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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 143

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to jury costs; and pro-  
7 viding for an effective date."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 09.60 is amended by adding a new section to  
10 read:

11 Sec. 09.60.070. JURY COSTS BORNE BY STATE. The state  
12 shall bear all jury costs incurred in any civil action tried  
13 before a court of this state.

14 \* Sec. 2. Jury costs assessed litigants in civil cases under  
15 former Rule 38 of the Supreme Court Rules of Civil Procedure shall  
16 be refunded to the litigants and collateral and unpaid judgments  
17 therefor are considered satisfied. Bonds furnished in connection  
18 with jury costs are cancelled.

19 \* Sec. 3. For the purpose of giving effect to sec. 2 of this  
20 Act, the administrative director of courts shall submit to the  
21 Legislative Council a list of all actions in which jury costs  
22 were paid by or on behalf of a litigant under former Rule 38 of  
23 the Supreme Court Rules of Civil Procedure with the names and  
24 addresses of those persons paying the costs and the amount paid.

25 \* Sec. 4. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage  
26 and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.