

HOUSE BILL NO. 201

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVE MEYER

Introduced: 3/20/01

Referred: Judiciary, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act prohibiting certain persons who sell or serve alcohol from consuming alcoholic**
2 **beverages during hours of employment."**

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

4 * **Section 1.** AS 04.16 is amended by adding a new section to read:

5 **Sec. 04.16.085. Consumption by person serving or selling prohibited.** (a)
6 Except as provided in this subsection, a person employed to sell or serve alcoholic
7 beverages may not, during hours of employment, consume alcoholic beverages. This
8 subsection does not apply to a person who in response to a customer request provides
9 wine-tasting or beer-tasting services for wine or beer being served to a customer on
10 the licensed premises.

11 (b) A person who violates this section is upon conviction guilty of

12 (1) a violation and shall be fined \$100, if the person has not been
13 previously convicted under this section;

14 (2) a class A misdemeanor, if the person has been previously convicted

1 under this section.

2 (c) In addition to the penalty under (b) of this section, a person who is
3 convicted of violating this section and who has been previously convicted may not sell
4 or serve an alcoholic beverage on licensed premises.

5 (d) In this section, "previously convicted" means having been convicted under
6 this section within the five years preceding the current conviction.

7 * **Sec. 2.** AS 04.16.180(a) is amended to read:

8 (a) Except as provided in AS 04.11.015, AS 04.16.025, AS 04.16.050(b),
9 04.16.051, 04.16.085, 04.16.200 - 04.16.210, and AS 04.21.065, a person who violates
10 a provision of this title or a regulation adopted by the board is guilty, upon conviction,
11 of a class A misdemeanor. Each violation is a separate offense.