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House Bill 63

Sponsor Statement

Short Title: Extend Bar Association Board of Governors

HB 63 extends the termination date of the Board of Governors of the Alaska Bar Association until June 30, 2021, in accordance with the recommendation of the Legislative Auditor.

The Board of Governors serves an important public service by ensuring that persons licensed to practice law are qualified and providing a forum for complaint investigation. The Board also appoints the Bar counsel, which is responsible for oversight and all disciplinary actions taken against licensees.