

SENATE BILL NO. 219

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

Introduced: 1/24/00

Referred: Labor and Commerce, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the granting authority of and extending the termination date
2 of the Alaska regional economic assistance program; and providing for an effective
3 date."

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

5 * **Section 1.** AS 44.33.895(b) is amended to read:

6 (b) Subject to (c) of this section, the department may make regional
7 development grants to organizations for projects the department determines will be of
8 value in encouraging economic development. During a fiscal year, the department may
9 make no more than 17 [15] grants and may only make grants to one organization from
10 a particular region. An organization that is designated an economic development
11 district under 42 U.S.C. 3171 qualifies for grants under this subsection. The
12 department shall by regulation adopt procedures for applying for regional development
13 grants, including application deadlines. The department may by regulation establish
14 additional grant eligibility requirements.

1 * **Sec. 2.** Section 85, ch. 58, SLA 1999 is amended to read:

2 Sec. 85. REPEALER. AS 44.19.620, 44.19.621, 44.19.622, 44.19.623,
3 44.19.624, 44.19.625, 44.19.626, 44.19.627; AS 44.29.020(a)(14); [AS 44.33.895,
4 ADDED BY SEC. 64 OF THIS ACT;] and AS 47.35.010(b), 47.35.015(a),
5 47.35.043(b), 47.35.900(4), 47.35.900(5) are repealed July 1, 2000.

6 * **Sec. 3.** Section 85, ch. 58, SLA 1999 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

7 (b) AS 44.33.895, added by sec. 64 of this Act, is repealed July 1, 2003.

8 * **Sec. 4.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).