

# ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE



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## **Sponsor Statement**

Senate Bill 80

2023 Revisor's Bill

This is the revisor's bill, which the revisor is required by statute to prepare and submit to the Legislative Council (AS 01.05.036). Its purpose is to clean up the statutes, without making any policy changes. Some sections amend provisions that have become obsolete due to other legislative action. Some sections correct drafting errors or oversights in previous legislation.

Most of the errors corrected in this bill were discovered by legislative drafters or the revisor in reviewing the statutes. Some were discovered by the Department of Law or others and brought to the revisor's attention. This bill was reviewed by the relevant agencies in the executive branch before it was introduced. The Department of Law has identified no legal issues with the bill and supports these proposed amendments to the Alaska Statutes.

The draft legislation was reviewed and approved by the Legislative Council on February 21, 2023, and forwarded to the Senate Rules Committee for introduction.

I urge your support of the 2023 Revisor's Bill.