

SENATE BILL NO. 124

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

Introduced: 3/6/03

Referred: Health, Education and Social Services, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to grants for alcoholism and drug abuse programs; and providing for
2 an effective date."

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

4 * **Section 1.** AS 47.30.475(c) is amended to read:

5 (c) Grants shall be awarded in a ratio of 75 [90] percent state money to 25 [10]
6 percent community money for the costs of providing staff and limited improvement,
7 renovation, or new construction of facilities for alcohol or drug detoxification,
8 rehabilitation, or "half-way house" care. The department may waive all or part of the
9 requirement that state money be matched by community money if the department
10 finds that community money is unavailable and waiver of the requirement is in the
11 best interests of the state. A grant for improving, renovating, or constructing may not
12 exceed \$50,000 except when there is a lack of applicants for available money and then
13 only with the approval of the Advisory Board on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse. The
14 department is not required to award all money available under this program, or the full

1 percentages specified in this subsection, when another source of money is available or
2 could reasonably be made available to the applicant.

3 * **Sec. 2.** This Act takes effect July 1, 2003.