

MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska Department of Law

To: The Honorable Kevin Meyer
Lieutenant Governor

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Re: Child Support Services Division
regulations re: 15 AAC 125.118(a);
15 AAC 125.327; 15 AAC
125.335(e); 15 AAC 125.480(e))

The Department of Law has reviewed the attached regulations of the Department of Revenue, Child Support Services Division against the statutory standards of the Administrative Procedure Act. Based upon our review, we find no legal problems. This memorandum constitutes the written statement of approval under AS 44.62.060(b) and (c) that authorizes your office to file the attached regulations.

The regulations were adopted by the Child Support Services Division after the close of the public comment period. They address requests for administrative review, requests for review of child support orders, and extended visitation credit, so that division clients may use modern technology to get information sooner. Another change removes the credit that the agency applies if no percentage or dollar amount is specified in the child support order, to reflect that Alaska. Rule of Civil Procedure 90.3(a)(3) requires the support order to specify the amount of a visitation credit.

The February 20, 2022 public notice and the August 4, 2022 adoption order both state that this action is not expected to require an increased appropriation. Therefore, a fiscal note under AS 44.62.195 is not required.

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