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1 IN THE SENATE

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HOUSE CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 133

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the Human Rights Commission."

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

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\* Section 1. AS 18.80.060(5) is amended to read:

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(5) study the problems of discrimination in all or specific fields of human relationships, and foster through community effort or goodwill, cooperation and conciliation among the groups and elements of the population of the state, and publish results of investigations and research as in its judgment will tend to eliminate discrimination because of race, religion, color, [OR] national ancestry, age or sex.

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\* Sec. 2. AS 18.80.200(b) is amended to read:

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(b) Therefore, it is the policy of the state and the purpose of this chapter to eliminate and prevent discrimination in employment, in places of public accommodation, in housing accommodations and in the sale or lease of unimproved property because of race, religion, color, national origin, [OR, IN THE CASE OF EMPLOYMENT, BECAUSE OF] sex or age.

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\* Sec. 3. AS 18.80 is amended by adding a new section to read:

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Sec. 18.80.115. TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER. At any time after the filing of a complaint, in secs. 100 - 140 of this chapter, alleging an unlawful discriminatory practice, the commission may file a petition in the superior court in the judicial district in which the subject of the complaint occurs, or in the judicial district in which a respondent resides or transacts business, seeking appropriate temporary relief against the respondent, pending final determination of proceedings under this chapter, including an order or decree restraining him from doing

1 or procuring any act tending to render ineffectual any order the com-  
2 mission may enter with respect to the complaint. The court shall have  
3 a power to grant such temporary relief or restraining order as it con-  
4 sidered just and proper, but no relief or order extending beyond 10 days  
5 may be granted except by consent of the respondent or after hearing  
6 upon notice to the respondent and a finding by the court that there is  
7 reasonable cause to believe that the respondent has engaged in dis-  
8 criminatory practices.

9 \* Sec. 4. AS 18.80.220(1) is amended to read:

10 (1) an employer to refuse employment to a person, or to bar  
11 him from employment, or to discriminate against him in compensation or  
12 in a term, condition, or privilege of employment because of his race,  
13 religion, color, sex or national origin, or because of his age when the  
14 reasonable demands of the position do not require age distinction;

15 \* Sec. 5. AS 18.80.220(2) is amended to read:

16 (2) a labor organization, because of a person's age, race,  
17 religion, color, sex or national origin, to exclude or to expel him  
18 from its membership, or to discriminate in any way against one of its  
19 members or an employer or an employee;

20 \* Sec. 6. AS 18.80.220(3) is amended to read:

21 (3) an employer or employment agency to print or circulate  
22 or cause to be printed or circulated a statement, advertisement, or  
23 publication, or to use a form of application for employment or to make  
24 an inquiry in connection with prospective employment which expresses,  
25 directly or indirectly, a limitation, specification or discrimination  
26 as to age, race, religion [CREED], color, sex or national origin, or an  
27 intent to make the limitation, unless based upon a bona fide occupational  
28 qualification;

29 \* Sec. 7. AS 18.80.230 is amended to read:

1           Sec. 18.80.230. UNLAWFUL PRACTICES IN PLACES OF PUBLIC ACCOMODA-  
2 TION. It is unlawful for the owner, lessee, manager, agent or employee  
3 of a public accommodation

4           (1) to refuse, withhold from or deny to a person any of its  
5 services, goods, facilities, advantages or privileges because of race,  
6 religion, color, sex or national origin;

7           (2) to publish, circulate, issue, display, post or mail a  
8 written or printed communication, notice or advertisement which states  
9 or implies that any of the services, goods, facilities, advantages or  
10 privileges of the public accommodation will be refused, withheld from  
11 or denied to a person of a certain race, religion, color, sex or national  
12 origin or that the patronage of a person belonging to a particular race,  
13 religion [CREED], color, sex or national origin is unwelcome, not  
14 desired or solicited.

15 \* Sec. 8. AS 18.80.240 is amended to read:

16           Sec. 18.80.240. UNLAWFUL PRACTICES IN THE SALE OR RENTAL OF  
17 PROPERTY OR HOUSING ACCOMMODATIONS. It is unlawful for the owner,  
18 lessee, manager or other person having the right to sell, lease or rent  
19 a housing accommodation or unimproved property

20           (1) to refuse to sell, lease or rent the housing accommoda-  
21 tion or unimproved property to a person because of race, religion,  
22 color, sex or national origin;

23           (2) to discriminate against a person because of race,  
24 religion, color, sex or national origin in a term, condition or priv-  
25 ilege relating to the use, sale, lease or rental of a housing accomo-  
26 dation or unimproved property; or

27           (3) to make a written or oral inquiry or record of the race,  
28 religion, color, sex or national origin of a person seeking to buy,  
29 lease or rent a housing accommodation or unimproved property.

1 \* Sec. 9. AS 18.80.250 is amended to read:

2 Sec. 18.80.250. UNLAWFUL FINANCING PRACTICE. It is unlawful for  
3 a financial institution, upon receiving an application for financial  
4 assistance for the acquisition, construction, rehabilitation, repair  
5 or maintenance of a housing accommodation or the acquisition or im-  
6 provement of unimproved property, to permit one of its officials or  
7 employees during the execution of his duties.

8 (1) to discriminate against the applicant because of race,  
9 religion, color, sex, age or national origin in a term, condition or  
10 privilege relating to the obtainment or use of the institution's  
11 financial assistance; or

12 (2) to make or cause to be made a written or oral inquiry  
13 or record of the race, religion, color, sex, age or national origin of  
14 a person seeking the institution's financial assistance.

15 \* Sec. 10. AS 18.80.255 is amended to read:

16 Sec. 18.80.255. UNLAWFUL PRACTICES BY THE STATE OR ITS POLITICAL  
17 SUBDIVISIONS. It is unlawful for the state or any of its political  
18 subdivisions

19 (1) to refuse, withhold from or deny to a person any local,  
20 state or federal funds, services, goods, facilities, advantages or  
21 privileges because of race, religion, color, sex, age or national origin,

22 (2) to publish, circulate, issue, display, post or mail a  
23 written or printed communication, notice or advertisement which states  
24 or implies that any local, state or federal funds, services, goods,  
25 facilities, advantages or privileges of the office or agency will be re-  
26 fused, withheld from or denied to a person of a certain race, religion,  
27 color, sex, age or national origin or that the patronage of a person  
28 belonging to a particular race, religion [CREED], color, sex, age or  
29 national origin is unwelcome, not desired or solicited.