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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE *am* COMMITTEE BY REQUEST

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 827 *am*

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 price disputes on raw commercial
7 fish; and providing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 16.10.280 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

10 Sec. 16.10.280. PRICE DISPUTES BETWEEN FISHERMEN AND FISH PRO-
11 CESSORS. If a price dispute exists between at least one-third of the
12 registered commercial fishermen for an area and species of commercial
13 fish, as certified by the Department of Fish and Game, and fish
14 processors on the price to be paid in an area for a particular species
15 of commercial fish, and no agreement has been reached within 30 days
16 before the opening of the fishing season, either party to the dispute
17 may request that a binding arbitration agreement be entered into
18 under AS 09.43.010 - 09.43.180 (Uniform Arbitration Act) between the
19 parties to the dispute. If an arbitration agreement is not formed
20 within 10 days of the request by either party then either party may
21 petition the superior court under AS 09.43.030 to appoint an arbitrator
22 for the dispute. Arbitration under AS 09.43.010 - 09.43.180 shall
23 proceed as though no agreement has been reached between the parties
24 except to submit disputes to arbitration under the Uniform Arbitration
25 Act.

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