

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 319(STA)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Offered: 2/16/18

Referred: Judiciary

Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVE JOSEPHSON

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to criminal background checks for marijuana establishment
2 registrations and renewals; and providing for an effective date."

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

4 * **Section 1.** AS 17.38.200(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) Each application or renewal application for a registration to operate a
6 marijuana establishment shall be submitted to the board. A renewal application may be
7 submitted up to 90 days before the expiration of the marijuana establishment's
8 registration. When filing an application **for a new registration** under this subsection,
9 the applicant shall submit the applicant's fingerprints and the fees required by the
10 Department of Public Safety under AS 12.62.160 for criminal justice information and
11 a national criminal history record check. **When filing an application for renewal of**
12 **registration, an applicant shall submit the applicant's fingerprints and the fees**
13 **required by the Department of Public Safety under AS 12.62.160 for criminal**
14 **justice information and a national criminal history record check every six years.**

1 The board shall forward the fingerprints and fees to the Department of Public Safety to
2 obtain a report of criminal justice information under AS 12.62 and a national criminal
3 history record check under AS 12.62.400.

4 * **Sec. 2.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).