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SENATE BILL NO. 76

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Introduced: 3/18/15 Referred: Labor and Commerce, Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to private actions and remedies against real estate licensees for licensee

2 relationships, disclosures, and activity before January 1, 2005; and providing for an

3 effective date."

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

5 * Section 1. AS 08.88.396(e) is amended to read:

6 (e) In a civil action <u>arising out of</u> [FOR] the failure of a licensee to comply 7 with the provisions of this section, the plaintiff's remedy is limited to the recovery of 8 actual damages. This subsection does not limit a person's ability to take any other 9 action or pursue any other remedy to which the person may be entitled under other law 10 <u>except for a claim arising out of a violation of this section</u>.

* Sec. 2. The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section to
read:

APPLICABILITY. This Act applies to a real estate transaction that occurred on or before the effective date of this Act and to an action pending on the effective date of this Act

- 1 in a court in the state relating to a transaction that occurred on or before the effective date of
- 2 this Act in which a final judgment has not been rendered before the effective date of this Act.
- 3 In this section, "real estate transaction" has the meaning given in AS 08.88.990.
- 4 * Sec. 3. The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section to
 5 read:
- 6 RETROACTIVITY. Section 1 of this Act is retroactive to January 1, 1991.
- 7 * Sec. 4. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).