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MEMORANDUM

TO: Alcohol Industry

DATE: Friday, February 03, 2023

from M. Wilson FROM: AMCO Director, Joan Wilson **RE:** Alcohol Server Education AMCO Enforcement Supervisor, James Hoelscher

In February of 2021, the Governor's emergency regulations regarding the service of alcoholic beverages expired. In addition, on 4-14-21, 3 AAC 304.465 was amended to allow for any **approved** alcohol server course providers to instruct via internet-based webinar or video teleconference to anyone in the state.

To date, the following courses are approved for obtaining Alaska alcohol serving training:

• <u>In person and online:</u>

- Training for Alcohol Professionals (TAP®) Alaska CHARR
 Webinar and in-person classes are available around the state. Online renewal registration is now available. Phone: 907-274-8133
- Online Only:
 - Alaska Responsible Serving of Alcohol Rserving
 Online classes only. <u>Click here</u> to start your training today! Phone: 1-800-247-7737
- In Person Only:
 - TIPS® (Training for Intervention Procedures) Alaska Hospitality In-person classes only. <u>Click here</u> for current training schedule. Phone: 1-800-438-8477, ext. 357

Since the termination of emergency regulations, several people have taken eTIPS online. This is not an approved course and does not meet the current requirements to be an approved course. Unfortunately, if you have an eTIPS card issued after February 14, 2021, it is not valid, and you will have to retake the course. TIPS (360 Training) has agreed to waive their in-person course fee for those who are affected by this notice.