

HOUSE BILL NO. 177

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCK, Spohnholz

Introduced: 4/16/21

Referred: State Affairs, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to an increase of an appropriation due to additional federal or other**
2 **program receipts; and providing for an effective date."**

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

4 * **Section 1.** AS 37.07.080(h) is amended to read:

5 (h) **If the legislature appropriates federal or other program receipts for a**
6 **program or project, an** [THE] increase of **the** [AN] appropriation item **for the**
7 **existing program or project** based on additional federal or other program receipts not
8 specifically appropriated by the full legislature may be expended in accordance with
9 the following procedures:

10 (1) the governor shall submit a revised program to the Legislative
11 Budget and Audit Committee for review;

12 (2) 45 days shall elapse before commencement of expenditures under
13 the revised program unless the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee earlier
14 recommends that the state take part in the federally or otherwise funded activity;

1 (3) should the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee recommend
2 within the 45-day period that the state not initiate the additional activity, the governor
3 may not authorize or commence the expenditures unless the legislature approves
4 the [SHALL AGAIN REVIEW THE REVISED PROGRAM AND IF THE
5 GOVERNOR DETERMINES TO AUTHORIZE THE EXPENDITURE, THE
6 GOVERNOR SHALL PROVIDE THE LEGISLATIVE BUDGET AND AUDIT
7 COMMITTEE WITH A STATEMENT OF THE GOVERNOR'S REASONS
8 BEFORE COMMENCEMENT OF] expenditures under the revised program by law.

9 * **Sec. 2.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).