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Vote: 6 Yes, 3 No

## KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ORDINANCE 96-12

## AN ORDINANCE AMENDING KPBC 5.18.200 BY CREATING A SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR ACUPUNCTURISTS

WHEREAS, Kenai Peninsula Borough Code Section 5.18.100 (A)(2) is a listing of professions in the human health service field whose services are exempt from sales tax; and

WHEREAS, acupuncturists provide services which are similar to other licensed health care providers; and

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska regulates the licensing of this profession;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH:

**SECTION 1.** That Kenai Peninsula Borough Code Section 5.18.200 Exemptions be amended to include acupuncturists as follows:

## 5.18.200 Exemptions.

- A. The following classes of retail sales, services and rentals are exempt:
  - 1. ....
- 2. Hospital services and medical services performed by licensed medical doctors, dentists, osteopaths, optometrists, chiropractors, state-licensed private nurses, speech and hearing pathologists, physical therapists, acupuncturists, state-licensed psychologists, psychological associates, and licensed clinical social workers, and retail sales of medicinal preparations drugs or appliances for which a written prescription is required from one of the foregoing; . . . .

**SECTION 2.** That this ordinance takes effect immediately upon its enactment.

ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH THIS 22nd

DAY OF APRIL, 1996.

Andrew P. Scalzi, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Gaye J/ Vanghan, Borough Clerk