

**HOUSE BILL NO. 395**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVES ELTON, Robinson, B.Davis, Nicholia

Introduced: 1/5/96

Referred: Health, Education and Social Services, State Affairs, Judiciary, Finance

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 "An Act prohibiting increases in health insurance premiums if the insured is a  
2 victim of domestic violence."

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

4 \* **Section 1.** AS 21.36 is amended by adding a new section to read:

5           Sec. 21.36.430. PROHIBITED PREMIUM INCREASES IN DISABILITY  
6           INSURANCE. An insurer may not increase the premium on a disability insurance  
7           policy if the increase results only from the fact that the insured was a victim of  
8           domestic violence directed against a spouse.

9 \* **Sec. 2.** This Act applies to a policy of insurance that is entered into or renewed on or  
10 after the effective date of this Act.