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OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR ALASKA

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Amy Demboski

Department of Commerce Community and Economic Development

FROM:

April Simpson, Office of the Lieutenant Governor

465.4081

DATE:

July 21, 2020

RE:

Filed Permanent Regulations: Division of Insurance

Division of Insurance Emergency Regulation Being Made Permanent re: Coverage for

COVID-19 Symptoms (3 AAC 31.540)

Attorney General File:

2020200296

Regulation Filed:

7/21/2020

Effective Date:

3/25/2020

Print:

235, October 2020

cc with enclosures:

Harry Hale, Department of Law

Judy Herndon, LexisNexis

Jackson Willard, Regulations Specialist

CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE

I, Anna Latham, Deputy Director for the Division of Insurance, on behalf of Lori Wing-Heier, Director for the Division of Insurance, certify that, as required by AS 44.62.260 in order to make the attached 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 regulation:

3 AAC 31.540 regarding covered conditions for Alaska's Comprehensive Health Insurance Association Reinsurance Program.

This regulation originally was filed as an emergency regulation on March 25, 2020.

In considering the public comments, the Division of Insurance paid special attention to the cost to private persons of the regulatory action being taken.

Date: 4/6/2020

Anna Latham, Deputy Director

FILING CERTIFICATION

I, Kevin Meyer, Lieutenant Governor for the State of Alaska, certify that on 20, at 1:53 pm., I filed the attached regulation according to the provisions of AS 44.62.

Lieutenant Governor Kerm Meyer

Register:

235, October 2020.

FOR DELEGATION OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S AUTHORITY

I, KEVIN MEYER, LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ALASKA, designate the following state employees to perform the Administrative Procedures Act filing functions of the Office of the Lieutenant Governor:

Josh Applebee, Chief of Staff Kady Levale, Notary Administrator April Simpson, Regulations and Initiatives Specialist

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have signed and affixed the Seal of the State of Alaska, in Juneau, on December 11th, 2018.

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KEVIN MEYER LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR Register 235, October 2020 COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND EC. DEV.

The emergency amendment of 3 AAC 31. \$40 15 made fermanent to read:

3 AAC 31.540 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

(34) cardio-respiratory failure and shock, including respiratory distress syndromes.

(Eff. 12/22/2016, Register 220; am 3 / 25 / 2020, Register 234)

AS 21.55.400

((Publisher: Please change period at end of 3 AAC 31.540(33) to a somicolon, 1)

Authority: AS 21.06.090 AS 21.55.220

MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

Department of Law

To: The Honorable Kevin Meyer Lieutenant Governor

Date: July 15, 2020

File No.: 2020200296

Tel. No.: 465-3600

From: Susan R. Pollard SRP

Chief Assistant Attorney General and Regulations Attorney
Legislation and Regulations Section

Re: Division of Insurance Regulation re:

3 AAC 31.540 Emergency

Regulations: Division of Insurance - Coverage for COVID-19 Symptoms

The Department of Law has reviewed the attached regulations of the Division of Insurance 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 regulation makes permanent the emergency regulation to add cardio-respiratory failure and shock, including respiratory distress syndromes, to the list of covered conditions under Alaska's Comprehensive Health Insurance Association Reinsurance Program.

The May 14, 2020, public notice and March 25, 2020, emergency adoption order state that this action is not expected to require an increased appropriation. Therefore, a fiscal note under AS 44.62.195 is not required. The July 6, 2020, certification of compliance states that the division paid special attention to the costs to private persons when considering public comments.

We made some technical corrections to conform the regulations in accordance with AS 44.62.125. The corrections are shown on the attached copy of the regulations.

SRP:hjh

cc w/encl.:

Julie Anderson, Commissioner

Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development

Amy Demboski, Assistant Commissioner

Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development

Glenn Hoskinson, Special Assistant to the Commissioner

Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development

Lori Wing-Heier, Director Division of Insurance Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development

Anna Latham, Deputy Director Division of Insurance Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development

Jackson Willard, Regulations Specialist
Division of Insurance
Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development

April Simpson, AAC Coordinator Office of the Lieutenant Governor

Erin Egan, Assistant Attorney General Department of Law



Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development

DIVISION OF INSURANCE

550 West Seventh Avenue, Suite 1560 Anchorage, AK 99501-3567 Main: 907.269.7900 Fax: 907.269.7910

May 15, 2019

DIVISION OF INSURANCE STANDING ORDER OF DELEGATION

I, Lori K. Wing-Heier, Director of the Division of Insurance, wish to provide this delegation of authority to personnel in the Division of Insurance to act on my behalf when required, if/when I am unable to act or cannot be reached. Pursuant to the provisions of Alaska Statute 21.06.050, and under these circumstances, I delegate authority to execrcise or discharge in the director's name all power, duties, or functions, whether ministerial or discretionary, vested by this in the director, to the following division employees:

First, Anna Latham, Deputy Director Second, Alex Romero, Chief Investigator Third, Sarah Bailey, Supervisor of the Life and Health section

This is a standing Order of Delegation, effective immediately, and will remain in effect until notified or revoked by subsequent order.

Lori K. Wing-Heier, Division Director

Division of Insurance

Cc: Julie Anderson, Commissioner

John Springsteen, Deputy Commissioner

Micaela Fowler, ASD Director, DCCED/OMB

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF EMERGENCY REGULATION ON COVERED CONDITIONS FOR REINSURANCE OF THE DIVISION OF INSURANCE

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You may submit written questions relevant to the proposed action to Jackson Willard via email at Jackson.willard@alaksa.gov. The questions must be received at least 10 days before the end of the public comment period. The Division of Insurance will aggregate its response to substantially similar questions and make the questions and responses available on the Alaska Online Public Notice System and the Division of Insurance's website. The Division of Insurance 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.

If you are a person with a disability who needs a special accommodation in order to participate in this process, please contact Kelli Patterson via email at kell.patteron@alaska.gov not later than April 20, 2020, to ensure that any necessary accommodation can be provided.

A copy of the emergency regulation is available on the Alaska Online Public Notice System and on the Division of Insurance's website and by contacting Jackson Willard at Jackson.willard@alaska.gov.

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agency's office at 333 Willoughby Ave, 9th Floor State Office Building, Juneau, AK, 99811.

Statutory authority: AS 21.06.090; AS 21.55.400

Statutes being implemented, interpreted, or made specific: AS 21.55.220

Fiscal information: The regulation is not expected to require an increased appropriation.

Date: March 25, 2020

Lori Wing-Heier, Director

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Date: May 12, 2020

Lori Wing-Heier, Director

ADDITIONAL REGULATION NOTICE INFORMATION (AS 44.62.190(d))

1.	Adopting agency: Divisio	n of Insurance			
2.	General subject of regulation: Covered Conditions for Reinsurance				
3.	Citation of regulation: 3 AAC 31.540				
4.	Department of Law file number, if any:				
5.	Reason for the proposed action:				
	() Compliance with federal law or action:				
	() Compliance with new or changed state statute				
	() Compliance with federal or state court decision:				
	() Development of program standards				
	(X) Other: Emergency Regulation				
6.	Appropriation/Allocation:_	0			
7.	Estimated annual cost to comply with the proposed action to:				
	A private person: 0				
	Another state agency: 0				
	A municipality: 0				
8.	Cost of implementation to the state agency and available funding (in thousands of dollars):				
		Initial Year	Subsequent		
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	Capital Cost	\$_0			
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	1004 General fund	\$ 0	\$ 0		
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	program	\$ 0	\$ 0		
	Other (identify)	\$_0	\$_0		
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9.	The name of the contact person for the regulation:			
	Name: Jackson Willard Title: Regulation Specialist II Address: PO Box 110805 Juneau, AK 99811 Telephone: (907) 465-8486 E-mail address: jackson.willard@alaska.gov			
10.	The origin of the proposed action:			
	X Staff of state agency Federal government General public Petition for regulation change Other:			
11.	Date: 3/23/2020 Prepared by: Jan Zall			
	Name: Jackson Willard Title: Regulation Specialist II Telephone: (907) 465-8486			

ANCHORAGE DAILY NEWS AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

Account #: 270251 ST OF AK/DIV OF INSURANCE PO BOX 110805, JUNEAU, AK 99811

Order #: W0014266

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF EMERGENCY REGULATION ON COVERED CONDITIONS FOR REINSURANCE OF THE DIVISION

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OF INSURANCE

Cost: \$383.5

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Statutory authority: AS 21.06.090; AS 21.55.400

Statutes being implemented, interpreted, or made specific: AS 21 55 220

Fiscal information: The regulation is not expected to require an increased appropriation.

Date: March 25, 2020 By: /s/ Lori Wing-Heier Director

Published: March 29, 2020

STATE OF ALASKA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Lisi Misa being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that she is a representative of the Anchorage Daily News, a daily newspaper. That said newspaper has been approved by the Third Judicial Court, Anchorage, Alaska, and it now and has been published in the English language continually as a daily newspaper in Anchorage, Alaska, and it is now and during all said time was printed in an office maintained at the aforesaid place of publication of said newspaper. That the annexed is a copy of an advertisement as it was published in regular issues (and not in supplemental form) of said newspaper on

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and that such newspaper was regularly distributed to its subscribers during all of said period. That the full amount of the fee charged for the foregoing publication is not in excess of the rate charged private individuals.

Signed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of April 2020.

Notary Public in and for The State of Alaska.

Third Division Anchorage, Alaska

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Signed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May 2020.

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Third Division Anchorage, Alaska

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

SECOND NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF EMERGENCY REGULATION ON COVERED CONDITIONS FOR REINSURANCE OF THE DIVISION OF INSURANCE

Cost: \$443.26

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Statutory authority: AS 21.06.090; AS 21.55.400

Statutes being implemented, interpreted, or made specific: AS 21.55.220

Fiscal Information: The regulation is not expected to require an increased appropriation.

Date: May 12, 2020 By: /s/ Lori Wing-Heier, Director

Published: May 14, 2020

AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF EMERGENCY REGULATION AND FURNISHING OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

I, Jackson Willard, Regulation Specialist for the Division of Insurance, under penalty of perjury, state the following:

As required by AS 44.62.250, notice of the March 25, 2020 emergency changes to 3 AAC 31.540 on symptoms of COVID-19 covered under Alaska's Comprehensive Health Insurance Association Reinsurance Program has been given under AS 44.62.190(a) by being

- (1) published in a newspaper or trade publication;
- (2) furnished to every person who has filed a request for notice of proposed action with the state agency;
- (3) furnished to appropriate state officials;
- (4) furnished to interested persons;
- (5) furnished to the Department of Law, along with a copy of the regulation;
- (6) electronically transmitted to incumbent State of Alaska legislators;
- (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)

As required by AS 44.62.190, additional regulation notice information regarding the March 25, 2020 emergency changes to the regulation described above has been furnished to interested persons and furnished to those in (2), (4) and (6) of the list above. The additional regulation notice information also has been posted on the Alaska Online Public Notice System.

There is no notary public or other official empowered to administer oaths available to notarize this document as a result of social distancing requirements implemented statewide.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true.

Date: 6/29/2020

Jackson Willard, Regulation Specialist

State of Alaska Juneau, AK

AFFIDAVIT OF ORAL HEARING

I, Jackson Willard, Regulation Specialist for the Division of Insurance, under penalty of perjury, state the following:

On June 19, 2020, at 11:00 am, via teleconference in Conference Room A, 9th Floor, 333 Willoughby Ave, Juneau, AK, 99801, 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 31.540 on symptoms of COVID-19 covered under Alaska's Comprehensive Health Insurance Association Reinsurance Program

There is no notary public or other official empowered to administer oaths available to notarize this document as a result of social distancing requirements implemented statewide.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true.

Date: 6/29/2020

Jackson Willard, Regulation Specialist

State of Alaska Juneau, AK

AFFIDAVIT OF AGENCY RECORD OF PUBLIC COMMENT

I, Jackson Willard, Regulation Specialist for the Division of Insurance, under penalty of perjury, state the following:

In compliance with AS 44.62.215, the Division of Insurance has kept a record of its use or rejection of factual or other substantive information that was submitted in writing as public comment and that was relevant to the accuracy, coverage, or other aspect of the Division of Insurance's regulation on symptoms of COVID-19 covered under Alaska's Comprehensive Health Insurance Association Reinsurance Program.

There is no notary public or other official empowered to administer oaths available to notarize this document as a result of social distancing requirements implemented statewide.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true.

Date: 6/24/2020

Jackson Willard, Regulation Specialist

State of Alaska Juneau, AK

EMERGENCY REGULATION

Register 234, July 2020 COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND EC. DEV.

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(Eff. 12/22/2016, Register 220; am 3 / 25 / 2020, Register 234)

Authority: A

AS 21.06.090

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FINDING OF EMERGENCY

The Division of Insurance finds that an emergency exists and that the attached regulation is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, or general welfare. The facts constituting the emergency include the following:

On March 11, 2020, Governor Dunleavy issued an emergency declaration of a public health disaster in response to the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) in response to an anticipated outbreak. This regulation helps to make the symptoms of COVID-19 covered under Alaska's Comprehensive Health Insurance Association Reinsurance Program.

ADOPTION ORDER RA20-01

Under the authority of AS 21.06.090, AS 21.55.220, and AS 21.55.400, the attached page of regulation changes are therefore adopted as an emergency regulation 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.

234 July 2020.

Register:

Date: May 25, 2020	Anna Latham
	Lori Wing-Heier, Director
Josh Applebee FII	LING CERTIFICATION
	for the State of Alaska, certify that on
March 25 , 20 20, at 9:41	4m., I filed the attached regulation according to the
provisions of AS 44.62.	Martinel
	Lieutenant Governor
Effective: March 25, 2020	1

Expires ANY 22, 2020 unless made "permanent" by the adopting agency

FOR DELEGATION OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S AUTHORITY

I, KEVIN MEYER, LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ALASKA, designate the following state employees to perform the Administrative Procedures Act filing functions of the Office of the Lieutenant Governor:

Josh Applebee, Chief of Staff
Kady Levale, Notary Administrator
April Simpson, Regulations and Initiatives Specialist

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have signed and affixed the Seal of the State of Alaska, in Juneau, on December 11th, 2018.

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KEVIN MEYER LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

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