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Chapter No.

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Relating to release of information in individual workers' compensation records.

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

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3 * **Section 1.** AS 23.30.107(b) is amended to read:

4 (b) Medical or rehabilitation records, **and the employee's name, address,**
5 **social security number, electronic mail address, and telephone number contained**
6 **on any record,** in an employee's file maintained by the division or held by the board
7 **or the commission** are not public records subject to public inspection and copying
8 under AS 40.25. This subsection does not prohibit

9 (1) the reemployment benefits administrator, the division, the board,
10 **the commission,** or the department from releasing medical or rehabilitation records in
11 an employee's file, without the employee's consent, to a physician providing medical
12 services under AS 23.30.095(k) or 23.30.110(g), a party to a claim filed by the
13 employee, or a governmental agency; or

1 (2) the quoting or discussing of medical or rehabilitation records
2 contained in an employee's file during a hearing on a claim for compensation or in a
3 decision or [AND] order of the board or commission.

4 * **Sec. 2.** AS 23.30.107 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

5 (d) An employee may elect to authorize the disclosure of the employee's
6 name, address, social security number, electronic mail address, and telephone number
7 contained in a record described in (b) of this section by signing a declaration on a form
8 provided by the division.