

HOUSE BILL NO. 9

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Introduced: 1/19/99

Referred: Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to collection of settlement information in civil litigation;
2 amending Rule 41(a)(3), Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure, and Rule 511(e), Alaska
3 Rules of Appellate Procedure; and providing for an effective date."

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

5 * **Section 1.** AS 09.68.130(c) is amended to read:

6 (c) The requirements of (a) of this section do not apply to the following types
7 of cases:

8 (1) divorce and dissolution;

9 (2) adoption, custody, support, visitation, and emancipation of children;

10 (3) children-in-need-of-aid cases under AS 47.10 or delinquent minors
11 cases under AS 47.12;

12 (4) domestic violence protective orders under AS 18.66.100 -
13 18.66.180;

14 (5) estate, guardianship, and trust cases filed under AS 13;

1 (6) small claims under AS 22.15.040;

2 (7) forcible entry and detainer cases;

3 (8) administrative appeals;

4 (9) motor vehicle impound or forfeiture actions under municipal
5 ordinance.

6 * **Sec. 2.** AS 09.68.130 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

7 (d) A party to a civil case, except a civil case described in (c) of this section,
8 or, if the party is represented by an attorney, the party's attorney shall submit the
9 information described in (a) of this section to the Alaska Judicial Council. The
10 information must be submitted within 30 days after the case is finally resolved as to
11 that party and on a form specified by the Alaska Judicial Council.

12 * **Sec. 3.** AS 09.68.130(c), as amended in sec. 1 of this Act, and AS 09.68.130(d), added
13 by sec. 2 of this Act, have the effect of amending Rule 41(a)(3), Alaska Rules of Civil
14 Procedure, and Rule 511(e), Alaska Rules of Appellate Procedure, by limiting those civil
15 actions subject to AS 09.68.130(a) and by specifying the persons required to provide the
16 information.

17 * **Sec. 4.** APPLICABILITY. This Act applies to a compromise or other resolution of civil
18 litigation that occurs on or after the effective date of this Act.

19 * **Sec. 5.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).