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1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 346

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for an election to determine the
7 future ownership of the Anchorage International Airport."

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

9 * Section 1. (a) Within one year of the effective date of this Act, a
10 special election shall be held by and in the Greater Anchorage Area Borough
11 to determine the future ownership of the Anchorage International Airport.
12 The voters in the City of Anchorage shall vote whether they want the airport
13 to

14 (1) remain in state ownership;

15 (2) be transferred to the City of Anchorage; or

16 (3) be transferred to the Greater Anchorage Area Borough.

17 (b) The voters in the Greater Anchorage Area Borough but outside the
18 City of Anchorage shall vote whether they want the airport to

19 (1) remain in state ownership; or

20 (2) be transferred to the Greater Anchorage Area Borough.

21 * Sec. 2. (a) If the majority of voters in the entire borough vote to
22 have the airport transferred to the borough, then the state shall transfer
23 all its right, title, interest, and obligation in the Anchorage International
24 Airport to the Greater Anchorage Area Borough.

25 (b) If the majority of the voters of the borough do not vote to have
26 the airport transferred to the borough and if a plurality of the voters in
27 the city vote to have the airport transferred to the city, then the state
28 shall transfer all its right, title, interest, and obligation in the
29 Anchorage International Airport to the City of Anchorage.

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(c) The airport shall remain in state ownership in all other cases.