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SECTIONAL ANALYSIS

SB 180

Section 1

Establishes that the Act may be known by the short tittle "Nancy's Law."

Section 2

Amends AS 18.65.150 *Composition of council*, by increasing the number of public members appointed to the Alaska Police Standards Council (council) and stipulates that employees or former of employees of an agency regulated by the council may not serve as public members of the council.

Section 3

Amends AS 18.65.180 *Holding another office*, to agree with the changes made in Section 2 so that in some cases a person may be disqualified from serving as a public member of the council at the same time as holding a public office or employment within an agency regulated by the council.

Section 4

Amends AS 18.65.220 *Powers*, to add to the councils powers the power to determine when a person has violated AS 18.65.130 – 18.65.290 and conduct investigations under AS 18.65.222

Section 5

(1) Adds AS 18.65.222 *Complaints*, establishing a procedure for the Alaska Police Standards Council to process a complaint made by any person regarding an act or omission of a police officer, probation officer, parole officer, correctional officer, or municipal correctional officer; and adds (2) AS 18.65.223 *Information about contacting the council*, requires that the member agency that employed the officer at the time of the events alleged, upon receiving a complaint under the procedures proposed in this bill section, provides certain information to the complainant.

Section 6

Amends AS 18.65.240(c) *Standards*, by allowing the council to suspend a certificate, in addition to the ability to deny or a revoke a certificate, for a police officer who does not meet the qualifications the council has established for the employment of police officers.