

HOUSE BILL NO. 306

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVES FIELDS, Himschoot

Introduced: 2/13/26

Referred: Labor and Commerce, Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to civil liability of persons providing alcoholic beverages."**

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 04.21.020(a) is amended to read:

4 (a) Except as provided under (b) and (d) of this section, a person who provides
5 alcoholic beverages to another person may not be held civilly liable for injuries
6 resulting from the intoxication of that person unless the person who provides the
7 alcoholic beverages holds a license authorized under AS 04.09.020 - 04.09.370 or is
8 an agent or employee of a licensee and

9 (1) the alcoholic beverages are provided to a person under 21 years of
10 age in violation of AS 04.16.051, unless the licensee, agent, or employee secures in
11 good faith from the person a signed statement, liquor identification card, or driver's
12 license meeting the requirements of AS 04.21.050(a) and (b), that indicates that the
13 person is 21 years of age or older; or

14 (2) **as established by clear and convincing evidence,** the alcoholic
15 beverages are

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(A) knowingly sold, given, or bartered to a drunken person in violation of AS 04.16.030(a)(1);

(B) provided to a drunken person in violation of AS 04.16.030(a)(2) - (4); or

(C) knowingly sold, given, or bartered to a person at an establishment after the lawful hours of operation of the establishment have concluded [AS 04.16.030].