

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 354(MLV)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Offered: 2/10/06

Referred: State Affairs

Sponsor(s): HOUSE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to qualifications of the adjutant general."**

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

3 *** Section 1.** AS 26.05.160(a) is amended to read:

4 (a) The adjutant general of the state is appointed by the governor. The
5 governor shall prescribe the grade of the adjutant general, which may not exceed
6 major general. To be eligible for appointment as adjutant general, a person must be a
7 citizen of the state **and must be a federally recognized officer in the Alaska**
8 **National Guard or an officer who has the qualifications to gain federal**
9 **recognition as a general-grade officer, either in active status or in retirement**
10 **status eligible for reappointment as a general-grade officer; in appointing the**
11 **adjutant general, the governor should consider persons with at least five years'**
12 **service in the Alaska National Guard or Alaska Air National Guard or persons**
13 **who began regular service enlistment in Alaska.** The adjutant general shall make
14 returns and reports to the Chief, National Guard Bureau, and to the governor or to the
15 officers designated by the Chief, National Guard Bureau, and the governor, at the

1 times and in the form prescribed.