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1 IN THE SENATE

2 SENATE BILL NO. 490

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to pre-elementary education."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 14.03 is amended by adding a new section to read:

9 Sec. 14.03.065. PRE-ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. A pre-elementary school
10 is a school which provides an educational program for children of pre-
11 elementary age.

12 * Sec. 2. AS 14.03.080 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

13 (f) A child who is three years of age or who will become three
14 years of age before November 2 following the beginning of the school
15 year, may enter a pre-elementary program.

16 * Sec. 3. AS 14.17.050(i) is amended to read:

17 (i) In computing the allotment under this section, two pupils
18 in average daily membership in pre-elementary and kindergarten are
19 counted as one pupil in average daily membership in other elementary
20 school grades.

21 * Sec. 4. AS 14.17.250 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

22 (13) "pre-elementary school" means a school offering programs
23 for children of pre-elementary age.
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