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SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON
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1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 830

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act concerning grants and loans for water supply
7 and sewerage systems."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 46.05 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 46.05.155. GRANTS AND LOANS FOR WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE
11 SYSTEMS. (a) The department may pay, as funds are available, 25 per
12 cent of the estimated reasonable cost, as determined by the Secretary
13 of the Interior, of each waste treatment works project approved for a
14 federal grant by the Federal Water Pollution Control Administration
15 and on which construction was initiated after June 30, 1966. As funds
16 are available, the department may lend on an interest free basis for a
17 project approved after June 30, 1970, any part of an anticipated
18 federal grant. Money received from the Federal Water Pollution Control
19 Administration for the project after the loan is given must be used
20 to repay the loan, but the loan need be repaid only to the extent of
21 such federal assistance.

22 (b) The department may pay to any municipality, as funds are
23 available, up to the lesser of 25 per cent of the estimated cost or
24 50 per cent of the estimated cost not borne by the Federal government,
25 if there is federal assistance, of water systems, including collection
26 and impounding facilities, and of those portions of sewerage systems
27 not covered by (a) of this section. The estimated cost of any part
28 of a system will be as determined by the federal agency which gives
29 the most monetary assistance or, if none, by the department. Systems

1 shall be constructed according to plans and specifications approved by
2 the federal agency which gives the most monetary assistance or, if
3 none, by the department.

4 (c) There is a water supply and sewerage systems fund created
5 in the department to carry out the purposes of this section.

6 (d) A water supply or sewerage system for which funds are made
7 available under this section shall be operated as a municipal utility
8 subject to the jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission.

9 * Sec. 2. AS 42.05.645(2) is amended to read:

10 (2) except as provided in AS 46.05.155, a municipally owned
11 and operated utility;

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