CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 222(FIN)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered: 3/25/16
Referred: Rules

Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES HAWKER, Wilson, Pruitt, Gattis, Hughes, Millett, Tilton

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

"An Act relating to increases of appropriation items."

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

Section 1. AS 37.07.080(h) is amended to read:

(h) Unless expressly prohibited by the language of the appropriation, the increase of an appropriation item based on additional federal or other program receipts not specifically appropriated by the full legislature may be expended in accordance with the following procedures:

1. the governor shall submit a revised program to the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee for review;

2. 90 [45] days shall elapse before commencement of expenditures under the revised program unless the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee earlier recommends that the state take part in the federally or otherwise funded activity;

3. should the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee recommend within the 90-day [45-DAY] period that the state not initiate the additional activity, the governor shall again review the revised program and if the governor determines to...
authorize the expenditure, the governor shall provide the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee with a statement of the governor's reasons and may not commence expenditures under the revised program until the 90-day period has elapsed.