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## OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR ALASKA

### MEMORANDUM

TO:

Micaela Fowler, AAC Contact

Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development

FROM:

Scott Meriwether

Special Assistant 907.465.4081

DATE:

June 22, 2015

RE:

Filed Permanent Regulations: Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

Emergency regulations re: definition of "in public" for purposes of AS 17.38.040 (the regulation of marijuana: public consumption banned, penalty) (3 AAC 306.990)

Attorney General File:

JU2015200149

Regulation Filed:

June 22, 2015

Effective Date:

February 24, 2015 (emergency regulations being "made

permanent"

Print:

215, October 2015

cc with enclosures:

Linda Miller, Department of Law

Genevieve Wojtusik, Administrative Regulation Review Committee

Judy Herndon, LexisNexis

### CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE

I, Robert Klein, certify that, as required by AS 44.62.260 in order to make the attached 1 page of regulations permanent, as of this date a legal opinion of the Department of Law has been requested under AS 44.62.060, a notice conforming to AS 44.62.200 was issued in compliance with AS 44.62.190, and an opportunity for public comment was provided under AS 44.62.210, for the following emergency regulations:

The addition of a new subsection to 3 AAC 304.990 to define the term "in public" that appears in AS 17.38.040.

These regulations originally were filed as emergency regulations on February 24, 2015.

At its April 30, 2015 meeting, on the record in considering the public comments, the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board paid special attention to the cost to private persons of the regulatory action being taken.

DATE: 6/9/2015
Anchorage, Alaska

Robert Klein, Chair

Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

### FILING CERTIFICATION

I, Byron Mallott, Lieutenant Governor for the State of Alaska, certify that on 20 15, at 1.m., I filed the attached regulations according to the provisions of AS 44.62.

Lieutenant Governor

Register:

215, October 2015.

### PROPOSED PERMANENT REGULATION

Register 215, Orber 2015 COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND EC. DEV.

The emergency amendment of is made permanent!

3 AAC 304.990 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

group of persons has access and includes highways, transportation facilities, schools, places of amusement or business, parks, playgrounds, prisons, and hallways, lobbies, and other portions of apartment houses and hotels not constituting rooms or apartments designed for actual residence.

(Eff. 4/28/84, Register 90; am 6/13/2003, Register 166; am \_\_/\_/ Register \_\_)

Authority: XS 04.06.090

AS 17.38.040

AS 17.38.090

AS 04.06.100

(3 AAC 306.990. Definitions.)

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Editor's note: The definition of "in public" set out in 3 AAC 306.990 was originally adopted as an emergency regulation with the designation 3 AAC 304.990(b), and with an effective date of ACX February 24, 2015. The emergency regulation appeared as 3 AAC 6/22/2015 304.990(b) in Register 213 (April 2015) and Register 214 (July 2015). When the emergency appeared as a permanent regulation in Register 215 (October 2015), the regulations attorney in accordance with A5 44.62.125(b)(6) reassigned the provision to 3 AAC 306.990. The history of 3 AAC 306.990 reflects the effective date of the Alcoholic Beverage Central Board's emergency adoption of the definition of "in public."

Folisher: Please introduce a new chafter heading and section listing to read as follows:

Chapter 306. Marijuana Control. - bold

bold-Section

990. Definitions

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### **MEMORANDUM**

## State of Alaska

Department of Law

To: Hon. Byron Mallott Lieutenant Governor

Date: June 18, 2015

File No.: JU2015200149

Tel. No.: 465-3600

From: Steven C. Weaver

Sr. Assistant Attorney General and Assistant Regulations Attorney Legislation and Regulations Section

Re: Emergency regulations re: definition

of "in public" for purposes of AS 17.38.040 (the regulation of marijuana: public consumption banned, penalty) (3 AAC 306.990)

We have reviewed the attached emergency regulations from the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board against the statutory standards of the Administrative Procedure Act. I have reviewed this project under a specific delegation dated June 18, 2015 from the Regulations Attorney. The board adopted the emergency regulations on February 24, 2015, they took effect that same day, and they expire June 23, 2015 unless they are made permanent. The regulations establish a definition of "in public" for purposes of AS 17.38.040 (the regulation of marijuana: public consumption banned, penalty).

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 as permanent regulations.

The February 24, 2015 certification of adoption order and the February 26, 2015 public notice 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.

Though we did not make any corrections to the regulations themselves, we made technical corrections to the header, lead-in line, and history note, relocated the regulations from 3 AAC 304.990(b) to 3 AAC 306.990, made conforming technical changes to the authority citation, and inserted an explanatory editor's note, in accordance with AS 44.62.125(b)(6) and as shown on the attached copy.

**SCW** 

cc w/enc: (via email)

Cynthia A. Franklin, Director Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

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Under AS 44.62.060, we have reviewed the attached changes by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, originally adopted by emergency action on February 24, 2015, and approve the changes for filing by the lieutenant governor as permanent regulations. The emergency regulations took effect February 24, 2015; they expire June 23, 2015 unless they are made permanent. I have reviewed this project under a specific delegation dated June 18, 2015 from the Regulations Attorney.

You might wish to contact the lieutenant governor's office to confirm the filing date and effective date of the attached regulations changes.

The February 24, 2015 certification of adoption order and the February 26, 2015 public notice 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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**SCW** 

cc w/enc: (via email)

Micaela Fowler, Regulations Contact Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development

Harriet Dinegar Milks, Assistant Attorney General Commercial and Fair Business Section

## **MEMORANDUM**

## State of Alaska

### **Department of Law**

то: Hon. Byron Mallott Lieutenant Governor DATE: June 18, 2015

FILE NO.: JU2015200149

TELEPHONE NO.: 465-3600

FROM: Susan R. Pollard
Chief Assista Chief Assistant Attorney General

Legislation/Regulations Section—Juneau

**SUBJECT:** Specific delegation of authority

regarding regulations review on Alcoholic Beverage Control Board emergency regulations being made permanent re: definition of "in public" for purposes of AS 17.38.040 (the regulation of marijuana: public

consumption banned, penalty)

(3 AAC 306.990)

By this memorandum, I am delegating my authority as Regulations Attorney under AS 44.62 to Assistant Attorney General Steven C. Weaver for the above-referenced regulations project. Under this delegation of authority, Steven Weaver has my full authority under AS 44.62 to conduct the legal review under AS 44.62 and take necessary actions on this regulations project.

If you have questions, please let me know.

SRP:SCW

cc w/enc:

Scott C. Meriwether, AAC Coordinator Office of the Lieutenant Governor

Steven C. Weaver Assistant Attorney General

Legislation/Regulations Section-Juneau

STATE	OF ALASKA	)	
		)	SS
[No.]	JUDICIAL DISTRICT	)	

### AFFIDAVIT OF BOARD ACTION

I, Sarah D. Oates, Records & Licensing Supervisor for the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, being duly sworn, state the following:

The attached motion dealing with permanent adoption of emergency regulations defining "in public" was passed by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board during its April 30, 2015 meeting.

Date:

June 11, 2015 Anchorage

Sarah D. Oates

Records & Licensing Supervisor

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 11th day of June, 2015

STORY SEALS OF STORY

Notary Public in and for the

State of Alaska

My commission expires: With Office

# Alcoholic Beverage Control Board Meeting April 30, 2015 Excerpt From Unapproved Minutes

\*Meeting minutes are thirteen minutes fast.

### **Board Members Present:**

Bob Klein, Chair Ellen Ganley, Vice Chair Ethan Billings, Member Marvin Yoder, Member Bobby Evans, Member

### **Staff Members Present:**

Cynthia Franklin, Director Sarah Oates, Records & Licensing Supervisor Robert Beasley, Enforcement Supervisor John Calder, Administrative Officer I

### **ABC Board Counsel Present:**

Harriet Milks, Assistant Attorney General (AAG)

seconds the motion to approve the emergency regulation.	12:25:03 PM
AAG Harriet Milks clarifies that the Board is voting to make the emergency regulation permanent, or if the Board makes changes, to put the regulation back out for public comment.	12:37:22 PM
The Board voted unanimously to approve the regulation as written.	12:40:25 PM
Minutes excerpt reviewed and approved by:  Cynthia A. Franklin, Director	
Date: 6 [1] [5	
Sarah D. Oates, Records & Licensing Supervisor	-
Date: 00/11/15	

STATE OF ALASKA	)	
	) ss	
THIRD HIDICIAL DISTRICT )		

## AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF EMERGENCY REGULATIONS AND FURNISHING OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

I, Gil Nelson, Administrative Assistant of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, being sworn, state the following:

As required by AS 44.62.250, notice of the February 24, 2015 emergency changes to 3 AAC 304.990 adding a new subsection to define the term "in public" that appears in AS 17.38.040. has been distributed under AS 44.62.190(a) by being

- (1) published in a newspaper or trade publication;
- (2) furnished to interested persons;
- (3) furnished to appropriate state officials;
- (4) furnished to the Department of Law, along with a copy of the regulations;
- (5) electronically transmitted to incumbent State of Alaska legislators;
- (6) furnished to the Legislative Affairs Agency, Legislative Legal and Research Services;
- (7) posted on the Alaska Online Public Notice System as required by AS 44.62.175(a)(1) and (b) and 44.62.190(a)(1);
- (8) furnished electronically, along with a copy of the regulations, to the Legislative Affairs Agency, the chair of the Labor and Commerce Committee of the Alaska Senate and House of Representatives, the Administrative Regulation Review Committee, and the legislative council.

As required by AS 44.62.190(d), additional regulations notice information regarding the February 24, 2015 emergency changes to the regulations described above has been furnished to interested persons and furnished to those in (5) and (6) of the list above. The additional regulations notice information also has been posted on the Alaska Online Public Notice System.

DATE:  $\frac{3-2-15}{\text{Anchorage, Alaska}}$ 

Gil Nelson, Administrative Assistant, ABC board

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 2 ncl day of March

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Notary Public in and for the

State of Alaska

My commission expires: W

STATE OF ALASKA	)
	) ss
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT	)

### AFFIDAVIT OF ORAL HEARING

I Robert Klein, Chair of Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, being sworn, state the following:

On April 9, 2015, at 9:00 AM, in Room 203, 716 W 4th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska 99501, I presided over a public hearing held under AS 44.62.210 for the purpose of taking testimony in connection with the adoption of changes to 3 AAC 304.990 as proposed for amendment by adding a new subsection to define the term "in public" that appears in AS 17.38.040.

DATE:

Anchorage, Alaska

Robert Klein, Chair

Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this day of whe ,

[NOTARY SEAL]



Notary Public in and for the

State of Alaska

My commission expires: \( \sqrt{} \)

## NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF EMERGENCY REGULATIONS: ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

Regarding consumption of marijuana "in public."

#### **BRIEF DESCRIPTION**

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board proposes to make permanent changes to regulations made by emergency regulations in the definitions section, by adding a definition of "in public."

On February 24, 2015, the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board adopted, as emergency regulations, changes in Title 3 of the Alaska Administrative Code dealing with public consumption of marijuana, including the following:

3 AAC 304.990 is proposed for amendment by adding a new subsection to define the term "in public" that appears in AS 17.38.040.

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You may comment on the regulation changes, including the potential costs to private persons of complying with the changes, by submitting written comments to Cynthia Franklin at 2400 Viking Drive, Anchorage, AK 99501. Additionally, the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board will accept comments by facsimile at 907-334-2285 or by electronic mail at <a href="mailto:cynthia.franklin@alaska.gov">cynthia.franklin@alaska.gov</a>. The comments must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. on March 31, 2015.

You may submit written questions relevant to the proposed action to Cynthia Franklin by electronic mail at cynthia.franklin@alaska.gov, or by regular mail to Cynthia Franklin, Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, 2400 Viking Drive, Anchorage, Alaska 99501. The questions must be received at least 10 days before the end of the public comment period. The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board will aggregate its response to substantially similar questions and make the questions and response available on the agency website. The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board may, but is not required to, answer written questions received after the 10-day cut-off date and before the end of the comment period.

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A copy of the regulation proposed to be made permanent is available on the Alaska Online Public Notice System or by contacting Cynthia Franklin at 2400 Viking Drive, Anchorage, AK 99501, phone: 907-269-

### 0350, or http://commerce.state.ak.us/dnn/abc/Home.aspx.

If you are a person with a disability who needs a special accommodation in order to participate in this process, please contact Gil Nelson at 907-269-0352 no later than March 21, 2015 to ensure that any necessary accommodations can be provided.

The language of the permanent regulations may be different from that of the original emergency regulations and may include other provisions dealing with the same subject. You should comment during the time allowed if your interests could be affected.

Statutory Authority: AS 17.38.090

Statutes Being Implemented, Interpreted, or Made Specific: AS 17.38.090

**Fiscal Information:** The regulations are not expected to require an increased appropriation.

DATE: 2/25/15

ynthia A. Franklin

Director, Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

## ADDITIONAL REGULATIONS NOTICE INFORMATION (AS 44.62.190(g))

1.	Adopting agency: Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development	
2.	General subject of regulation: public consumption of marijuana	
3.	Citation of regulation (may be grouped): 3 AAC 304,990	
4.	Department of Law file number, if any:	
5.	Reason for the proposed action:	
	( ) Compliance with federal law	
	(X) Compliance with new or changed state statute	
	( ) Compliance with court order	
	( ) Development of program standards	
	(X) Other (please list): threats to public safety and general welfare	
6.	Appropriation/Allocation: NA	
7. Estimated annual costs in the aggregate to comply with the proposed action to:		
	Private Persons: None	
	Other State Agencies: None	
	Municipalities: None	
8.	Cost of implementation to the state agency and available funding (in thousands of dollars):	

	Initial Year FY 2015	Subsequent Years
Operating Cost	\$_0	\$_0
Capital Cost	\$_0	\$_0
1002 Federal receipts	\$_0	\$_0
1003 General fund match	\$_0	\$_0
1004 General fund	\$ 0	\$_0
1005 General fund/		
program	\$ 0	\$_0
1037 General fund/		
mental health	\$_0	\$_0
Other	\$_0	\$_0

8. The name of the contact person for the regulations:

Name: Cynthia A. Franklin

Title: Director

Address: 2400 Viking Drive Anchorage, AK 99501 E-mail address: cynthia.franklin@alaska.gov

10. The origin of the proposed action:

\_\_X\_\_\_ Staff of state agency
\_\_\_\_\_ Federal government
\_\_\_\_\_ General public
\_\_\_\_\_ Petition for regulation change
\_\_\_\_\_ Other (identify)\_\_\_\_\_\_

11. Date: February 24, 2015 Prepared by: \_\_\_\_\_\_ [signature]

Name (printed): Cynthia A. Franklin
Title (printed): Director, Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
Address: 2400 Viking Drive

Telephone:

Anchorage, AK 99501

907-269-0350

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## AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF ALASKA
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Kayla Lavea

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February 26, 2015

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Kayla Janea

Signed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of February, 2015

Notary Public in and for The State of Alaska.

Third Division
Anchorage, Alaska

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

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Statutory Authority: AS 17.38.090

Statutes Being Implemented, Interpreted, or Made Specific: AS 17.38.090

Fiscal Information: The regulations are not expected to require an increased appropriation.

Cynthia A Franklin, Director (907) 269-0350

Published: February 26, 2015

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## OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR ALASKA

### MEMORANDUM

TO:

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Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development

FROM:

Scott Meriwether

Special Assistant

907.465.4081

DATE:

February 24, 2015

RE:

Filed Emergency Regulations: Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

Emergency Regulations re: definition of "in public" (3 AAC 304.990)

Attorney General File:

**Emergency Regulations** 

Regulation Filed:

February 24, 2015

Effective Date:

February 24, 2015

Expiration Date:

June 23, 2015 unless made permanent

by the adopting agency

Print:

213, April 2015

cc with enclosures:

Linda Miller, Department of Law

Dean Williams, Administrative Regulation Review Committee

Judy Herndon, LexisNexis

### FINDING OF EMERGENCY

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board finds that an emergency exists and that the attached regulations are necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare. The facts constituting the emergency include the following:

Effective February 24, 2015 Alaska Statute (AS) 17.38 significantly expands the circumstances in which a citizen may lawfully possess, transport, and transfer marijuana. Alaska Statute 17.38.040 expressly makes it unlawful to "consume marijuana in public." Alaska Statute 17.38.900 defines "consumption" as "the act of ingesting, inhaling, or otherwise introducing marijuana into the human body." But AS 17.38 does not define "in public."

Testimony before the legislature and local governing bodies has revealed widespread concern that persons charged with enforcement of Alaska's existing drug laws as well as the new marijuana law will lack sufficient guidance as to the meaning of "in public" to effectively enforce the new law, and that confusion and disorder will result, putting the public at risk.

## **Emergency Regulations**

Therefore, this emergency regulation is necessary, to give clear and consistent guidance to persons who may consume marijuana in various venues, as well as those charged with enforcing the new law, so that the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare may be protected.

### ORDER CERTIFYING ADOPTION

I certify that the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, under the authority of AS 17.38.040 and 17.38.090, adopted at its February 24, 2015 meeting the attached one page of regulation changes as emergency regulations to take effect immediately upon filing by the lieutenant governor, as provided in AS 44.62.180(3).

This action is not expected to require an increased appropriation.

DATE: February 24, 2015, at Juneau, Alaska.

Ethan Billing

Member, Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

### FILING CERTIFICATION

I, Byron Mallott, Lieutenant Govern	or for the State of Alaska, certify that on
Fil 24 , 2015, at 10:15	or for the State of Alaska, certify that on
the provisions of AS 44.62.	2

ieutenant Governor Byron Mallott

Effective: February 24, 2015

Register: 213, April, 2015

Expires June 23, 2012 unless made "primisment" by the adopting agency.

### **EMERGENCY REGULATION**

Register 213, April 2015 COMMER

COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND EC. DEV.

- 3 AAC 304.990 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:
- (b) In AS 17.38.040, "in public" means in a place to which the public or a substantial group of persons has access and includes highways, transportation facilities, schools, places of amusement or business, parks, playgrounds, prisons, and hallways, lobbies, and other portions of apartment houses and hotels not constituting rooms or apartments designed for actual residence.

(Eff. 4/28/84, Register 90; am 6/13/2003, Register 166; am 2/24/2015, Register 213)

Authority:

AS 04.06.090

AS 17.38.040

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AS 04.06.100