

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST
OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 37

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to contracts for operation of school
7 district transportation systems."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 37.05.230(4) is amended to read:

10 (4) the provisions of this section relative to competitive
11 bids do not apply to contracts for the operation of transportation
12 systems for students to and from the schools within the state, as are
13 authorized under AS 14.09.010, except that [14.10.070; AND] these con-
14 tracts shall [MAY] be awarded by competitive bid to the lowest qualified
15 bidder according to written specifications and qualifications approved
16 by the district board of education offering the contract and made
17 available to prospective bidders a reasonable time before contract
18 award; [BID OR NEGOTIATION AND,] at the discretion of the board of
19 education, the contracts [BOARD OF EDUCATION,] may be awarded for
20 periods of three years or less;