

AMENDMENT #31

OFFERED IN THE SENATE

BY SENATOR REINBOLD

TO: SCS CSHB 76(FIN)

1 Page 2, line 1, following "funding;":

2 Insert "relating to COVID-19 immunization rights;"

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4 Page 14, following line 10:

5 Insert a new bill section to read:

6 "\* Sec. 17. AS 18.09 is amended by adding new sections to read:

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**Article 2A. COVID-19 Immunization Rights.**

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**Sec. 18.09.270. Access to areas and services.** A business, state agency, or political subdivision of the state may not require an individual to be vaccinated against COVID-19 for the individual to access an area or service that is open to the public. In this subsection, "business" has the meaning given in AS 18.35.399.

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**Sec. 18.09.280. Exercise of rights and access to benefits.** A state agency or political subdivision of the state may not adopt or issue a regulation, ordinance, order, or similar policy that requires an individual to be vaccinated against COVID-19 for the individual to exercise a right or receive a benefit that is available to the public.

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**Sec. 18.09.290. Definition.** In AS 18.09.270 – 18.09.290, "COVID-19" means the novel coronavirus disease caused by the severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2)."

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19 Renumber the following bill sections accordingly.

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22 Page 15, line 2:

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Delete "Except as provided in (b) of this section, this Act is"

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