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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND
SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

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CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 881

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to interference with physician-patient
relationships."

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

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* Section 1. No person, group, organization or facility may interfere
with the physician-patient relationship by attempting to suppress, restrict
or forbid the use of amygdalin (laetrile) when prescribed or administered by
a physician and requested by a patient unless the substance as prescribed or
administered by the physician is found to be harmful by the State Medical
Board in a hearing conducted under the provisions of the Administrative Pro-
cedure Act (AS 44.62).

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* Sec. 2. No physician may be subject to disciplinary action by the State
Medical Board for prescribing or administering amygdalin (laetrile) to a
patient under his care who has requested the substance unless the State
Medical Board in a hearing conducted under the Administrative Procedure Act
(AS 44.62) has made a formal finding that the substance is harmful.

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