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NAIC Welcomes Rep. Czaja to Weigh in on Insurance Issues *Regulators and Legislators Exchange Insight at National Conference*

Madison- Representative Mary Czaja (R-Irma) attended the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC) Fall 2016 National Meeting last week in Miami. Czaja joined almost 40 state government representatives from 25 states and territories to consult with insurance regulators from across the country.

The NAIC invited Czaja to its 219th National Meeting to continue strengthening the relationship between regulators and legislators. Czaja attended sessions focused on state insurance regulation including health reform, insurance issues facing seniors, and financial regulatory policy for insurers and brought insight on issues specifically affecting the Dairy State's insurance field.

"State insurance regulation remains strong in Wisconsin in large part due to the coordination between our state insurance department and our lawmakers," Czaja said. "As our markets evolve, they become more connected within the U.S. and internationally. This meeting was a tremendous opportunity to share our experience and gain a broader perspective of the national insurance landscape."

The NAIC is the U.S. standard-setting and regulatory support organization created and governed by the chief insurance regulators from the 50 states, the District of Columbia and five U.S. territories. Through the NAIC, state insurance regulators establish standards and best practices, conduct peer review, and coordinate their regulatory oversight. NAIC staff supports these efforts and represents the collective views of state regulators domestically and internationally. NAIC members, together with the central resources of the NAIC, form the national system of state-based insurance regulation in the U.S. For more information, visit www.naic.org.

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