

**SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 71(FIN)**  
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

**BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE**

**Offered: 3/31/03**

**Referred: Rules**

**Sponsor(s): HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act extending the termination date of the Board of Certified Direct-Entry**  
2 **Midwives; and relating to the regulation of certified direct-entry midwives."**

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

4 **\* Section 1.** AS 08.03.010(c)(8) is amended to read:

5 (8) Board of Certified Direct-Entry Midwives (AS 08.65.010) --  
6 June 30, 2007 [2003];

7 **\* Sec. 2.** AS 08.65.060 is amended to read:

8 **Sec. 08.65.060. Examinations.** The board shall conduct examinations at least  
9 once each year. Examinations may be written, oral, or practical or a combination of  
10 these. The board shall utilize the examination provided by a nationally certified  
11 midwives organization recognized by the board. An applicant who has failed the  
12 examination may not retake the examination for a period of six months. An applicant  
13 who has failed the examination more than one time may not retake the examination  
14 unless the applicant has participated in or successfully completed further education

1 and training programs as prescribed by the board. **The board may require an**  
2 **applicant to pass an examination about Alaska laws that are applicable to the**  
3 **profession of direct-entry midwives.**