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House Bill 242

Sexual Assault by a Health Care Worker

Sectional Analysis

(version A)

- Sec. 1:** **AS 11.41.410(a)**, Amends the definition of sexual assault in the first degree by a health care worker to remove the stipulation that the offender must know that a victim is unaware that a sexual act is being committed. This change would mean that a victim can be aware or unaware of the sexual contact during the assault.
- Sec. 2:** **AS 11.41.420(a)**, Amends the definition of sexual assault in the second degree by a health care worker to remove the stipulation that the offender must know that a victim is unaware that a sexual act is being committed. This change means that a victim can be aware or unaware of the sexual contact during the assault.
- Sec. 3:** Sections one and two only apply to offenses committed on or after the effective date.