

1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE BILL NO. 98

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIRST LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act classifying municipal corporations
7 of the State of Alaska; and repealing Ch.
8 46, SLA 1951."

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

10 Section 1. All municipal corporations of the state shall be
11 classified as first class cities, second class cities and third
12 class cities.

13 Sec. 2. After the effective date of this Act, all municipal
14 corporations heretofore organized as municipal corporations of the
15 first class, and all municipal corporations heretofore organized
16 as second and third class cities having a population of 400 or
17 more inhabitants, shall be known as first class cities; all municip-
18 al corporations heretofore organized as municipal corporations of
19 either the second class or third class and having a population of
20 less than 400 inhabitants shall be known as second class cities;
21 and all villages heretofore organized as incorporated villages
22 shall be known as third class cities. Cities classified hereunder
23 as first or second class shall take over all duties, powers and
24 liabilities of the prior existing municipal entities they succeed.
25 Incorporated villages classified hereunder as third class cities
26 shall continue to exercise only those powers granted to them under
27 Ch. 150, SLA 1957, as amended by Committee Substitute for Senate
28 Bill No. 26, First State Legislature, First Session.

29 Sec. 3. Cities of the first class which shall have adopted

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a home rule charter shall be known as "charter cities of the first class", and all other cities shall be known as "general law cities" of either the first class, second class or third class.

Sec. 4. Ch. 46, SIA 1951 is hereby repealed.