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### CS SB 62 (L&C)

#### Explanation of Changes (Version D to J)

Version J allows for an exemption from the certificate of need program if the new construction of a healthcare facility, alteration of bed capacity, or addition of a category of health services is in a location that is over 75 miles from another healthcare facility. This is a change from 100 miles in Ver. D to 75 miles in Ver. J. The change assists more communities that are currently struggling to attract and retain healthcare services to better provide equal access to care for all Alaskans.