

**SENATE BILL NO. 69 am**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY SENATOR REVAK

Amended: 3/29/21

Introduced: 2/3/21

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1   **"An Act extending an exemption from regulation as a public utility for plants and**  
2   **facilities generating electricity entirely from renewable energy resources; and providing**  
3   **for an effective date."**

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

5    \* **Section 1.** AS 42.05.711(r) is amended to read:

6           (r) A plant or facility that generates electricity entirely from renewable energy  
7   resources is exempt from regulation under this chapter, **other than applicable**  
8   **regulation under AS 42.05.760 - 42.05.790**, if

9           (1) the plant or facility

10               (A) is first placed into commercial operation on or after  
11   August 31, 2010, and before July 1, **2028** [2021]; and

12               (B) does not generate more than 65 megawatts of electricity;

13           (2) the electricity generated by the plant or facility is sold only to one  
14   or more electric utilities that are regulated by the commission; and

1                               (3) the person that constructs, owns, acquires, or operates the plant or  
2 facility has not received from the state

3                               (A) a grant that was used to generate the electricity from the  
4 renewable energy resources; or

5                               (B) a tax credit related to the generation of electricity from the  
6 renewable energy resources.

7    \* **Sec. 2.** This Act takes effect July 1, 2021.