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1 IN THE SENATE

2 SENATE BILL NO. 214

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 the Public Service Commission."

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

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

9 (2) "public utility" or "utility" includes every corporation,  
10 whether municipal, public, cooperative, or otherwise, company, indivi-  
11 dual, or association of individuals, their lessees, trustees, [OR]  
12 receivers appointed by a court, and persons affiliated with a public  
13 utility through stock ownership as a parent corporation or subsidiary  
14 corporation to an extent that the commission finds that the affiliation  
15 has an effect on the rates or service of the utility, that owns,  
16 operates, manages, or controls any water, oil or gas well or any  
17 plant, pipeline, or system for

18 (A) the generation, transmission, or distribution of  
19 electric energy and power, or the furnishing of telephone or  
20 telegraph communications, any of which produce an annual gross  
21 income in excess of \$25,000;

22 (B) the production by gas or oil well, transmission or  
23 distribution by pipeline of natural or manufactured gas, ultimately  
24 used by the public for heat, light or power [THE DISTRIBUTION TO  
25 THE PUBLIC FOR COMPENSATION OF HEAT, NATURAL OR MANUFACTURED GAS];  
26 or

27 (C) the furnishing to the public, or to a public utility  
28 for resale to the public, for compensation, of water, heat, gas,  
29 or petroleum or petroleum products by pipeline, or community sewer

1 services;

2 \* Sec. 2. AS 42.05.645 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

3 Sec. 42.05.645. APPLICATION OF CHAPTER. If the commission ex-  
4 pressly finds that an exemption would be in the public interest, and  
5 that no useful purpose would be served by regulation, it may exempt

6 (1) a person who furnishes water or petroleum or petroleum  
7 products by tank, wagon, or similar conveyance;

8 (2) a municipally owned and operated utility;

9 (3) an electrical or telephonic cooperative association  
10 financed by the Rural Electrification Administration;

11 (4) a person engaged in the transportation or distribution  
12 by pipeline of natural or manufactured gas or petroleum or petroleum  
13 products to the public or a public utility.

14 \* Sec. 3. AS 42.05.130 and 42.05.240 are repealed.  
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