

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 273 (FINANCE)
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered: 5/16/91
Referred: Rules

Sponsor(s): SENATOR UEHLING

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the establishment of a peer review committee by the Board of
2 Chiropractic Examiners."

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

4 * Section 1. AS 08.20 is amended by adding a new section to read:

5 Sec. 08.20.185. PEER REVIEW COMMITTEE. (a) In addition to peer review
6 authorized under AS 08.01.075, the board may establish a peer review committee to review
7 complaints concerning the reasonableness or appropriateness of care provided, fees charged, or
8 costs for services rendered by a licensee to a patient. A review conducted by a peer review
9 committee under this section may be utilized by the board in considering disciplinary action
10 against a licensee but the results or recommendations of a peer review committee are not binding
11 upon the board.

12 (b) The board shall charge a fee, established under AS 08.01.065, for peer review under
13 this section.

14 * Sec. 2. AS 08.20.900 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

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10) "board" means the Board of Chiropractic Examiners.