

HOUSE BILL NO. 408

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

BY REPRESENTATIVE GRUENBERG

Introduced: 2/19/08

Referred: State Affairs, Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to ethics, campaign financing, and criminal law."**

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 11.56.130 is amended to read:

4 **Sec. 11.56.130. Definition.** In AS 11.56.100 - 11.56.130, "benefit" has the
5 meaning ascribed to it in AS 11.81.900 but does not include

6 (1) political campaign contributions reported in accordance with
7 AS 15.13 unless the contribution is made or received in exchange for an agreement to
8 **affect** [ALTER] an elected official's or candidate's vote or position on a matter the
9 elected official has, or the candidate on election would have, the authority to take
10 official action on; in this paragraph, "official action" means advice, participation, or
11 assistance, including, for example, a recommendation, decision, approval, disapproval,
12 vote, or other similar action, including inaction;

13 (2) concurrence in official action in the cause of legitimate
14 compromise between public servants; or

15 (3) support, including a vote, solicited by a public servant or offered by

1 any person in an election.

2 * **Sec. 2.** AS 15.13.040(e) is amended to read:

3 (e) The report required under (d) of this section must contain the name,
4 address, principal occupation, and employer of the individual filing the report, and an
5 itemized list of expenditures, **with expenditures paid for by debit or credit card**
6 **itemized individually, regardless of amount.** The report shall be filed with the
7 commission **not** [NO] later than 10 days after the expenditure is made.

8 * **Sec. 3.** AS 15.13.074(b) is amended to read:

9 (b) A person or group may not **reimburse another person or group for a**
10 **contribution made by that person or group or** make a contribution anonymously,
11 using a fictitious name, or using the name of another.