

SENATE BILL NO. 237

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE BY REQUEST

Introduced: 2/9/26

Referred: State Affairs, Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to data sharing by the Department of Administration for driver's**
2 **license data verification purposes; and providing for an effective date."**

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

4 *** Section 1.** AS 28.05.068(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) If the department conveys, distributes, or communicates data to be used in
6 a database, index, pointer system, or any other system managed by an entity other than
7 the department [, INCLUDING THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF MOTOR
8 VEHICLE ADMINISTRATORS,] to comply with the requirements of P.L. 109-13,
9 Division B (REAL ID Act of 2005), the department may not convey, distribute, or
10 communicate to that entity any data not required to be conveyed, distributed, or
11 communicated for the state to be certified by the United States Department of
12 Homeland Security to be in compliance with the requirements of P.L. 109-13,
13 Division B (REAL ID Act of 2005).

14 *** Sec. 2.** AS 28.05.068(b) is amended to read:

1 (b) Notwithstanding (a) of this section, the department may [NOT] convey,
2 distribute, or communicate **data** to a private entity **only** [ANY SCANNED OR
3 STORED DOCUMENTS COLLECTED IN ORDER] to carry out the provisions of
4 **AS 28.15.151(g)** [AS 28.15].

5 * **Sec. 3.** AS 28.15.151 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

6 (g) The department shall, upon request, furnish information maintained by the
7 department under this section to a nonprofit organization or governmental or tribal
8 entity approved by the United States Social Security Administration to facilitate
9 driver's license data verification. In this subsection, "nonprofit organization" means an
10 organization that qualifies for exemption from taxation under 26 U.S.C. 501(c)(3) or
11 (4) (Internal Revenue Code).

12 * **Sec. 4.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).