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SENATE BILL 170 SECTIONAL ANALYSIS VERSION W (RES):

*Section 1. Provides that fees collected by the Department of Natural Resources (department) under AS 41.08.045, added by bill section 3, will be accounted for separately and that appropriations from these fees are not made from the unrestricted general fund.

*Section 2. Conforms AS 41.08.030 to the changes made to AS 41.08 by section 3 of the bill.

*Section 3. Adds a new section to AS 41.08 permitting the department's division of geological and geophysical surveys to charge and collect fees for facilities, equipment, products, or services that the division offers. Institutes a fee waiver for students using the facilities, equipmet, products or services for educational purposes.

*Section 4. Amend uncodified law to permit the department to adopt regulations necessary to implement changes made by the Act.

*Section 5. Makes section 4 effective immediately.

*Section 6. Gives sections 1-3 an effective date of July 1, 2016.

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