

SENATE BILL NO. 355

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE LABOR AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE BY REQUEST

Introduced: 4/14/98

Referred: Labor and Commerce, Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the provision of electric utility service."

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 42.05.221 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

4 (g) A certificated electric utility that allows other certificated electrical utilities
5 to have open access to its own electrical system facilities may request the commission
6 to issue orders necessary for the electric utility to be able immediately to use the
7 facilities of another electric utility for the provision of retail electric service in the area
8 certificated to the other electric utility if the other electric utility has more than 30
9 customers for each mile of distribution line. The commission shall issue the orders
10 requested within 10 days after receiving the request. A request under this subsection
11 may include a request for interim refundable tariffs for distribution access services.