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### Sectional Analysis for SB 194

**“An Act authorizing mobile sports wagering; relating to the regulation of mobile sports wagering; imposing a tax on mobile sports wagering revenue; relating to criminal history record checks for licensure to operate mobile sports wagering; and providing for an effective date.”**

**Section 1:** Amends AS 04.11.370(c) by adding reference to a new chapter, AS 05.18.

**Section 2:** Amends AS 05 by adding a new chapter, AS 05.18, Mobile Sports Wagering, which includes the following sections:

- AS 05.18.010: Mobile sports wagering license.
- AS 05.18.020: Denial, reprimand, suspension, or revocation of license.
- AS 05.18.030: Licensee duties.
- AS 05.18.040: Commissioner of revenue to administer chapter; duties of commissioner.
- AS 05.18.050: House rules; required disclosures.
- AS 05.18.060: Permissible forms of mobile sports wagering.
- AS 05.18.070: Wagers and excluded persons.
- AS 05.18.080: Funding wagers.
- AS 05.18.090: Mobile sports wagering revenue tax.
- AS 05.18.100: Regulations.
- AS 05.18.110: Violations of chapter; fraudulent acts.
- AS 05.18.120: Authorized activities a privilege.
- AS 05.18.190: Definitions.

**Section 3:** Adds reference to AS 05.18 in the definition of “gambling” under AS 11.66.280(3).

**Section 4:** Amends AS 12.62.400(a), National Criminal History Record Checks for Employment, Licensing, and Other Noncriminal Justice Purposes, to include reference to AS 05.18.

**Section 5:** Amends AS 44.64.030(a)(2), Hearing Officers and Office of Administrative Hearings; Jurisdiction of the Office, to include reference to AS 05.18.

**Section 6:** Amends the uncodified law of the State of Alaska to allow the Department of Revenue to adopt regulations necessary to the implementation of this Act, retroactive to its effective date.

**Section 7:** Amends the uncodified law of the State of Alaska to require the Department of Revenue to publicly announce when licensees may start operations, and to prevent operations from starting until at least three licenses have been issued.

**Section 8:** Establishes an immediate effective date for Section 6.

**Section 9:** Establishes an effective date of January 1, 2026, for this Act, except for Section 6.