

1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 493

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the service areas of  
7 municipally owned and operated utilities."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 42.05.620 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 42.05.620. LOCAL CONTROL OF PUBLIC UTILITIES. (a)  
11 Except as provided in (b) of this section, [NOTHING] nothing  
12 in this chapter shall be interpreted to limit the power of a  
13 municipality, public utility district or other local authority  
14 to regulate and control, in the manner and to the extent  
15 provided by law, a public utility not otherwise subject to  
16 the provisions of this chapter.

17 (b) A municipally owned and operated utility may not  
18 furnish service to an area which has been certificated by the  
19 commission to another public utility except to the extent  
20 that

21 (1) the certificated area is within the boundaries  
22 of the municipality; or

23 (2) the service is furnished to municipally  
24 owned and operated facilities of the municipality.

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