

1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE BILL NO. 8

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act establishing a future school site acquisition
7 fund; and providing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 14 is amended by adding a new chapter to read:

10 CHAPTER 53. STATE ASSISTANCE.

11 Sec. 14.53.010. FUTURE SCHOOL SITE ACQUISITION FUND. There is
12 established in the Department of Education the future school site
13 acquisition fund, funded by appropriations by the legislature. Money
14 in the fund shall be used for the purposes provided for in sec. 20 of
15 this chapter.

16 Sec. 14.53.020. PURCHASE OF FUTURE SCHOOL SITES FROM FUND. (a)
17 The Department of Education shall use the money in the fund established
18 in sec. 10 of this chapter to purchase future school sites selected by
19 school districts.

20 (b) When school construction begins on the site purchased by the
21 department under (a) of this section, the school district shall pur-
22 chase the site from the state. The purchase price of the site to the
23 school district shall be the same as the price paid originally by the
24 state.

25 (c) A school district has 10 years from the time the state ac-
26 quires the land for it under this section to purchase the land from the
27 state. If the school district does not purchase the land within 10
28 years, the state shall sell it and deposit the proceeds of the sale in
29 the general fund.

1 (d) Land purchased by a school district under this section shall
2 be used exclusively for school purposes or title to it reverts to the
3 state.

4 (e) The department shall review annually with the school districts
5 for which it has acquired future school sites their school construction
6 plans.

7 (f) The right of eminent domain is not applicable under this
8 chapter.

9 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect July 1, 1971.

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