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Referred: Judiciary

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY CLOCKSIN BY REQUEST

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 563

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to civil liability for rendering
7 emergency aid."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 09.65.090(a) is repealed and reenacted to read:

10 (a) A person who is not a health care professional is not liable
11 for civil damages as a result of an act or omission in rendering emer-
12 gency care or emergency counseling to an injured, ill, or emotionally
13 distraught person who reasonably appears to the person rendering the
14 aid to be in immediate need of emergency aid in order to avoid serious
15 harm or death.

16 * Sec. 2. AS 09.65.090 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

17 (c) In this section "health care professional" means a licensed
18 physician or nurse, or an intensive care physician-trained mobile
19 paramedic as defined in AS 08.64.380(7), or a person acting under the
20 direction of the physician, nurse, or paramedic.
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