IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA ORDER NO. 1467

Adding a note to Evidence Rule 301 to implement Chapter 80 SLA 2001.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. The following note is added at the end of Evidence Rule 301:

NOTE: Ch. 80 SLA 2001 enacted a new subsection (b)(8) to AS 34.77.120 concerning the sufficiency of spousal testimony to rebut presumptions established under AS 34.77.120(b)(5) or (7). According to section 7 of the Act, this new subsection has the effect of amending Evidence Rule 301 by changing the rule's general criteria for the evidence that must be introduced to satisfy the burden of proof to rebut the presumptions.

DATED: February 22, 2002

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 15, 2002

Chief Justice Fabe

Justice Matthews

Justice Eastaugh

Justice Bryner

Justice Carpeneti