

HOUSE BILL NO.

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY**Introduced:****Referred:****A BILL****FOR AN ACT ENTITLED****"An Act relating to the Joint Armed Services Committee."****BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**3 * **Section 1.** AS 24.20.675(a) is amended to read:

4 (a) The Joint Armed Services Committee shall

5 (1) monitor the military base realignment and closure activities of the
6 federal government for bases in the state;7 (2) [WORK ON SPECIFIC REALIGNMENTS AND CLOSURES
8 PROPOSED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FOR BASES IN THE STATE;

9 (3)] work with the state's congressional delegation;

10 (3) [REGARDING FEDERAL MILITARY BASE REALIGNMENTS
11 AND CLOSINGS IN THE STATE;12 (4) ATTEND MEETINGS AND HEARINGS RELATED TO
13 FEDERAL REALIGNMENTS AND CLOSURES OF MILITARY BASES IN THE
14 STATE AND PROVIDE TESTIMONY AS NECESSARY;

15 (5) REVIEW THE EFFECT ON THE STATE AND ITS

1 COMMUNITIES OF FEDERAL REALIGNMENTS AND CLOSURES OF
2 MILITARY BASES IN THE STATE;

3 (6)] monitor the development of the national ballistic missile defense
4 system and work with the congressional delegation of the state, other state and local
5 government organizations, and community groups to advocate and expedite the
6 deployment of the system in this state;

7 (4) [(7)] investigate opportunities to increase joint and combined
8 military training in the state;

9 (5) [(8)] advocate the stationing of reconfigured power projection
10 forces at bases located in the state; and

11 (6) [(9)] prepare and submit a report of its activities to the legislature
12 on the first day of each second regular session.