

ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE



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Sectional Analysis: HB 285 v. A

Section 1: Amends AS 21.42.375(e) to define “diagnostic breast examination” and “supplemental breast examination” and offers guidelines for the basis of additional testing.

Section 2: Adds a new subsection to AS 21.42.375 guaranteeing that mammography screening, diagnostic breast examinations, and supplemental breast examinations are covered by applicable insurance plans, with the exception of high deductible health plans that are eligible for a health savings account tax deduction.

Section 3: Amends the law of the State of Alaska by applying Sec. 1 and Sec. 2 to an insurance policy or contract on or after the effective date of the law.

Section 4: Amends the law of the State of Alaska to allow the Division of Insurance to adopt regulations necessary to implement this act under AS 44.62.

Section 5: Section 4 take effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).

Section 6: This Act takes effect January 1, 2025.