

HOUSE BILL NO. 91

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCABE

Introduced: 3/1/23

Referred: Labor and Commerce, Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to deduction of labor or employee organization dues or service fees**
2 **from the pay of certain public employees; and providing for an effective date."**

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

4 *** Section 1.** AS 23.40.075 is amended to read:

5 **Sec. 23.40.075. Items not subject to bargaining.** The parties may not
6 negotiate terms contrary to the

7 (1) reemployment rights for injured state employees under
8 AS 39.25.158;

9 (2) reemployment rights of the organized militia under AS 26.05.075;

10 (3) authority of the Department of Health under AS 47.27.035 to
11 assign Alaska temporary assistance program participants to a work activity considered
12 appropriate by the Department of Health;

13 (4) authority for agencies to create temporary positions under
14 AS 47.27.055(c); [OR]

1 (5) provisions contained in a contract under AS 14.40.210(a)(4); **or**
2 **(6) expiration of a payroll deduction under AS 23.40.220.**

3 * **Sec. 2.** AS 23.40.220 is amended to read:

4 **Sec. 23.40.220. Labor or employee organization dues and employee**
5 **benefits, deduction and authorization.** Upon written authorization of a public
6 employee within a bargaining unit, the public employer shall deduct from the payroll
7 of the public employee the monthly amount of dues, fees, and other employee benefits
8 as certified by the secretary of the exclusive bargaining representative and shall
9 deliver it to the chief fiscal officer of the exclusive bargaining representative.
10 **Beginning July 1, 2024, an authorization under this section expires annually on**
11 **July 1 unless reauthorized in writing by the public employee within 60 days**
12 **before it expires.**

13 * **Sec. 3.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section to
14 read:

15 **APPLICABILITY.** This Act applies to an authorization under AS 23.40.220 made
16 after the effective date of this Act.

17 * **Sec. 4.** This Act takes effect July 1, 2023.