ADDITIONAL REGULATIONS NOTICE INFORMATION (AS 44.62.190(d))

- Adopting agency: Department of Environmental Conservation, Division of Spill Prevention and Response
- 2. General subject of regulation: Underground Storage Tank Worker Fees
- 3. Citation of regulation (may be grouped): 18 AAC 78 Article 4
- 4. Department of Law file number, if any: JU2016200656
- 5. Reason for the proposed action:

()	Compliance with federal law or action (identify):
()	Compliance with new or changed state statute
()	Compliance with Federal or state court decision (identify)
()	Development of program standards
(X)	Other (identify): Amend the UST workers' application and certification fees.

- 6. Appropriation/Allocation: Spill Prevention and Response Division, Underground Storage Tank Program
- 7. Estimated annual costs in the aggregate to comply with the proposed action to:
 - a. Private Persons: Persons seeking Underground Storage Tank Worker certification and/or certification renewal required for installation, testing and closure of Underground Storage Systems in the State of Alaska will experience an increase in the cost of existing certification fees. This increase is an additional \$25.00 to EACH of the following certification fees: Application Fee, Certification Fee(s) per Category, Renewal Certification Fee(s) per Category, and Reciprocity Certification Fee(s) per Category. Applicable fees are paid biennially on odd-numbered years to the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development for occupational licensing functions and are established under AS 46.03.375(b). The number of certifications per individual ranges from 1-5 (meaning the additional certification costs per individual will range from \$25-\$125. Over the two-year fee period this results in a per-year increase ranging from \$12.50-\$62.50).
 - b. Other State Agencies: No identifiable costs.
 - c. Municipalities: No identifiable costs.
- 8. Cost of implementation to the state agency and available funding (in thousands of dollars):

	Initial Year	Subsequent
	FY 17	Years
Operating Cost	\$_0	\$_0
Capital Cost	\$_0	\$_0
1002 Federal receipts	\$ <u>0</u>	\$_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	
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10.	The origin of the proposed act X Staff of state agency Federal government General public Petition for regulation Other (identify)	<i>!</i>		
11.	Date: September 1, 2016		d): Dennis Hartwick): Environmental Program Specialist III 907)451-2171	_