

**CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 336(L&C)**

**IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA**

**TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION**

**BY THE SENATE LABOR AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE**

**Offered: 3/23/98**

**Referred: Finance**

**Sponsor(s): SENATE LABOR AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE**

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to excluding professional hockey team members from workers'**  
2 **compensation coverage."**

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 **\* Section 1.** AS 23.30.230(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) The following persons are not covered by this chapter:

6 (1) a part-time baby-sitter [BABY-SITTERS];

7 (2) a cleaning person [PERSONS];

8 (3) harvest help and similar part-time or transient help;

9 (4) a person [PERSONS] employed as a sports official [OFFICIALS]

10 on a contractual basis and who officialates [OFFICIATE] only at sports events in which  
11 the players are not compensated; in this paragraph, "sports official" includes an umpire,  
12 referee, judge, scorekeeper, timekeeper, organizer, or other person who is a neutral  
13 participant in a sports event;

14 (5) a person [PERSONS] employed as an entertainer

1 [ENTERTAINERS] on a contractual basis;

2 (6) a commercial **fisherman** [FISHERMEN], as defined in  
3 AS 16.05.940;

4 (7) **an individual** [INDIVIDUALS] who **drives a taxicab** [DRIVE  
5 TAXICABS] whose compensation and written contractual **arrangement is**  
6 [ARRANGEMENTS ARE] as described in AS 23.10.055(13), unless the hours worked  
7 by the individual or the areas in which the individual may work are restricted except  
8 to comply with local ordinances; [AND]

9 (8) **a participant** [PARTICIPANTS] in the Alaska temporary assistance  
10 program (AS 47.27) who **is** [ARE] engaged in work activities required under  
11 AS 47.27.035 other than subsidized or unsubsidized work or on-the-job training; **and**

12 (9) **a person employed as a player or coach by a professional**  
13 **hockey team if the person is covered under a health care insurance plan provided**  
14 **by the professional hockey team, the coverage is applicable to both work related**  
15 **and nonwork related injuries, and the coverage provides medical and related**  
16 **benefits as required under this chapter, except that coverage may not be limited**  
17 **to two years from the date of injury as described under AS 23.30.095(a); in this**  
18 **paragraph, "health care insurance" has the meaning given in AS 21.12.050.**