

SENATE BILL NO. 20

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to disclosure to the Alaska Public Offices Commission of information**
2 **about certain income received as compensation for personal services by legislators,**
3 **public members of the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics, and legislative directors**
4 **subject to the Legislative Ethics Act; and providing for an effective date."**

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

6 * **Section 1.** AS 24.60.200 is amended to read:

7 **Sec. 24.60.200. Financial disclosure by legislators, public members of the**
8 **committee, and legislative directors.** A legislator, a public member of the committee,
9 and a legislative director shall file a disclosure statement, under oath and on penalty of
10 perjury, with the Alaska Public Offices Commission giving the following information
11 about the income received by the discloser, the discloser's spouse or domestic partner,
12 the discloser's dependent children, and the discloser's nondependent children who are
13 living with the discloser:

14 (1) the information that a public official is required to report under

1 AS 39.50.030, other than information about gifts;

2 (2) as to income in excess of \$1,000 received as compensation for
3 personal services, **and as to a dividend received from a limited liability company**
4 **as compensation for personal services,** the name and address of the source of the
5 income, and a statement describing

6 (A) the nature of the services performed, **with sufficient**
7 **description to make clear to a person of ordinary understanding the**
8 **specific services performed, unless those services require the issuance of a**
9 **state or federal professional license;**

10 (B) **the approximate total number of hours that have been**
11 **spent or will be spent performing the services; and**

12 (C) **the amount of income received from the source, if the** [
13 IF THE SOURCE OF INCOME IS KNOWN OR REASONABLY SHOULD
14 BE KNOWN TO HAVE A SUBSTANTIAL INTEREST IN LEGISLATIVE,
15 ADMINISTRATIVE, OR POLITICAL ACTION AND THE] recipient of the
16 income is a legislator or legislative director [, THE AMOUNT OF INCOME
17 RECEIVED FROM THE SOURCE SHALL BE DISCLOSED];

18 (3) as to each loan or loan guarantee over \$1,000 from a source with a
19 substantial interest in legislative, administrative, or political action, the name and
20 address of the person making the loan or guarantee, the amount of the loan, the terms
21 and conditions under which the loan or guarantee was given, the amount outstanding
22 at the time of filing, and whether or not a written loan agreement exists.

23 * **Sec. 2.** AS 24.60.990(a) is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

24 (17) "professional license" means a license required for a profession
25 regulated by the federal government or by a state.

26 * **Sec. 3.** This Act takes effect July 1, 2007.