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Sectional Analysis

House Bill 209

“An Act relating to public finance; creating the Department of Management and Budget; transferring the duties of the office of management and budget to the Department of Management and Budget; and providing for an effective date.”

Section 1-30: Conforming language changing the office of management and budget to the Department of Management and Budget; and updating “office” to “department” and “director” to “commissioner”.

Section 31: AS 44.17.005. Offices and departments – Adding the “Department of Management and Budget” to the list of principal offices and departments.

Section 32: Proposed new Chapter AS 44.22.010.

Chapter 22. Department of Management and Budget (p. 33)

Sec. 44.22.010. Commissioner of management and budget – Establishes the principal executive officer of the Department of Management and Budget is the commissioner of management and budget.

Sec. 44.22.020. Powers and duties of the commissioner. Outlines the duties of the commissioner of management and budget. **(Identical language to current powers and duties of the director under AS 44.19.144)**

Sec. 44.22.030. Powers and duties of the department. Outlines the duties of the department of management and budget. **(Identical language to current powers and duties of the department under AS 44.19.145)**

Sec. 44.22.040. Internal audit records. Requires the department to keep a complete file of audit reports. **(Identical language to current internal audit records under AS 44.19.147)**

Sec. 44.22.050. Definitions. Provides a definition for the commissioner and department of management and budget.

Section 33-35: Conforming language changing the office of management and budget to the Department of Management and Budget; and updating “office” to “department”.

Section 36: Repeals statutes related to the “office” of management and budget.

Section 37: Transitional language that allows for the transfer of information and documents from the “office to the “department”.

Section 38: Provides a July 1, 2020 effective date.

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