

SENATE BILL NO. 210

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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Introduced: 1/12/98

Referred: Labor and Commerce, State Affairs

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to electronic deposit of workers' compensation benefits."

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 23.30.155(a) is amended to read:

4 (a) Compensation under this chapter shall be paid periodically, promptly, and
5 directly to the person entitled to it, without an award, except where liability to pay
6 compensation is controverted by the employer. Upon request by the employee, an
7 employer shall pay compensation due the employee by electronic deposit. To
8 controvert a claim, the employer must file a notice, on a form prescribed by the board,
9 stating

- 10 (1) that the right of the employee to compensation is controverted;
- 11 (2) the name of the employee;
- 12 (3) the name of the employer;
- 13 (4) the date of the alleged injury or death; and
- 14 (5) the type of compensation and all grounds upon which the right to
- 15 compensation is controverted.