MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

Department of Law

TO: April Simpson, AAC Coordinator

Office of the Lieutenant Governor

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SUBJECT: Changes to the Alaska

465-3600

Administrative Code (AAC):

8 AAC 45.083

In accordance with my authority under AS 44.62.125(b), please forward to the publisher the changes to the Alaska Administrative Code (AAC) described below. The purpose of this change is to identify amended versions of material previously adopted by reference.

After the existing text of the editor's note at the end of 8 AAC 45.083, please add the following new paragraph:

On January 4, 2024, as required by AS 23.30.098 and AS 44.62.245, the department gave notice that the following amended versions of material, previously adopted by reference in 8 AAC 45.083(m), would be in effect on January 1, 2024: the Current Procedural Terminology Codes, 2024 edition, produced by the American Medical Association; the Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS), 2024 edition, produced by the American Medical Association; the Relative Value Guide, 2024 edition, produced by the American Society of Anesthesiologists; the Current Dental Terminology, 2024 edition, published by the American Dental Association; the Resource-Based Relative Value Scale, effective January 1, 2024, produced by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services; the Ambulatory Payment Classifications, effective January 1, 2024, produced by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services; and the Medicare Severity Diagnosis Related Groups, effective January 1, 2024, produced by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. The amended versions may be reviewed at the Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Workers' Compensation, 1111 W 8th Street, Suite 305, Juneau, Alaska 99811; telephone (907) 465-2790.

Thank you for your assistance. Please contact me if you have any questions.

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