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BOROUGH ASSEMBLY

MEMORANDUM

TO: Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly

FROM: Gary Knopp, Assembly Member *GK*

DATE: October 14, 2010

SUBJECT: Ordinance 2010-41, Amending KPB 2.90.030 Violations, to Include a Provision Prohibiting Unauthorized Dissemination of Information Disclosed within an Executive Session

The Assembly recently enacted ordinance 2010-10 establishing an ethics code for public officials. The ethics code however does not address conduct regarding executive sessions. Specifically addressing the expectations of confidentiality and remedy for violations of the breach of confidentiality in regards to executive sessions may help prevent unintentional and intentional violations. Additionally, providing remedies for such violations which are not otherwise provided in state or local law will provide the Assembly with more certainty in addressing any problems should they arise.

Your consideration is appreciated.