporation and the bylaws of the	173
applicant or corporation, and any amendments thereto, are	174
consistent with the provisions of this chapter and those chapters	175
of Title XXXIX of the Revised Code specified in division (A) of	176
section 1761.04 of the Revised Code, and are approved by the	177
superintendent of insurance;	178
(3) The applicant holds bona fide applications for	179
participation in the corporation from at least fifty thirty credit	180
unions which shall become effective immediately upon issuance of	181
the license, or, in the case of a renewal of such license, the	182
corporation has at least <pre>fifty thirty participating credit unions;</pre>	183
(4) The applicant or corporation maintains a reserve for	184
guarantee losses in compliance with section 1761.15 of the Revised	185
Code;	186
(5) The applicant or corporation has capital deposits in a	187
principal sum no less than five million dollars and such capital	188
deposits are invested in compliance with section $\frac{1761.12}{1761.13}$	189
of the Revised Code;	190
(6) The applicant or corporation submits an audited financial	191
statement verified by the oath of the president and secretary of	192
the corporation, which demonstrates the corporation's compliance	193
with generally accepted accounting principles, and the applicant	194
or corporation submits an annual statement in accordance with	195
sections 3929.30 and 3941.29 of the Revised Code that demonstrates	196
the applicant's or corporation's solvency according to principles	197
of statutory accounting;	198
(7) The superintendent of credit unions certifies in writing	199

(8) Enter into contracts of insurance or reinsurance,	262
insuring in whole or in part its contractual guarantees to	263
participating credit unions and any other insurance or bonding	264
company contracts necessary or advisable in the conduct of its	265
business, provided a credit union share guaranty corporation shall	266
not assume as reinsurer any risks from another insurer;	267
(9) Receive money or other property from its participating	268
credit unions, or any person;	269
(10) Invest its funds as provided in section 1761.13 of the	270
Revised Code;	271
(11) Receive by assignment, mortgage, or purchase any asset	272
or interest therein owned or held by a participating credit union;	273
(12) Sell, assign, mortgage, encumber, or transfer property	274
of any nature;	275
(13) Conduct investigations, examinations, and audits of any	276
applicant or participating credit union in order to determine the	277
financial condition and operations of the applicant or	278
participating credit union;	279
(14) Become a member or shareholder in any organization,	280
domestic or foreign, regional or national, organized and operated	281
for the purpose of assisting the corporation in carrying out its	282
purposes and, subject to the approval of the superintendent of	283
credit unions, delegate to such organization any one or more of	284
the functions for which it is responsible under this chapter;	285
(15) Conduct its affairs in and outside of this state,	286
provided it shall maintain its offices, books, and records in the	287
location stated in its articles of incorporation as its principal	288
place of business.	289
(B) The corporation may obtain, and continuously maintain in	290

effect, reinsurance and a line of credit, each from one or more

insurance companies or financial institutions and in such amount as determined by its board of directors. The superintendent of credit unions or the superintendent of insurance may require the corporation to obtain and maintain reinsurance or a line of credit but only in the event the superintendent of credit unions or the superintendent of insurance first finds that such reinsurance or line of credit is actuarially or financially necessary. Such determination shall be made on a year-to-year basis.

In the event of lapse of either reinsurance or the line of credit of the corporation, the corporation shall immediately notify the superintendent of credit unions, the superintendent of insurance, the president of the senate, and the speaker of the house of representatives, and shall confirm this communication in writing.

- (C) All written communication with regulatory significance from a credit union supervisory authority of another state to the corporation shall be copied and such copy shall be sent by the corporation to the superintendent of credit unions and the superintendent of insurance within three days of receipt.
- (D) The corporation shall not publicly represent in any manner that it is an agency of the state or federal government. Any public representations of the corporation's status or legal existence are further subject to rules adopted by the superintendent of credit unions and the superintendent of insurance.
- (E) The corporation shall submit its standard contract of share guaranty, and any amendments thereto, to the superintendent of credit unions and the superintendent of insurance annually. The contract of share guaranty shall reflect all terms governing the guarantee of payment of a credit union share account and shall constitute the policy of credit union share guaranty insurance.

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Sec. 1761.07. (A) Any credit union chartered by this state or	323
any credit union chartered by a state that, as described in	324
division (B) of this section, allows its credit unions to be	325
eligible for participation in a credit union share guaranty	326
corporation or any credit union chartered by the federal	327
government that, as described in division (C) of this section,	328
allows federally chartered credit unions to be eligible for	329
participation in a credit union share guaranty corporation is	330
eligible to participate in a credit union share guaranty	331
corporation under this chapter, subject to the following	332
conditions:	333
(1) The board of directors of the credit union and the board	334
of directors of the credit union share guaranty corporation	335
approve the participation;	336
(2) The credit union satisfies the risk eligibility standards	337
established by the credit union share guaranty corporation and	338
applicable to all applying and participating credit unions;	339
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(3) The credit union agrees to furnish financial statements,	341
delinquent loan reports, and <del>such</del> other information considered	342
necessary by the credit union share guaranty corporation to assess	343
the financial condition and performance of the credit union;	344
(4) The credit union agrees to be bound by the provisions of	345
this chapter and the articles of incorporation and bylaws of the	346
credit union share guaranty corporation;	347
(5) Participation by the credit union would not result in a	348
violation by the credit union share guaranty corporation of any	349
provision of this chapter or other applicable state or federal	350
law.	351

(B) Credit unions chartered by other states qualify for

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participation in the corporation, provided the following	353
conditions are satisfied:	354
(1) Such participation is lawful under the laws of both this	355
state and the domicile state of the credit union applying for	356
participation in the corporation;	357
(2) The credit union share guaranty corporation by agreement	358
or law has sufficient authority to require the credit union	359
applying for participation in the corporation to comply with the	360
articles of incorporation and bylaws of the corporation, and with	361
this chapter;	362
(3) The credit union supervisory authority of such state	363
agrees to furnish to the credit union share guaranty corporation	364
copies of all financial and examination reports and other	365
information regarding participating credit unions as is necessary	366
to effect the corporation's purposes. If the credit union	367
supervisory authority is prohibited by law from disclosing such	368
this information, the participating credit unions shall provide	369
the information to the corporation.	370
(C) Credit unions chartered by the federal government may	371
participate in the corporation, provided the following conditions	372
are satisfied:	373
(1) The national credit union administration does not	374
restrict such participation;	375
(2) Such participation is lawful under the laws of both this	376
state, the domicile state of the credit union applying for	377
participation in the corporation, and the federal government;	378
(3) The credit union share guaranty corporation by agreement	379
or law has sufficient authority to require the credit union	380
applying for participation in the corporation to comply with the	381
articles of incorporation and bylaws of the corporation, and with	382
this chapter;	383

- (4) Participating To the extent permitted by federal law or regulation, participating credit unions insured by the national credit union administration agree to furnish to the corporation copies of all financial and examination reports and such other information regarding the participating credit unions as is necessary to effect the corporation's purposes.
- (D) Any credit union that has become been admitted to participation in the credit union share guaranty corporation in accordance with the qualifications of this section shall have referenced in their contract with the corporation all of the appropriate conditions for participation and the manner in which they these conditions were satisfied.
- (E) Any credit union that has become been admitted to participation in the corporation in accordance with the qualifications of division (B) or (C) of this section shall have the same privileges, benefits, and obligations of participation as those participating credit unions chartered under the laws of this state.
- (F) No credit union shall be admitted to participation in the corporation unless it has paid in full its capital contribution or any applicable premiums, fees, and assessments.
- (G) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, each participating credit union, which is otherwise entitled to vote on any matters or action of the corporation under this chapter, Chapter 1701. or 1702. of the Revised Code, or the articles or bylaws of the corporation, shall be entitled to cast no more than one vote.
- (H) The right to participate issued by the corporation shall
  be nontransferrable and shall be exempt from the securities laws
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<b>Sec. 1761.08.</b> (A) $\underline{(1)}$ In order to permit the credit union	414
share guaranty corporation to assess the financial condition and	415
performance of a credit union, upon the written request of the	416
corporation, the superintendent of credit unions or other credit	417
union supervisory authority or the national credit union	418
administration may furnish to the corporation a copy of unaudited	419
financial statements filed by a participating credit union or a	420
credit union making application to participate in the corporation	421
pursuant to divisions (B) and (C) of section 1733.32 of the	422
Revised Code or a comparable state or federal statute or of any	423
examination reports of the superintendent or other credit union	424
supervisory authority which were prepared pursuant to division (A)	425
of section 1733.32 of the Revised Code or a comparable state or	426
federal statute. <del>There</del>	427

- (2) There shall be no liability on the part of, and no cause of action of any nature shall arise against this state or any state, the superintendent of credit unions or other credit union supervisory authority, or the national credit union administration for the release of any information furnished to the corporation pursuant to this division. Such financial
- (3) Financial statements and analyses furnished to the corporation pursuant to this division (A) of this section are not public documents, and the information contained therein is privileged and confidential to the corporation for its sole use in carrying out its statutory functions.
- (B)(1) Each participating credit union shall submit monthly to the credit union share guaranty corporation guarterly, or more frequently as considered necessary by the corporation, a copy of its financial statements, delinquent loan report, and any other such information as considered necessary by the credit union share guaranty corporation in order to assess the financial performance of the participating credit union. The corporation may require

(4) There shall be no liability on the part of, and no cause

of action of any nature shall arise against, the corporation or its participating credit unions, directors, officers, employees, or agents, or the superintendent or other credit union supervisory authority or the national credit union administration, for any statements made by them in any reports or recommendations made in accordance with this division (E) of this section.

- (F) When an examination or investigation of any participating credit union is considered necessary for good cause shown by the superintendent of credit unions under this chapter, the corporation shall pay to the superintendent of credit unions the cost thereof, including the salary or other compensation paid to the persons making the examination or rendering special services and overhead cost incurred in connection with the examination or investigation as fixed by the superintendent. In determining the costs of services or examinations, the superintendent may use the estimated hourly cost for all persons performing services for, or examinations of, the corporation for the fiscal year. Travel expenses shall be paid by the division of financial institutions.
- (G) Neither the corporation nor any participating credit union, as an agent of the corporation or of its participating credit unions, or any other person shall use information obtained under division (A), (B), (C), (D), or (E) of this section for any purpose not authorized by this section. The conviction for violation of this division by any person located outside this state shall be reported to the appropriate credit union supervisory authority or the national credit union administration for prosecution under the laws of that jurisdiction.
- Sec. 1761.09. (A) Each credit union share account of an individual member or, as described in division (B)(2) of section 1761.02 of the Revised Code, a nonmember of a participating credit union shall be guaranteed in amounts established from time to time

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by the credit union share guaranty corporation. Such primary	540
guaranteed amount shall not be less than the amount of the credit	541
union share account but, in no event, shall exceed two hundred	542
fifty thousand dollars.	543
(B) In addition to the primary guaranteed amount, the	544
corporation may establish an excess coverage guarantee for the	545
benefit of those participating credit unions that voluntarily	546
elect to obtain such additional guarantee.	547
(C) The guarantees provided pursuant to this chapter do not	548
apply to credit union share accounts until such the credit union	549
has applied for and been admitted as a participating credit union,	550
and cease to apply to the share accounts of any credit union upon	551
the later of any of the following:	552
(1) The termination of the credit union's participation in	553
the corporation pursuant to section 1761.12 of the Revised Code;	554
(2) The completion of the liquidation of the credit union;	555
(3) The withdrawal of the credit union from participation in	556
the corporation.	557
Sec. 1761.10. (A)(1) A credit union share guaranty	558
corporation shall establish and maintain a guarantee fund. The	559
fund shall be maintained at a normal operating level as defined by	560
the board of directors of the corporation and approved by the	561
superintendent of insurance, except that the normal operating	562
level shall at all times be no less than one per cent of the	563
aggregate share capital of participating credit unions,	564
irrespective of how denominated. The fund of the corporation shall	565
be comprised of the following:	566
(a) The account for each participating credit union;	567
(b) Retained and undivided earnings;	568
(c) Any reserves required by statute or order of the	569

of directors may make a distribution of the excess to

participating credit unions. Any distribution shall be made to

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each participating credit union in the proportion that each participating credit union's account bears to the total aggregate participating credit union accounts of the corporation. No determination by the board of directors is effective until approved by the superintendent of insurance. No distribution shall be made, nor shall it confer any rights, until approved by the superintendent of insurance.

- (4) The amount of the account of each participating credit union shall be carried on the books of the individual participant as a deposit with the corporation.
- (5) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, the corporation shall require the participating credit unions to make capital contributions to maintain the normal operating level set by division (A)(1) of this section during any calendar year in which the fund has been reduced below the minimum operating level as a result of payment of any deficiencies in credit union share accounts.
- (B)(1) The corporation may annually or more frequently levy and collect additions to the capital contribution as the board of directors of the corporation considers appropriate. The corporation shall notify the superintendent of credit unions and the superintendent of insurance of such additions. Whenever the superintendent of credit unions or the superintendent of insurance considers it necessary for the maintenance of the normal operating level of the fund, he the superintendent shall order the corporation to levy and collect additions to the capital contributions. Such order shall specify the amount of the addition and the reasons upon which the order is based.
- (2) The corporation shall send a written notice of capital contributions required pursuant to division (B)(1) of this section to each participating credit union within ten days after the levy of any capital contributions. Capital contributions shall be paid

(E)(1) In the event any participating credit union fails to

pay an annual capital contribution when due, the corporation shall report such default in writing to the superintendent of credit unions and the superintendent of insurance and the appropriate credit union supervisory authority or the national credit union administration within twenty-four hours of such default, and shall revoke after thirty days' notice the participating credit union's participation in the corporation, unless good cause is shown for the delay.

- (2) In the event any participating credit union fails to pay any additional capital contribution, premium, fee, or assessment when due, the corporation shall report such default in writing to the superintendent of credit unions and the superintendent of insurance and the appropriate credit union supervisory authority or the national credit union administration within twenty-four hours of such default, and shall revoke after thirty days' notice the participating credit union's participation in the corporation, unless good cause is shown for the delay.
- (3) The thirty-day notice of revocation required under divisions (E)(1) and (2) of this section does not apply to the revocation of excess coverage.
- (F) Any participating credit union that is voluntarily liquidated or, any participating credit union that withdraws from participation in the corporation and obtains a different form of share guaranty or insurance pursuant to section 1733.041 of the Revised Code or similar state statute, or any participating credit union that merges with another credit union that becomes the surviving credit union whose shares are guaranteed or insured by a different form of guaranty or insurance may be refunded in an amount equal to the balance of its capital contribution account. Such reimbursement of a participating credit union's capital contribution account balance shall be paid only if and when the guarantee fund exceeds its normal operating level as calculated

- (5) In United Sates States government securities or United 728
  States government agency obligations; 729
- (6) In bonds or other evidence of indebtedness rated in the 730 three highest ratings of Standard and Poor's or Moody's service, 731 not in default as to principal or interest, that are valid 732 obligations issued, assumed, or guaranteed by any state, county, 733 or municipal corporation of the United States; 734
- (7) In bonds or other evidence of indebtedness rated in the three highest ratings by Standard and Poor's or Moody's service, not in default as to principal or interest, that are valid obligations issued, assumed, or guaranteed by any corporation incorporated under the laws of the United States or a state and described in division (D)(1) of section 3925.08 of the Revised Code. However, a credit union share guaranty corporation shall not invest in any such corporate security containing any provision of optionality, including, but not limited to, any derivative security.
- (8) In any other investments that are expressly approved by the superintendent of credit unions and the superintendent of insurance or are permitted by rules adopted by the superintendents pursuant to division (C) of section 1761.04 of the Revised Code, but such other investments shall not exceed twenty per cent of the sum of the capital contributions, retained and undivided earnings, and any borrowings made in accordance with section 3901.72 of the Revised Code of the corporation. The superintendents shall not permit the corporation to make any investment in any unrelated corporation or unrelated subsidiary without the prior written approval of the superintendent of credit unions and the superintendent of insurance.
- (B) The maximum investment in securities of any one corporation shall not exceed ten per cent of the guarantee fund at the time the investment is made.

Section 2. That existing sections 1761.01, 1761.02, 1761.03,

1761.05, 1761.06, 1761.07, 1761.08, 1761.09, 1761.10, and 1761.13

of the Revised Code are hereby repealed.

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