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Original sponsor: Rules/Governor

1 IN THE SENATE BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 250 (State Affairs)
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION
5 A BILL
6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the confidentiality of research
7 conducted by the University of Alaska."
8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:
9 * Section 1. AS 14.40 is amended by adding a new section to read:
10 Sec. 14.40.453. CONFIDENTIALITY OF RESEARCH. A person or entity
11 engaged in research for the university is exempt from the public
12 records inspection requirements of AS 09.25.110 - 09.25.125 and the
13 public meetings requirements of AS 44.62.310 while the research is in
14 progress. However, the identity of the person or entity financing the
15 research, person or entity performing the research, and the title of
16 the research project is public information. Records developed as a
17 result of research conducted by the university may be kept confiden-
18 tial if the university seeks the protection of the intellectual prop-
19 erty set out in the records under applicable federal law or if con-
20 fidentiality of the records or of the subject of the research is a
21 condition of the research grant or contract imposed by the entity or
22 person financing the research.