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1 Page 4, lines 6 - 9:

2 Delete all material and insert:

3 "(b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, after an agency  
4 provides a notice of proposed action under AS 44.62.190, the agency shall make a  
5 good faith effort to answer, before the end of the public comment period, a question  
6 that is relevant to the proposed action, if the question is received in writing or asked at  
7 a public meeting at least 10 days before the end of the public comment period. If a  
8 question is received after the 10-day cut-off date, the agency may answer the question.  
9 When an agency answers a question under this section, the agency shall answer the  
10 question in writing and make the question and answer available to the public."  
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12 Page 4, following line 9:

13 Insert a new subsection to read:

14 "(c) Notwithstanding AS 44.62.300, a person may not bring an action in court  
15 to challenge the adoption, repeal, or amendment of a regulation by an agency for  
16 inaccuracy or insufficiency of the answer to a question provided by the agency under  
17 this section."  
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19 Page 5, line 13, following "enacted by sec. 7 of this Act,":

20 Insert "AS 44.62.213(c), enacted by sec. 7 of this Act,"