

HOUSE BILL NO. 121

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVE MOSES BY REQUEST

Introduced: 2/24/03

Referred: House Special Committee on Military and Veterans' Affairs, State Affairs

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to the removal of and access to certain recorded documents."**

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 40.17 is amended by adding a new section to read:

4 **Sec. 40.17.140. Treatment of certain documents.** (a) Notwithstanding any
5 other provision of this chapter, the recorder shall, at the request of an individual who
6 was discharged by a discharge document and after payment of a fee established by the
7 department by regulation,

8 (1) remove a recorded discharge document from the recorded
9 documents maintained under this chapter and from public inspection and copying; or

10 (2) allow access to a recorded discharge document only to a person
11 whom the individual who was discharged authorizes to have access to the document.

12 (b) The recorder may require an individual who is requesting removal of or
13 restricted access to a recorded discharge document to provide identification that is
14 satisfactory to the recorder before removing or restricting access to the document.

15 (c) In this section, "discharge document" means a document under which an

1 individual is discharged from the military service of the United States.