



Summary of changes between HB 69, Version A and CSHB 69, Version 0

Page 1, line 5 inserts two inadvertently omitted court rule references, Appellate Procedure Rules 602(c) and (h), into the bill title.

Page 3, lines 4 - 9 simplifies the paragraph structure and wording of the language clarifying when a board order becomes effective and is final.

Page 3, lines 10 - 19 clarifies the wording of when a board order may be stayed.

Page 3, line 20 removes the first sentence from AS 23.30.126(c). The sentence is unnecessary because it restates a provision already found in the Alaska Workers' Compensation Act.

Page 3, lines 28 - Page 4, line 6 amends AS 23.30.155(f) directly, instead of repealing subsection (f) and creating a new subsection (r) as version A was written.

Page 4, lines 14 - 23 that was Section 8 in the original bill was completely deleted. In Version A, Section 8 addressed "direct" court rule amendments relating to cost bonds and the court system suggested that it would be more efficient and more consistent to instead address these through "indirect" court amendments in new Section 10. Because Section 8 of the original bill was deleted in the CS, the Section numbers from that point on are renumbered in the CS (Ex: the previous Section 9 is now Section 8, etc.)

Page 4, line 12 removes AS 23.30.155(f) from the list of statutes being repealed because changes are now being made directly to AS 23.30.155(f), instead of the original bill which repealed subsection (f) and made those changes in a new subsection (r) as discussed above.

Page 4, line 15 - line 30 simplifies the description of how the court rules are amended and adds a description of how Appellate Procedure Rules 602(c) and (h) are amended. The Indirect Court Rule Amendments in the original bill were too wordy and potentially confusing, and the court system suggested it be rewritten.

Page 4, line 31 - Page 5, line 17 simplifies the paragraph structure and wording of the applicability language.