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CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 361()

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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Offered: Referred:

Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES FAIRCLOUGH, Dahlstrom

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

"An Act moving the statewide 911 coordinator position to the Department of Public Safety; requiring 911 dispatchers to be trained in cardiopulmonary resuscitation; and providing for an effective date."

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

* Section 1. AS 18.60 is amended by adding a new section to read:

Article 13. Statewide 911 Coordinator.

Sec. 18.60.870. Statewide 911 Coordinator. A statewide 911 coordinator is established in the Department of Public Safety to coordinate and facilitate the implementation of 911 systems throughout the state. The 911 coordinator shall

- (1) participate in efforts to set uniform statewide standards for automatic number identification and automatic location identification data transmission for telecommunications systems;
- (2) make recommendations as necessary for implementation of basic and enhanced 911 service;

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(3) facilitate and monitor the training of emergency dispatchers in cardiopulmonary resuscitation; in this paragraph, "dispatcher" has the meaning given in AS 29.35.132.

* Sec. 2. AS 29.35 is amended by adding a new section to read:

Sec. 29.35.132. Training of emergency dispatcher. A municipality shall require that emergency dispatchers on the 911 system be trained and currently certified in cardiopulmonary resuscitation. In this section, "dispatcher" has the meaning given the term "call taker" in AS 29.35.131(k).

- * Sec. 3. AS 26.23.170(b) is repealed.
- * Sec. 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2010.