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**HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 185(L&C)**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE LABOR AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE

Offered:  
Referred:

Sponsor(s): SENATORS MICCICHE, Hughes, Revak, Costello, Stevens, Holland, Wielechowski, Gray-Jackson, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Begich, Bishop, Wilson, Stedman, Shower, von Imhof

REPRESENTATIVE Nelson

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

**"An Act relating to exemptions from minimum wage."**

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

**\* Section 1.** AS 23.10.070 is amended to read:

**Sec. 23.10.070. Exemptions from minimum wage.** To the extent necessary to prevent curtailment of opportunities of employment, the commissioner may by regulations or orders provide for the employment at wages lower than the minimum wage prescribed in AS 23.10.050 - 23.10.150 of

(1) [AN INDIVIDUAL WHOSE EARNING CAPACITY IS IMPAIRED BY PHYSICAL OR MENTAL DEFICIENCY, AGE, OR INJURY, AT THE WAGES AND SUBJECT TO THE RESTRICTIONS AND FOR THE PERIOD OF TIME THAT ARE FIXED BY THE COMMISSIONER; AND

(2)] an apprentice at the wages that are approved by the commissioner;  
(2) [OR (3)] a learner at the wages and subject to the restrictions and for the periods of time that are fixed by the commissioner; or

(3) an individual employed by a nonprofit organization for not

1 longer than three months in a calendar year at a residential summer camp who  
2 receives room and board in addition to a wage if the total value of the room,  
3 board, and wage meets or exceeds the minimum wage.