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Referred: Health, Welfare  
and Education

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY SWANSON, BRADNER AND  
MOORE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 473

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the establishment of attendance  
7 areas; and providing for an effective date."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 14.07 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 14.07.035. ESTABLISHMENT OF ATTENDANCE AREAS. (a) The  
11 department may establish attendance areas between contiguous school  
12 district boundaries upon the written request of a school board that  
13 good-faith negotiations have terminated or are impossible.

14 (b) Pupils may be required to attend schools in other districts  
15 when in the judgment of the commissioner the best interest of the  
16 student will be served. School districts may accept as tuition pupils  
17 those pupils required to attend from another district. Grade levels  
18 and any specific agreements pertaining to educational programs offered  
19 by the schools involved shall be included in the attendance area  
20 directive.

21 (c) A district may appeal to the state board of education a  
22 ruling of the commissioner under this section, and the decision of the  
23 state board is final.

24 \* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and  
25 approval or on the day it becomes law without approval.

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