Guide to U.S. Authorized Reinsurers

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Overview

The purpose of this document is to outline the contact information for each of the U.S. state insurance departments and the process to either confirm whether a particular company of interest is licensed in a particular state or to obtain a listing of authorized reinsurers in that state.

Important Note

Aon Benfield Corporate Market Security analyzes reinsurers and attempts to identify those reinsurers that are financially sound and well managed. Clients who wish to use reinsurers not meeting the Aon Benfield criteria are required to sign an instruction letter evidencing their decision to use the reinsurer. Reinsurers who meet the Aon Benfield criteria may be authorized or unauthorized by the ceding company's state of domicile. For additional information regarding the Aon Benfield Market Security procedures, please contact your Aon Benfield Broker or Aon Benfield Research (aonbenfieldresearch@aonbenfield.com).

U.S. State Insurance Department Licensing

Each state’s individual insurance department is responsible for the licensing of insurance companies in their respective state.

For the purposes of the Provision for Reinsurance (provision), reinsurers are classified into two groups:

1. Authorized Reinsurer—A reinsurer that is licensed, accredited or approved by the ceding entity’s state of domicile
2. Unauthorized Reinsurer—A reinsurer that is not licensed, accredited or approved by the ceding entity’s state of domicile

To determine if a particular reinsurer is authorized (i.e. licensed, accredited, approved, etc.), you will need to check with the department of insurance for the particular ceding company’s state of domicile.

Background

Insurance companies are concerned with the authorization of potential reinsurers due to the fact that Statutory Accounting Principles (SAP) may impose a penalty or provision for reinsurance recoverables if a reinsurer is unlicensed. This penalty is a contingent liability known as the provision. The intent of the provision is to serve as a minimum reserve for uncollectible reinsurance. The provision for reinsurance effectively reduces SAP surplus on a dollar-for-dollar basis. Because the provision offsets the reinsurance recoverable assets and/or the reduction in net liabilities, recoverables that result in a provision are not benefiting the cedent’s balance sheet. For this reason, it is stated that cedents are unable to “take credit for reinsurance on their financial statements” if the recoverables result in a provision.
One of the most important factors influencing the provision is whether a reinsurer is authorized or unauthorized in the cedent’s state of domicile. When a reinsurer is authorized, they are licensed or accredited\(^1\) by the ceding company’s state of domicile. Unauthorized reinsurers are deemed more risky under SAP as there are substantially higher provisions for these reinsurers, unless these balances are secured or collateralized. U.S. cedents typically require reinsurers, per the reinsurance agreement, to provide collateral for their recoverables if the reinsurer is not authorized (licensed or accredited) in the cedent’s state of domicile.

Below are links to the contact information and the processes required to obtain licensing information for insurance companies associated with each of the fifty United States and Washington D.C.

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Source: Aon Benfield Research; State Insurance Department for each of the 50 states and Washington D.C.

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1 An Accredited Reinsurer is one that is not licensed in a state, but it has demonstrated that ability to meet the state’s financial requirements, is licensed in at least one state, and permits the state to examine its books and records.
Contacts

For additional information on this report or our analytics capabilities, please contact your local Aon Benfield Broker or a member of the Aon Benfield Research, including:

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Alabama

Insurance Office:  Alabama Department of Insurance

Phone:  334-241-4141

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life, Disabilities, and Annuities
- Property

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accepted Reinsurer

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Insurance Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the search by field for ‘Name’ insert the name of the company that you are attempting to verify
- Click "Submit"
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company. To determine the lines of business select “View” for the individual company and reference the “Powers Held.”

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Line of Business Search

Directions 1:
- In the drop-down menu for 'Type (Powers Held)' select “Accepted Reinsurer”
- Click "Submit"
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer. If the company of interest is not included in the list, then check under the respective individual primary line of business.
Alaska

Insurance Office: Alaska Division of Insurance

Phone: 907-465-2515

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- LIFE/HEALTH INSURER
- PROPERTY/CASUALTY INSURER

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- ACCREDITED REINSURER

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest
- Click “Query”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer if their ‘Org Type’ indicated is ACCREDITED REINSURER. If the company of interest is included in the list and the ‘Org Type’ is either LIFE/HEALTH INSURER or PROPERTY/CASUALTY REINSURER, then they are authorized under the respective individual primary line of business. To determine the lines of business select the “AKID#” for the individual company and reference the “authorized lines”.

Note – The Active indicator in the search results identifies whether the authorization is currently active.
Verify that the Active indicator for the company of interest is “Yes”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: gloria.glover@alaska.gov

Directions 1:

- Email Gloria Glover (an employee of the Alaska Division of Insurance) to request a complete listing of Licensed Insurance Companies, Accredited Reinsurers and/or Alien Trust Reinsurers.
Arizona

Insurance Office: Arizona Department of Insurance

Phone: 602-364-2499

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- LR = LIFE AND DISABILITY REINSURANCE
- MR = MECHANICAL REIMBURSEMENT REINSURANCE
- UR = UNAFFILIATED CREDIT LIFE AND DISABILITY REINSURANCE

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Search by Entity Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click "Search"
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer for the lines of business indicated by ‘Business Type’. To determine the lines of business select the radial next to the individual company, click “View Details”, and reference the “Authority”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Arizona Department of Insurance – Annual Report

Directions 1:

- An annual report is updated every winter and contains a listing of insurers authorized in the state. Select the latest year available to download the report.
- Locate the listing of “INSURERS AUTHORIZED IN ARIZONA” within the report.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer of the lines of business indicated by their ‘Authorized Lines’ classifications.
Arkansas

Insurance Office: Arkansas Insurance Department
Phone: 501-371-2600

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life & Disability Insurers
- Property & Casualty Insurers

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurers
- Trusteed Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the 'Name' search bar insert the company of interest and click "Search"
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer for the lines of business indicated. To determine the lines of business reference the column “Pwr Lines” in the search results.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Accredited Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of accredited reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of Trusteed Reinsurers.

Link 2: Trusteed Reinsurers

Directions 2:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of trusteed reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of the primary insurers for the respective line of business.
Link 3: Life & Disability Insurers

Directions 3:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of life and disability insurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective line of business.

Link 4: Property & Casualty Insurers

Directions 4:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of property and casualty insurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective line of business.

Note – The status indicator in the listing is entitled “STAT” and it identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the Active indicator for the company of interest is “A”.

Note – The authorized lines of business indicator in the listing is entitled “Pwr Lines” and it identifies the lines of business that the company is authorized to write. Verify that the line of business of interest is included in the respective listing of authorized lines.
California

Insurance Office: California Department of Insurance

Phone: 213-897-8921

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurers
- Approved U.S. Trusts (Reinsurance)

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the 'Company Name' search bar insert the company of interest
- Click “Get Company”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are authorized under certain individual primary lines of business. Select the “(Info)” link next to the company name for further details on the company and reference the Lines of Insurance Authorized to Transact for the specific primary lines for which the company is licensed.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Accredited Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of accredited reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of Approved U.S. Trusts (Reinsurance).

Link 2: Approved U.S. Trusts (Reinsurance)

Directions 2:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of trusteed reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then individual companies can be researched using the “Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized” for the state of California above.
Colorado

Insurance Office:  Colorado Division of Insurance

Phone:  303-894-7499

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life
- Casualty
- Multiple Line

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Non Admitted Reinsurer

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest
- Click “Submit Company Query”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are authorized under certain individual primary lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the company name and reference the “Authorized Lines of Insurance”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Line of Business Search

Directions 1:
- In the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select “Non Admitted Reinsurer”
- Click “Submit Company Query”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer. If the company of interest is not included in the list, then check under the respective individual primary line of business.
Connecticut

Insurance Office:  Connecticut Insurance Department

Phone:  860-297-3800

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life and Accident & Health
- Property Casualty

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Reinsurance (life-health)
- Reinsurance (property-casualty)
- Accredited/Approved Reinsurer
- Approved Reinsurers Domicile with Similar Statutes
- Approved Reinsurer Pool
- Approved Reinsurer Trust

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1:  Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- Select the radial button next to “Business Entities Appointments”
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest
- Click “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are authorized under certain individual primary lines of business indicated by ‘Class’ in the search results.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1:  Listing of License Insurance Companies in Connecticut

Directions 1:
- Click on the link for the latest quarterly report detailing the “Licensed Insurance Companies, Approved Reinsurers, Surplus Lines Insurers and Risk Retention Groups in Connecticut”
- Locate the “Code List” within the report. These listings indicated those companies licensed to do business in the state and their respective authorized lines, as indicated by their ‘Line of Business’ and ‘Type of Company’ classifications.
Delaware

Insurance Office: Delaware Department of Insurance

Phone: 302-674-7300

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Domestic Life & Health
- Domestic Property & Casualty
- Foreign Life & Health
- Foreign Property & Casualty
- Alien

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurer – Life/Accident/Health
- Accredited Reinsurer – Property/Casualty

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: List of Authorized Companies

Directions 1:
- Select the link at the bottom of the page is a link to the “List of Companies By Company Name”. This will open a listing of companies authorized in Delaware (sorted alphabetically).
- When prompted by Excel, select “Open” to open the file.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the lines of business indicated by “Type”.

Note – The legend for the codes used in the lists for company type can be found here.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Licensed and Accredited Companies for Reinsurance

Directions 1:
- At the bottom of the page is a note: "Click here to download an Excel spreadsheet for Licensed and Accredited Companies for Reinsurance as of 12/31/XX". Click on "Click here" to open the Excel file.
- When prompted by Excel, select “Open” to open the file.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the lines of business indicated by “Type”.

Note – There is a separate spreadsheet within the workbook that indicates the Lloyd’s Syndicates that are authorized for reinsurance. Also, the legend for the codes used in the lists for company type can be found here.
Florida

Insurance Office:  Florida Office of Insurance Regulation

Phone:  850-413-3140

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business.  Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life and Health Insurer
- Offshore Insurer
- Other Insurance Related Entity
- Property and Casualty Insurer

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only.  These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurer
- Approved Reinsurer
- Approved Reinsurer and Eligible Surplus Lines
- Eligible Reinsurer
- Satisfactory Non-Approved Reinsurer
- Trusteed Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1:  Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest
- Click “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business.  To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized Lines of Business”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1:  Line of Business Search

Directions 1:
- In the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select any of the above reinsurer listings and then select “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.  If the company of interest is not included in the list, then check under the other individual reinsurer listings.
– If the company of interest is included in any of the reinsurer lists, then they are an authorized reinsurer. If the company of interest is not included in the list, then check under the respective individual primary line of business.

– If the company of interest is included in any of the primary insurer lists, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized Lines of Business”.
Georgia

Insurance Office:  Georgia Department of Insurance

Phone:  404-656-2070

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1:  Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest. The search results will automatically be populated in the window below.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Type”.

Note – The active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the ‘Status’ for the company of interest is “ACTIVE”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1:  Approved Alien Insurers
Link 2:  All Approved Insurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of approved alien insurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of all approved insurers.

Directions 2:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of all approved insurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. To determine the lines of business reference the “LINE CODE” column in the file.
Hawaii

Insurance Office:  [Hawaii Department of Commerce & Consumer Affairs](http://www.hawaii.gov/commerce)

Phone:  808-586-2790

**Authorized Reinsurance Companies**

The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

**Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:**

**Link 1:** [Individual Company Search](http://www.hawaii.gov/commerce)

**Directions 1:**

- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search the Database”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the license number next to the individual company name and reference the “License Classes”.

**Note** – The active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the ‘Class Status’ for the company of interest is “ACTIVE”.

**Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:**

**Link 1:** [Report of the Insurance Commissioner of Hawaii](http://www.hawaii.gov/commerce)

**Directions 1:**

- Click on the link for the latest year available to download the report.
- Locate the “Directory of Insurance Companies” within the report.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer of the lines of business indicated by their ‘CLASSES OF INSURANCE’ classifications.
Idaho

Insurance Office: Idaho Department of Insurance

Phone: 208-334-4250

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life or Disability Company
- Property or Casualty Company

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Reinsurance Only Company
- Trusteed Reinsurance Only

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name‘ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line Description”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Line of Business Search

Directions 1:
- In the drop-down menu for ‘To search BY COMPANY TYPE’ select either of the above reinsurer listings and then select “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer. If the company of interest is not included in the list, then check under the other reinsurer listing.
- If the company of interest is included in either of the reinsurer lists, then they are an authorized reinsurer. If the company of interest is not included in the list, then check under the respective individual primary line of business.
- If the company of interest is included in a primary insurer listing, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line Description”.
Illinois

Insurance Office: Illinois Department of Insurance

Phone: 217-782-4515

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Annual Report to the Governor

Directions 1:
– Click on the link for the latest year available for the “Annual Report to the Governor”
– Search for the company of interest within the listings of the “Lines of Authority” within the report.
– If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer of the lines of business indicated by their ‘CLASS AUTHORITY’ classifications.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Annual Report to the Governor

Directions 1:
– Click on the link for the latest year available for the “Annual Report to the Governor”
– Locate the “Lines of Authority” within the report. These listings indicated those companies licensed to do business in the state and their respective authorized lines, as indicated by their ‘CLASS AUTHORITY’ classifications.

Note – The latest annual report available on the state website is on a one year lag. The most recent version of the report (with details regarding current authorizations) is available by contacting the insurance department directly and paying a fee.
Indiana
Insurance Office:  Indiana Department of Insurance
Phone:  317-232-2385

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.
- Licensed Companies
- Domestic Companies

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.
- Accredited Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1:  Individual Company Search Lookup Tool

Directions 1:
- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “Indiana”. Then, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized Lines Description”.

Note – The active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the ‘Status’ for the company of interest is “Active”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1:  Accredited Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of accredited reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of the primary insurers for the respective line of business.

Link 2:  Licensed Companies

Directions 2:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of insurance companies licensed in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business.
Link 3:  [Domestic Companies](#)

Directions 3:

- The above is a direct link to the listing of domestic insurance companies authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business.
Iowa

Insurance Office: Iowa Insurance Division

Phone: 515-281-5705

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
– In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Display Company Info”
– If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Type of Iowa Insurance License”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: All Insurance Companies Licensed to do Business

Directions 1:
– The above listing is a direct link to all insurance companies that are licensed to do business in the state of Iowa. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Type of Iowa Insurance License”.


Kansas

Insurance Office: Kansas Insurance Department

Phone: 785-296-3071

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Accident & Health and Life Companies
- Property & Casualty Companies

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Approved Trusteed Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Type”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Approved Trusteed Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of approved trusteed reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of the primary insurers for the respective line of business.

Link 2: Admitted Insurers

Directions 2:
- Click on the above link to be taken to the search query for a listing of admitted insurers in the state of Kansas.
- Under the ‘Type of Company’ search criteria, select the tick-box next to the “Accident & Health and Life Companies” and/or “Property & Casualty Companies” and then select “Submit”.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Type”.

Note – The Active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the ‘Status’ for the company of interest is “ACTIVE”.

Kentucky

Insurance Office: Kentucky Department of Insurance

Phone: 502-564-3630

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Insurer

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurer
- Other Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line(s) of Authority”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Insurer Directory Search

Directions 1:
- Within the fields for ‘Enter Your Search Criteria’ locate the ‘Entity Type’ drop-down menu and select “Accredited Reinsurer”. Then select “Search”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
- If the company of interest is not included in this list, then return to the insurer directory search and select “Other Reinsurers”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
- If the company of interest is not included in this list, the return to the insurer directory search and select “Insurer”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line(s) of Authority”.

Note – The search functionality has a default setting for ‘Results’ to display only active companies. Ensure that the radial next to “Only Active” is not changed.
Louisiana

Insurance Office: Louisiana Department of Insurance

Phone: 800-259-5300

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Admitted Insurer

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurer

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- Verify that within the fields for ‘Search By’ the “Name” radial is selected. Then in the ‘Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business reference the “Coverage Lines” associated with the individual company.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Active Company Search Form

Directions 1:

- Within the fields for ‘Search By’ select the “License Type” radial. This will prompt the drop-down menu to be revised to ‘License Type’.
- In the ‘License Type’ drop-down menu select “Accredited Reinsurer” and then select “Search”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
- If the company of interest is not included in this list, then return to the active company search form and select “Admitted Insurer” license type. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business. To determine the lines of business reference the “Coverage Lines” associated with each individual company.
Maine

Insurance Office: Maine Bureau of Insurance

Phone: 207-624-8475

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Insurance Company

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurers
- Approved Reinsurer

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- Within the fields to search for a company under the ‘Regulator’ drop-down menu select “INSURANCE”.
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the link to the “Authority” records.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Search for a Company

Directions 1:

- Within the fields to search for a company under the ‘Regulator’ drop-down menu select “INSURANCE”.
- Then, under the ‘Business Type’ drop-down menu select “INSURANCE COMPANIES” and then select “Search”.
- If the company of interest is included in the list and has the ‘Profession’ classification of either “Accredited Reinsurers” or “Approved Reinsurer”, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
- If the company of interest is included in this list and has the ‘Profession’ classification of “Insurance Company”, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the link to the “Authority” records.

Note – The search functionality has a default setting to display only active companies. Ensure that the tick-box next to “Show only active licenses” is not unchecked.
Maryland

Insurance Office: Maryland Insurance Administration

Phone: 410-468-2000

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Fully Licensed NAIC Company

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accepted Re-Insurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Lines of Business”.

Note – If you do not know the full company name, place an * (asterisk) next to the part of the name you do know.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Application Type’ drop-down menu select “Accepted Re-Insurers” and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
- If the company of interest is not included in this list, then return to the company search form and select “Fully Licensed NAIC Company” application type. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Lines of Business”.
Massachusetts

Insurance Office: Office of Consumer Affairs and Business Regulation

Phone: 617-727-3074

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life, Accident & Health
- Property & Casualty

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurer
- Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Licensed or Approved Companies

Directions 1:

- The above listing is a direct link to all insurance companies that are licensed to do business in the state of Iowa.
- Search for the company of interest within the listings of the Licensed or Approved Companies within the report.
- If the company of interest is included in the list and has the ‘License Class’ classification of either “Accredited Reinsurer” or “Reinsurers”, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
- If the company of interest is included in this list and has the ‘License Class’ classification of either “Life, Accident & Health” or “Property & Casualty”, then they are an authorized company for the respective primary lines of business.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Licensed or Approved Companies

Directions 1:

- The above listing is a direct link to all insurance companies that are licensed to do business in the state of Iowa.
- Locate the listings of the Licensed or Approved Companies within the report. These listings indicated those companies licensed to do business in the state and their respective authorized lines, as indicated by their ‘License Class’.
- If the company of interest is included in the list and has the ‘License Class’ classification of either “Accredited Reinsurer” or “Reinsurers”, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
- If the company of interest is included in this list and has the ‘License Class’ classification of either “Life, Accident & Health” or “Property & Casualty”, then they are an authorized company for the respective primary lines of business.
Michigan

Insurance Office:  [Michigan Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation]

Phone:  877-999-6442

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Health Entities
- Life Insurance Entities
- Property Insurance Entities
- Property and Casualty Entities

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Authorized Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1:  [Individual Company Search]

Directions 1:

- In the 'Insurance Entity' search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Entity Type”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1:  [Companies for which Reinsurance Credits are Allowed]

Directions 1:

- The above is a direct link to the listing of all companies authorized for reinsurance in the state. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
Minnesota

Insurance Office:  Minnesota Department of Commerce: Insurance Gateway
Phone:  651-296-2860

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life
- Property and Casualty

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Life Reinsurer
- Accredited Property Reinsurer
- Trusteed Reinsurance
- Trusteed Reinsurer

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1:  Individual Company Search Lookup Tool

Directions 1:
- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “Minnesota”. Then, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized Lines Description”.

Note – The active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the ‘Status’ for the company of interest is “Active”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1:  License Lookup Director

Directions 1:
- In the drop-down menu for the ‘License Lookup Directory’ select “Insurance Company” and then select “Go”. This will direct you to a new website.
- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “Minnesota”. Also, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.
- For the ‘Inquiry Type’ select the radial next to “Active Company List”.
- In the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select any of the above reinsurer listings and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
– If the company of interest is not included in the list, then check under the other individual reinsurer listings. If the company of interest is included in any of the other reinsurer lists, then they are an authorized reinsurer.

– If the company of interest is not included in the reinsurance listings, then check under the respective individual primary line of business. If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listings, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business.
Mississippi

Insurance Office: Mississippi Insurance Department

Phone: 601-359-3569

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
– In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
– If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the ‘License Number’ link next to the individual company name and reference the “Lines”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Licensed Insurance Companies

Directions 1:
– In the ‘Choose list to Download’ drop-down menu of the search functionality select “Licensed Insurance Companies”.
– If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business reference the “Type” associated with the company.
Missouri

Insurance Office: Missouri Dept of Insurance, Financial Institutions & Prof Registration

Phone: 573-751-3518

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life and Health
- Mutual Property Insurance Company
- Property and Casualty

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Reinsurer

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line of Business” link.

Note – The search results will display both active and inactive licensing information. Ensure that the company ‘Status’ column indicates that the license is “Active”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: License Lookup Director

Directions 1:

- In the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select “Reinsurer” and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the reinsurer listing, then check under the respective individual primary line of business. If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listings, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line of Business” link.

Note – The search results will display both active and inactive licensing information. Ensure that the company ‘Status’ column indicates that the license is “Active”.
Montana

Insurance Office: Montana Commissioner of Securities and Insurance

Phone: 406-444-2040

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
– Click on the above link to be taken to the search query for a listing of licensed insurers in the state.
– Under the ‘Company’ drop-down menu to identify if the company is licensed in the state. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business.
– To determine the lines of business for which an individual company is licensed contact Russ Ehman in the Examinations Department (rehman@state.mt.us or 406-444-4350).

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Approved Reinsurers

Directions 1:
– The above is a direct link to the listing of approved trusteeed reinsurers authorized in the state.
– If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of the licensed companies.

Link 2: Licensed Companies

Directions 2:
– Click on the above link to be taken to the search query for a listing of licensed insurers in the state.
– Under the ‘Company’ drop-down menu to identify if the company is licensed in the state. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business.
– To determine the lines of business for which an individual company is licensed contact Russ Ehman in the Examinations Department (rehman@state.mt.us or 406-444-4350).
Nebraska

Insurance Office: Nebraska Department of Insurance

Phone: 406-444-2040

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life and Health
- Property and Casualty

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business reference the “Authorized Lines” listing.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Cyndie.White@nebraska.gov

Directions 2:
- Email Cynthia White (or 402-471-8332) to request a complete listing of Licensed Insurance Companies, Accredited Reinsurers and/or Alien Trust Reinsurers.

Link 2: Licensed Companies

Directions 2:
- If the company of interest is not included in the reinsurer listing, then check under the respective individual primary line of business. Click on the above link to be taken to the search query for a listing of licensed insurers in the state.
- Under the ‘Company License Type’ drop-down menu select the respective primary line of business and then select “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listings, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized Lines” listing.
Nevada

Insurance Office: Nevada Division of Insurance

Phone: 702-486-4009

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life and Health
- Property and Casualty Insurer

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurer

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search Lookup Tool

Directions 1:
- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “Nevada”. Then, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized Lines Description”.

Note – The active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the ‘Status’ for the company of interest is “Active”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: License Look-up Tool

Directions 1:
- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “Nevada”. Also, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.
- For the ‘Inquiry Type’ select the radial next to “Active Company List”.
- In the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select “Accredited Reinsurer” and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the reinsurer listing, then check under the respective individual primary line of business. If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listings, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business.
New Hampshire

Insurance Office: New Hampshire Insurance Department

Phone: 603-271-2261

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life Companies - Licensed
- Property and Casualty Companies – Licensed
- Accident & Health Companies - Licensed

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Credit for Reinsurance Approved List
- Credit for Reinsurance Approved Alien List

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line of Business” link.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Listings of Licensed or Approved Companies

Directions 1:

- The above is a direct link to the listing of the various listings of licensed or approved insurance companies in the state.
- Select the link entitled “Credit for Reinsurance Approved List” to open the file. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the list, then select the link entitled “Credit for Reinsurance Approved Alien List” to open the file. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the reinsurance listings, then select the link entitled for the respective individual primary line of business. If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listings, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business.
New Jersey

Insurance Office:  New Jersey Department of Banking & Insurance

Phone:  609-292-7272

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1:  Licensed Insurance Carriers

Directions 1:
– The above is a direct link to the listing of licensed insurance carriers in the state.
– If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1:  Accredited Reinsurers

Directions 1:
– The above is a direct link to the listing of accredited reinsurers authorized in the state.
– If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of the primary insurers.

Link 2:  Licensed Insurance Carriers

Directions 2:
– The above is a direct link to the listing of licensed insurance carriers in the state.
– If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
New Mexico

Insurance Office: New Mexico Public Regulation Commission--Insurance Division

Phone: 888-427-5772

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
– In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
– If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Class” listing.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Loretta.Trujillo@state.nm.us

Directions 1:
– Email Loretta Trujillo (or 505-827-4647) to request a complete listing of Licensed Insurance Companies, Accredited Reinsurers and/or Alien Trust Reinsurers.
New York

Insurance Office:  New York State Insurance Department

Phone:  518-474-6600

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- AH: Accident and Health Insurers
- LF: Life Insurers
- PC: Property/Casualty Insurers

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- ARL: Accredited Reinsurers - Life
- ARP: Accredited Reinsurers – Property/Casualty

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1:  Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- Click on the “Insurance Company Search” link following ‘Select the following link to use the application” to access the tool
- In the ‘Company Name Starting with’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Current Writing Powers” listing.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1:  Insurance Company Search

Directions 1:

- Click on the “Insurance Company Search” link following ‘Select the following link to use the application” to access the tool
- In the drop-down menu for ‘Org Type’ select the respective line of business reinsurer listing and then select “Search”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the respective line of business reinsurer listing, then check under the respective individual primary line of business listing. If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listing, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Current Writing Powers” listing.
North Carolina

Insurance Office: North Carolina Department of Insurance

Phone: 919-807-6750

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- F&C
- Life

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurer
- Authorized Reinsurer (b)(3)
- Authorized Reinsurer (b)(4)

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line of Business” link.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Insurance Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select “Accredited Reinsurer” and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the list, then in the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select “Authorized Reinsurer (b)(3)” and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the list, then in the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select “Authorized Reinsurer (b)(4)” and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the reinsurer listings then check under the respective individual primary line of business listing. If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listing, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line of Business” link.
North Dakota

Insurance Office:  [North Dakota Insurance Department](#)

Phone:  701-328-2440

**Authorized Reinsurance Companies**

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life Insurers
- Property & Casualty Insurers

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurers
- Trusteed Reinsurers

**Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:**

**Link 1:**  [Individual Company Search](#)

**Directions 1:**
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line of Business” link.

**Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:**

**Link 1:**  [Accredited Reinsurers](#)

**Directions 1:**
- The above is a direct link to the listing of accredited reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of Trusteed Reinsurers.

**Link 2:**  [Trusteed Reinsurers](#)

**Directions 2:**
- The above is a direct link to the listing of trusteed reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of the primary insurers for the respective line of business.
Link 3: Life Insurers

Directions 3:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of life and disability insurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective line of business.

Link 4: Property & Casualty Insurers

Directions 4:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of property and casualty insurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective line of business.

Note – The status indicator in the listings is entitled “Status” and it identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the Active indicator for the company of interest is “A”.
Ohio

Insurance Office: Ohio Department of Insurance

Phone: 614-644-2658

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life
- Mutual Protective - Property
- Property & Casualty

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Insurance Companies Authorized to Transact Business

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of all insurance companies authorized to transact business in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective lines of business.
Oklahoma

Insurance Office: Oklahoma Insurance Department

Phone: 405-521-2828

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life
- Property and Casualty

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search Lookup Tool

Directions 1:

- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “Oklahoma”. Then, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized Lines Description”.

Note – The active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the ‘Status’ for the company of interest is “Active”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Oklahoma Insurance Department – Annual Report

Directions 1:

- The above is a direct link to a report that is updated annually and which contains a listing of insurers authorized in the state.
- Locate the listing of “Accredited Reinsurers” within the report. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
- If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of “Licensed Insurance Companies” for the respective line of business.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer of the lines of business indicated by their ‘Authorized Lines’ classifications.
Oregon

Insurance Office: Department of Consumer & Business Services - Insurance Division

Phone: 503-947-7980

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized for” listing.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Accredited Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of accredited reinsurers in the state. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
- If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the respective listings of primary insurers licensed in the state.

Link 2: Companies by Authorization

Directions 2:
- In the ‘Search authorization classes to include’ select the tick-box next to each of the respective lines of business and then select “Submit”.
- If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listing, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective lines of business. To determine the lines of business reference individual company and the lines listed under “Authorized for”.

Link 2: Companies by Authorization
Pennsylvania

Insurance Office:  Pennsylvania Insurance Department

Phone:  717-787-2317

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Qualified Unlicensed Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1:  Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the pane to search for a licensed insurance company ‘Find’ bar insert the company of interest and click on "Search"
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Powers” listing.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1:  Qualified Unlicensed Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of accredited reinsurers in the state. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.
- If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the respective listings of primary insurers licensed in the state.

Link 2:  Company Search by Line of Business

Directions 2:
- In the ‘search for a company licensed for a particular line of business’ panel select the radial next to the respective line of business and then select “Search”.
- If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listing, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company and reference the lines listed under “Powers”.
Rhode Island
Insurance Office: Rhode Island Department of Business Regulation
Phone: 401-462-9500

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life Insurance Companies
- Property and Casualty Insurance Companies

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurers
- Approved Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line of Business” link.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Accredited Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of accredited reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of Approved Reinsurers.

Link 2: Approved Reinsurers

Directions 2:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of trusteeed reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of the primary insurers for the respective line of business.
Link 3: Life Insurance Companies

Directions 3:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of life and disability insurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective line of business.

Link 4: Property and Casualty Insurance Companies

Directions 4:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of property and casualty insurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective line of business.
South Carolina

Insurance Office:  South Carolina Department of Insurance

Phone:  803-737-6160

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Approved Assuming Reinsurers
- Approved Unlicensed Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1:  Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “License Information”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1:  List of Companies Authorized to Transact Business in the State

Directions 1:

- In the ‘General Information’ section select the link for “List of Approved Assuming Reinsurers” to open the file. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the list, then in the ‘General Information’ section select the link for “List of Approved Unlicensed Reinsurers” to open the file. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the list, then in the ‘General Information’ section select the link for “List of Insurance Companies and Health Maintenance Organizations Authorized to Transact Business” to open the file. If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listing, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business. To determine the lines of business reference the “Lines of Authority” for each individual company.
South Dakota

Insurance Office:  South Dakota Division of Insurance

Phone:  605-773-3563

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited / Qualified Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search Lookup Tool

Directions 1:
- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “South Dakota”. Then, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on "Submit"
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized Lines Description”.

Note – The active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the ‘Status’ for the company of interest is “Active”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Accredited / Qualified Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of accredited / qualified reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of the primary insurers for the respective line of business.

Link 2: License Look-up Tool

Directions 2:
- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “South Dakota”. Also, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.
- For the ‘Inquiry Type’ select the radial next to “Active Company List”.
- In the drop-down menu for ‘Authorized Line Type’ select the respective line of business and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business.
Tennessee

Insurance Office:  Tennessee Department of Commerce and Insurance

Phone:  615-741-2241

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business.  Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life
- Lloyds Plan Company
- Property

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only.  These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Limited Capital Reinsurer
- Reinsurer

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1:  Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on "Submit"
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business.  To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line of Business” link.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1:  Insurance Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select “Reinsurer” and then select “Submit”.  If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the list, then in the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select “Limited Capital Reinsurer” and then select “Submit”.  If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the reinsurer listings then check under the respective individual primary line of business listing.  If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listing, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business.  To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line of Business” link.
Texas

Insurance Office:  Texas Department of Insurance

Phone:  800-578-4677

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Reinsurance All Lines

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1:  Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Types of Insurance Licensed to Write” listing.

Note – The active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the ‘Status’ for the company of interest is “Active”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1:  Company Download Files

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Company Download Files’ section select the link for “Authorized Insurance Companies” and then select “Open” to view the file.
- If the company of interest is included in the authorized listing, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective lines of business indicated. To determine the lines of business reference the columns to the far right within the file that have numerical headings (for example: the column entitled “1” indicates which companies are authorized for “Life” business).
Utah

Insurance Office:  Utah Insurance Department

Phone:  801-538-3800

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business.  Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Domestic Insurance Companies
- Licensed Insurance Companies

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only.  These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Authorized Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1:  Individual Company Search Lookup Tool

Directions 1:

- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “Utah”.  Then, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”.  The search criteria will automatically expand.
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business.  To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized Lines Description”.

Note – The active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active.  Verify that the ‘Status’ for the company of interest is “Active”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1:  Authorized Reinsurers

Directions 1:

- The above is a direct link to the listing of authorized reinsurers in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance.  If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the look-up tool for the listings of the licensed primary insurers for the respective line of business.
Link 2: License Look-up Tool

Directions 2:

- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “Utah”. Also, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.
- For the ‘Inquiry Type’ select the radial next to “Active Company List”.
- In the drop-down menu for ‘Authorized Line Type’ select the respective line of business and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business.
Vermont

Insurance Office: Dept of Banking, Insurance, Securities & Health Care Administration

Phone: 802-828-3301

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.
- VT Domestic Life & Health Insurance Companies
- VT Domestic Property & Casualty Companies
- Life & Health Companies Licensed in Vermont
- Property & Casualty Insurance Companies in Vermont
- Health Maintenance Organizations Licensed in Vermont

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.
- Approved Accredited Reinsurers Licensed in Vermont

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1: Individual Company Search Lookup Tool

Directions 1:
- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “Vermont”. Then, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Authorized Lines Description”.

Note – The active indicator in the company information identifies whether the authorization is currently active. Verify that the ‘Status’ for the company of interest is “Active”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1: Annual Report of the Insurance Commissioner

Directions 1:
- A report is updated annually that contains a listing of insurers authorized in the state. Select the link to the “Annual Report of the Insurance Commissioner” for latest report available.
- Locate the above listings of both licensed primary insurers and accredited reinsurers for the state within the report.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer of for the respective line of business.
Link 2:  **License Look-up Tool**

Directions 2:

- In the ‘State’ drop-down menu select “Vermont”. Also, for the ‘Entity Type’ select the radial next to “Company”. The search criteria will automatically expand.

- For the ‘Inquiry Type’ select the radial next to “Active Company List”.

- In the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select “Accredited Reinsurer” and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer in the state.

- If the company of interest is not included in the list, then return to the look-up tool and in the drop-down menu for ‘Authorized Line Type’ select the respective line of business and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business.
Virginia

Insurance Office:  Virginia Bureau of Insurance

Phone:  877-310-6560

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life & Health Insurer
- Property & Casualty Insurer
- Health Maintenance Organization

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Qualified Reinsurer

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1:  Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Provide the company name below’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business click on the “Select” link next to the individual company name and reference the “Selected Company Type”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1:  Company Look-up Tool

Directions 1:

- Select the button entitled “Search by Company Type”. This will expand a list of types of insurance lines.
- Click on the link “Select” next to the type ‘Qualified Reinsurer’. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer in the state.
- If the company of interest is not included in the list, then return to the look-up tool and click on the link “Select” next to the respective primary line of business. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business.
Washington

Phone:  360-725-7000

Authorized Reinsurance Companies
The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Health
- Life & Annuity
- Property & Casualty

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Trusteed Alien Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:
Link 1:  Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- Select the tab entitle ‘Company Search’ at the top of the page
- On the ‘Company Search’ tab in the ‘Company name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Insurance types” listing.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:
Link 1:  Trusteed Alien Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- In the listing of links for ‘Authorized Companies’ select the link entitled “Trusteed Alien Reinsurers”. This link is directly to the listing of accredited reinsurers authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated “Lines”. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of the primary insurers for the respective line of business.

Link 2:  Authorized Insurance Companies

Directions 2:
- Select the tab entitle ‘Company Search’ at the top of the page
- On the ‘Company Search’ tab in the ‘Types of coverage’ drop-down menu select the primary line of interest and click on “Submit”
- This will generate a complete listing of the companies licensed for the primary line selected, which are also authorized reinsurers for the respective lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company and reference the “Insurance types”.


West Virginia

Insurance Office: West Virginia Offices of The Insurance Commissioner

Phone: 304-558-3386

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Licensed Insurance Companies

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Eligible Accredited Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Company Powers (Lines of Authority)” listing.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Eligible Accredited Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of eligible accredited reinsurances that are authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the listing of the primary insurers for the respective line of business.

Link 2: Licensed Insurance Companies

Directions 2:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of all insurance companies licensed and authorized in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company and reference the “Company Powers (Lines of Authority)”.
Wisconsin

Insurance Office: Wisconsin Commissioner of Insurance

Phone: 608-266-3585

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life, Accident, and Health
- Property and Casualty

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Unlicensed Authorized Reinsurers

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:
- In the ‘How Do I?’ menu on the left side of the page select the link to search for “A company”.
- In the ‘Company Name’ search bar insert the company of interest and click on “Search”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the indicated lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Company Type”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Unlicensed Authorized Reinsurers

Directions 1:
- The above is a direct link to the listing of unlicensed authorized reinsurers in the state.
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance. If the company of interest is not included in this list, then check the look-up tool for the listings of the licensed primary insurers for the respective line of business.

Link 2: Company Look-up Tool

Directions 2:
- In the ‘How Do I?’ menu on the left side of the page select the link to search for “A company”.
- In the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select the respective primary line of business and then select “Search”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business.
Wyoming

Insurance Office: State of Wyoming Insurance Department

Phone: 307-777-7401

Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The state has numerous classifications of license authority for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

– In the ‘Insurance Company Search’ bar insert the name of the company of interest and then select “Submit Query”

– If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company and reference the “Authorized Line”.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: mearns@state.wy.us

Directions 1:

– Email Mavis Earnshaw (or 307-777-6884) to request a complete listing of Licensed Insurance Companies, Accredited Reinsurers and/or Alien Trust Reinsurers.
Authorized Reinsurance Companies

The following classifications of license authority are for primary lines of business. Companies licensed as primary writers are also authorized to write the respective reinsurance business; however, they may not necessarily appear on the accepted reinsurer listing.

- Life/Health
- Property/Casualty

The following classification of license authority is for reinsurance lines of business only. These companies are therefore authorized to only write reinsurance business.

- Accredited Reinsurer

Directions to verify if an individual reinsurer is authorized:

Link 1: Individual Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the ‘Company Name’ bar insert the name of the company of interest and then select “Submit”
- If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized company for the respective lines of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company and reference the “Line of Business” link.

Directions to access the complete listing of authorized reinsurers:

Link 1: Insurance Company Search

Directions 1:

- In the drop-down menu for ‘Company Type’ select “Accredited Reinsurer” and then select “Submit”. If the company of interest is included in the list, then they are an authorized reinsurer.
- If the company of interest is not included in the reinsurer listing then check under the respective individual primary line of business listing. If the company of interest is included in the primary lines listing, then they are an authorized company for reinsurance for the respective line of business. To determine the lines of business select the individual company name and reference the “Line of Business” link.