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Referred: Health, Welfare
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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE HEALTH, WELFARE AND
EDUCATION COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 778

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act placing a student on the Board of Regents of
7 the University of Alaska; and providing for an
8 effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 14.40.120 is amended to read:

11 Sec. 14.40.120. UNIVERSITY GOVERNED BY BOARD OF REGENTS. The
12 University of Alaska shall be governed by a Board of Regents consisting
13 of nine [EIGHT] regents.

14 * Sec. 2. AS 14.40.140 is amended to read:

15 Sec. 14.40.140. TERM OF OFFICE. Except for a student regent as
16 specified in sec. 150(b) of this chapter, the [THE] term of office of
17 a regent is eight years. The term of office begins on the first Monday
18 in February of the year in which the appointment is made. Each regent
19 serves until his successor is appointed and qualifies.

20 * Sec. 3. AS 14.40.150 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

21 (b) At least one member of the Board of Regents shall be a full-
22 time student, appointed from a list of two students submitted to the
23 governor from each campus site of the University of Alaska after an
24 election is held at each campus site. Elections shall be conducted
25 under rules established by the Governor's Commission on the Involvement
26 of Young People in Government (AS 44.19.777 - 44.19.787). The term of
27 office of a student regent is two years. For purposes of this sub-
28 section, "full-time student" means

29 (1) a person who, at the time of appointment, is enrolled

1 in courses at the University of Alaska equal to nine academic credit
2 hours or the equivalent of nine academic credit hours in career
3 education, including but not limited to vocational and technical
4 programs, or

5 (2) a person who, at the time of appointment, is enrolled
6 in graduate courses at the University of Alaska equal to six graduate
7 academic credit hours.

8 * Sec. 4. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approv-
9 al or on the day it becomes law without approval.