

SENATE BILL NO. 154

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY SENATOR WIELECHOWSKI

Introduced: 5/17/23

Referred: Labor & Commerce

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to bidder preferences in state procurement."

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 36.30.321(i) is amended to read:

9 * **Sec. 2.** AS 36.30.321 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

14 (1) employs at least one person who is currently enrolled in, or within
15 the previous two years graduated from, a United States Department of Defense

1 SkillBridge or United States Army career skills program for service members or
2 spouses of service members that offers civilian work experience through specific
3 industry training, pre-apprenticeships, registered apprenticeships, or internships during
4 the last 180 days before a service member separates or retires from the service; or
5 (2) has an active partnership with an entity that employs an apprentice
6 through a program described in (1) of this subsection.