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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 350

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act authorizing a program of state aid for local  
7 school and other municipal purposes; and providing for  
8 an effective date.

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

10 \* Section 1. AS 14.17.060(a) is amended to read:

11 (a) The average daily membership allotment for each district is  
12 as follows:

13 (1) if the district is in the Southeastern or Southcentral  
14 Senate Districts [DISTRICT]: \$215 [\$155] times average daily member-  
15 ship;

16 [(2) IF THE DISTRICT IS IN THE SOUTHCENTRAL SENATE DISTRICT:  
17 \$165 TIMES AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP;]

18 (3) if the district is in the Central and Northwest Senate  
19 Districts and that part of the Southcentral Senate District lying  
20 west of 152° west longitude: \$235 [\$175] times the average daily  
21 attendance.

22 \* Sec. 2. AS 14.17 is amended by adding a new section to read:

23 Sec. 14.17.215. STATE AID TO DISTRICTS AFFECTED BY STATE ACTIVI-  
24 TIES. A school district which provides free public education to a  
25 student whose parent or guardian works on or lives on state property  
26 shall receive an additional yearly allotment under this chapter equal  
27 to the percentage of the state average cost of education, as reflected  
28 in the audit report of district schools for the prior fiscal year, per  
29 student times the number of qualifying students in average daily

1 membership, as follows:

2 (1) 50 per cent for a student whose parent lives on and  
3 works on state property;

4 (2) 25 per cent for a student whose parent works on state  
5 property;

6 (3) 25 per cent for a student whose parent lives on state  
7 property;

8 (b) In this section "state property" means real property which is  
9 owned by the state or is leased by the state and which is not subject  
10 to taxation or payments in lieu of taxes by the state or a political  
11 subdivision of the state; the term includes real property owned by  
12 the state and leased from it, as well as improvements leased from it,  
13 even though the lessee's interest, or an improvement on the property,  
14 is subject to taxation by a state or a political subdivision of the  
15 state.

16 \* Sec. 3. AS 43 is amended by adding a new chapter to read:

17 CHAPTER 78. STATE AID TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.

18 Sec. 43.78.010. STATE AID TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS. (a) During  
19 each fiscal year the state shall pay to a city or organized borough of  
20 any class which has power to provide the following services and exercise  
21 that power

22 (1) \$5 per capita to cities and boroughs providing police  
23 protection

24 (2) \$2.50 per capita to cities and boroughs providing fire  
25 protection;

26 (A) fire protection includes, but is not limited to,  
27 fire protection provided by a volunteer fire department registered  
28 with the state fire marshal which has official recognition and  
29 financial support from the city or borough in which it is located;

1 (B) in addition to the grants authorized under this  
2 section, the state shall pay to a volunteer fire department  
3 registered with the state fire marshal and serving an area not in  
4 an organized borough or a city a sum for protection purposes equal  
5 to \$2.50 per capita for the population served by the department,  
6 as determined by the state fire marshal using the latest figures  
7 of the United States Bureau of the Census or other reliable data.  
8 Grants shall be made on the same basis to facilitate the organi-  
9 zation of volunteer fire departments in an area not in an organized  
10 borough or a city, upon application of the proposed fire protec-  
11 tion group to the state fire marshal and approval of applications  
12 according to standards of organization and service prescribed by  
13 regulations promulgated by the state fire marshal;

14 (3) \$1 per capita to cities and boroughs providing air or  
15 water pollution control or both; and

16 (4) \$1 per capita to cities and boroughs providing land  
17 use planning.

18 (b) During each fiscal year the state shall pay to a city or  
19 organized borough of any class which has power to provide for road  
20 maintenance and exercises the power a sum equal to \$1,000 a mile for  
21 each mile of road, street or highway maintained by the local government  
22 and for the maintenance of which the state does not provide funds to  
23 the municipality.

24 (c) During each fiscal year the state shall pay to each city or  
25 borough a sum equal to 50 per cent of the required local tax effort of  
26 the city or borough under AS 14.17.030(b).

27 (d) For purposes of this section, population shall be determined  
28 by the latest figures of the United States Bureau of the Census or  
29 other reliable population data.

1 (e) If a borough exercises the powers in (a) of this section in  
2 the borough area outside the cities only, or in a service area only,  
3 the grants authorized under this section shall be based on the popula-  
4 tion of the borough area outside cities or in the service area respec-  
5 tively.

6 (f) If the services in (a) and (b) of this section are provided by  
7 a service area, the borough shall give to the service area an amount  
8 equal the funds provided by the state for the services provided by the  
9 service area.

10 (g) Funds received by cities, boroughs and service areas under  
11 this section may be expended for any public purpose for which it has  
12 the power to expend public funds.

13 \* Sec. 4. This Act takes effect July 1, 1969.