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Referred: Commerce  
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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE COMMERCE COMMITTEE  
BY REQUEST

2 SENATE BILL NO. 167

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the definition of 'public  
7 utility'".

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 42.05.640(2) is amended to read:

10 (2) "public utility" or "utility" includes every corporation,  
11 whether public, cooperative, or otherwise, company, individual, or  
12 association of individuals, their lessees, trustees, or receivers ap-  
13 pointed by a court, that owns, operates, manages, or controls any  
14 plant, pipeline, [PLAN] or system for the purpose of furnishing any of  
15 the following services to the public, or to a public utility for resale  
16 to the public, for compensation: (A) [FOR] the generation, transmis-  
17 sion, or distribution of electric energy and power, (B) [FOR THE  
18 FURNISHING OF] telephone or telegraph communications, (C) [FOR] the  
19 transmission or distribution of heat, natural or manufactured gas,  
20 (D) water or [OIL OR OTHER PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, OR WATER, OR FOR THE  
21 FURNISHING OF] community sewer services, and (E) the plant, pipeline  
22 and facilities used for any of the [FOREGOING] purposes in (A) - (D) of  
23 this subsection; this chapter does not apply to a person who furnishes  
24 water [OR OIL OR OTHER PETROLEUM PRODUCTS] by tank, wagon, or similar  
25 conveyance, nor to a municipally owned and operated utility; this  
26 chapter does not apply to a person engaged in the production or gather-  
27 ing of natural gas nor to the facilities used for those purposes; this  
28 chapter does not apply to a person engaged in the distribution or  
29 transmission of natural or manufactured gas to industrial customers

1 only and not to the public generally [A PIPELINE, PLANT, SYSTEM, OR  
2 EQUIPMENT USED PRIMARILY FOR GATHERING, COLLECTING, TRANSPORTING, OR  
3 SHIPPING CRUDE OIL, NATURAL GAS, CONDENSATE OR OTHER PETROLEUM  
4 SUBSTANCE OR PRODUCT PRODUCED BY OR BELONGING TO THE OWNER, OPERATOR,  
5 OR MANAGER OF THE PIPELINE, PLANT, SYSTEM, OR EQUIPMENT];  
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