

HOUSE BILL NO. 537

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST

Introduced: 3/18/94

Referred: Health, Education & Social Services, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to immunization records for children under the age of seven."

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

3 * Section 1. AS 18.50.230(b) is amended to read:

4 (b) The funeral director or person acting as the funeral director who first
5 assumes custody of a dead body shall file the death certificate. In the case of the
6 death of a child who is under the age of seven, the death certificate must be
7 accompanied by a record of the dates, if any, on which the child was immunized
8 against diseases, the name and type of each vaccine administered, the name of
9 each vaccine's manufacturer, and each vaccine's lot and batch number. The
10 funeral director or the person acting as the funeral director shall obtain the personal
11 data and immunization record from the next of kin or the best qualified person or
12 source available and the medical certification of cause of death from the person
13 responsible for this information.