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## **Commissioner Walter A. Bell**

Walter A. Bell was named Alabama's chief insurance regulator in January 2003. He is also President of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners, having been installed in December 2006.

Prior to becoming an insurance regulator, Commissioner Bell had a 20-years-plus career in financial services. After serving as a banker in his native Mobile, Commissioner Bell joined The MONY Group as a financial professional in 1983. He served as National Director for Emerging Markets before being named the company Vice President for Diversity Marketing.

Commissioner Bell is a director of EnergySouth, Inc., and is also a limited partner in the Mobile BayBears Baseball Team, an affiliate of the San Diego Padres franchise. He is a former trustee of Spring Hill College, of which he is a graduate. He is also a trustee of the Mobile Arts & Sports Association and the Boys and Girls Clubs of America. He has served as president of numerous charitable and civic endeavors in both Mobile and New York, and has been honored in both cities for his civic leadership.

Commissioner Bell is married to the former Loresa Carlton. They have two children. The Bells are members of the Big Zion AME Zion Church in Mobile. Commissioner Bell enjoys golf, traveling and collecting sports memorabilia.

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