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SECTIONAL ANALYSIS HB 64

"An Act relating to credit memos, gift certificates, and gift cards, and to unclaimed property; and making a violation of certain gift card prohibitions an unlawful trade practice."

Section 1 – Amends AS 34.45.240 to replace the original reference of "gift certificate" with "gift card" and provides conforming amendments to the original statutes structure based on this change.

Section 2 – Amends AS 34.45.760(8) to provide a definitional reference for the new definition of "gift card" as found in AS 45.45.940.

Section 3 – Amends AS 34.45.760(11) to add "gift cards" as "intangible property" and provides the statutory definitional reference for gift cards.

Section 4 - Creates a new subsection under AS 45.45 to properly define "gift cards" and the new definition covers previous references to "gift certificate". This new section also identifies exclusions to the applicability of the new gift card provisions.

Section 5 – Adds a reference to "gift cards" to unlawful acts and practices under AS 45.50.471.