

HOUSE BILL NO. 300

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

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A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to the procurement of certain travel services."**

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

3 * **Section 1.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section
4 to read:

5 **LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS AND INTENT.** (a) The legislature finds that

6 (1) the procurement of certain types of travel services under AS 36.30 (State
7 Procurement Code) results in the use of one provider for each type of travel service and the
8 elimination of other and smaller providers of travel services; and

9 (2) the exemption of certain types of travel services contracts from the
10 procurement procedures of AS 36.30 would enable state agencies to use various providers for
11 travel services needs and would open up the state agency travel market to all providers of
12 travel services.

13 (b) It is the intent of this legislation that the state not contract with a sole provider to
14 provide all of the state's transportation or hotel services but that the state allow state agencies
15 to select various providers for agency travel needs.

1 * **Sec. 2.** AS 36.30.850(b) is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

2 (42) contracts for travel services, including airplane travel, hotel
3 accommodations, and travel agency services, but excluding motor vehicle rentals.

4 * **Sec. 3.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section to
5 read:

6 APPLICABILITY. AS 36.30.850(b)(42), added by sec. 2 of this Act, does not apply
7 to a contract entered into before the effective date of this Act if, by the terms of the contract,
8 the contract continues to be effective on or after the effective date of this Act.