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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE
BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 SENATE BILL NO. 13

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act to provide additional benefits under the
7 Alaska Employment Security Act; and providing for
8 an effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 23.20 is amended by adding a new section to read:

11 Sec. 23.20.352. ADDITIONAL BENEFITS. (a) The legislature in
12 keeping with the purpose and policy of the Alaska Employment Security
13 Act, notwithstanding the provisions of secs. 350(c) and 520(4) of
14 this chapter, hereby declares that additional benefits shall be paid
15 to individuals in Alaska under conditions set out elsewhere in this
16 section.

17 (b) The additional benefits provided in this section shall be
18 paid only for a week of unemployment subject to the following condi-
19 tions, qualifications and restrictions:

20 (1) the claimant has made a claim for the additional
21 benefits provided by this section;

22 (2) the week claimed begins on or after October 1, 1967,
23 and ends no later than August 17, 1968;

24 (3) subsequent to July 1, 1967, the claimant has

25 (A) an unexpired benefit year and exhausts his maximum
26 benefits provided under sec. 350(c) of this chapter; or

27 (B) a benefit year which expires and he cannot meet
28 the qualifying wage requirements for further benefits under
29 sec. 350(a) and (b) of this chapter;

1 (4) with respect to the week being claimed the claimant has
2 no rights under any other section of this chapter or under any other
3 federal or state unemployment compensation law;

4 (5) a claimant's weekly benefit amount under this section
5 shall be the same as his weekly benefit amount (including allowances
6 for dependents) which was last payable to him pursuant to this chapter
7 before making his first claim under this section, less deductions for
8 remuneration payable to him (if any) as provided in sec. 360 of this
9 chapter;

10 (6) a claimant's maximum potential additional benefits
11 shall be equal to at least one-half of the claimant's benefits under
12 his last benefit entitlement pursuant to this chapter before making
13 his first claim under this section; maximum potential benefits for a
14 claimant shall be rounded to the next higher multiple of the weekly
15 benefit amount if the claimant's computed dollar amount is not a
16 whole multiple of the weekly benefit amount;

17 (7) claimants shall not be required to serve a waiting
18 period week prior to the receipt of benefits under this section; and

19 (8) the initial claim and weekly continued claims for
20 additional benefits under this section must be filed within the state.

21 (c) Except where inconsistent with the provisions of this
22 section, the terms and conditions of this chapter shall apply to
23 claims filed under this section for additional benefits and to the
24 payment thereof.

25 (d) The commissioner of labor is authorized to make such rules
26 and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of
27 this section.

28 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and
29 approval or on the day it becomes law without approval.