A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

"An Act relating to legislative powers and responsibility with respect to collective bargaining agreements between the state and a labor or employee organization representing state employees; and providing for an effective date."

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

* Section 1. AS 23.40.215(b) is amended to read:

(b) The Department of Administration shall submit the monetary terms of an agreement to the legislature within 10 legislative days after the agreement of the parties, if the legislature is in session, or within 10 legislative days after the convening of the next regular session. The complete monetary and nonmonetary terms of a tentative agreement shall be submitted to the legislature no later than the 60th day of the legislative session to receive legislative consideration during that calendar year. However, if the department has submitted a tentative agreement in a timely manner and the parties to the agreement decide to renegotiate the terms, the renegotiated agreement shall be considered to have been submitted in
a timely manner. In this subsection, "tentative agreement" means an agreement
that has been reached by the negotiators for the employer and the bargaining unit
but that may not yet have been ratified by the members of the bargaining unit
[THE LEGISLATURE SHALL ADVISE THE PARTIES BY CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION IF IT APPROVES OR DISAPPROVES OF THE MONETARY
TERMS WITHIN 60 LEGISLATIVE DAYS AFTER THE AGREEMENT IS
SUBMITTED TO THE LEGISLATURE. THE APPROVAL OF THE MONETARY
TERMS OF AN AGREEMENT UNDER THIS SUBSECTION IS A NONBINDING,
ADVISORY EXPRESSION OF LEGISLATIVE INTENT. IF WITHIN 60
LEGISLATIVE DAYS AFTER THE AGREEMENT IS SUBMITTED THE
LEGISLATURE ADVISES THE PARTIES BY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
THAT IT DISAPPROVES THE MONETARY TERMS OF THE AGREEMENT, THE
PARTIES MAY RESUME NEGOTIATIONS].

* Sec. 2. AS 23.40.250(4) is amended to read:

(4) "monetary terms of an agreement" means the changes in the terms
and conditions of employment resulting from an agreement that

(A) will require an appropriation for their implementation; [OR]

(B) will result in a change in state revenues or productive work
hours for state employees; or

(C) address employee compensation, leave benefits, or health
insurance benefits, whether or not an appropriation is required for
implementation;

* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).