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1 IN THE HOUSE

RULES COMMITTEE  
BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 206

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to group health insurance  
7 for state employees and their dependents;  
8 and providing for an effective date."

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

10 \* Section 1. AS 39.30.090 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

11 Sec. 39.30.090. Procurement of group insurance. The  
12 state may obtain a policy or policies of group insurance  
13 covering its employees subject to the following conditions:

14 (1) A group insurance policy shall provide one or  
15 more of the following benefits: life insurance, accidental  
16 death and dismemberment insurance, weekly indemnity insur-  
17 ance, hospital expense insurance, surgical expense insurance,  
18 other medical care insurance.

19 (2) All state employees shall be insured under the  
20 policy with respect to losses incurred on their own behalf,  
21 and may be covered with respect to losses incurred on behalf  
22 of their lawful spouses and those of their unmarried chil-  
23 dren who are chiefly dependent upon the employees for sup-  
24 port and maintenance; except that employees may be exempted  
25 from this requirement under rules and regulations promul-  
26 gated by the Commissioner of Administration.

27 (3) The state shall pay the entire coverage for each  
28 employee not to exceed \$7.50 a month. The lawful spouse  
29 and dependents of an eligible employee may be insured if he

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1 gives the Department of Administration a written authoriza-  
2 tion to withhold the cost of this insurance from his salary  
3 or wage.

4 (4) An elected official may obtain coverage under this  
5 section effective upon taking oath of office.

6 (5) The state shall obtain the insurance policy from  
7 any insurer authorized to transact business in the state  
8 under AS 21.10.035-21.10.050, 21.30.020, and 21.10.055(1)  
9 or (2)(A).

10 (6) Any dividends payable under the group insurance  
11 policy shall be paid into the state general fund.

12 \* Sec. 2. AS 39.30.100 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

13 Sec. 39.30.100. DEFINITIONS. In sec. 90 of this  
14 chapter

15 (1) "state employee" means an employee who has served  
16 in full-time employment with the state for 90 days, except  
17 an employee classified in one of the following categories:  
18 part-time, emergency or temporary.

19 \* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect July 1, 1963.  
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