

**HOUSE BILL NO. 257**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

**BY REPRESENTATIVE WILSON**

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**Referred: Prefiled**

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to publication of protective orders."**

2 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

3 \* **Section 1.** AS 22.35.030 is amended to read:

4 **Sec. 22.35.030. Publication of records [RECORDS CONCERNING**  
5 **CRIMINAL CASES RESULTING IN ACQUITTAL OR DISMISSAL].** The  
6 Alaska Court System may not publish a court record [OF A CRIMINAL CASE] on a  
7 publicly available website

8 **(1) in a criminal case** if 60 days have elapsed from the date of  
9 acquittal or dismissal and

10 **(A) [(1)]** the defendant was acquitted of all charges filed in the  
11 case;

12 **(B) [(2)]** all criminal charges against the defendant in the case  
13 have been dismissed and were not dismissed as part of a plea agreement in  
14 another criminal case under Rule 11, Alaska Rules of Criminal Procedure;

15 **(C) [(3)]** the defendant was acquitted of some of the criminal

1 charges in the case and the remaining charges were dismissed; or  
2 **(D)** [(4)] all criminal charges against the defendant in the case  
3 have been dismissed after a suspended entry of judgment under AS 12.55.078;  
4 **(2) of a protective order under AS 18.66.100 - 18.66.180,**  
5 **restraining order, or injunction in a case involving domestic violence if the**  
6 **publication would likely reveal the identity or location of the party protected**  
7 **under the order.**