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Offered: 4/27/71
Referred: Rules

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 68

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to children committed to the Depart-
7 ment of Health and Welfare; and providing for an
8 effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 47.10.080(b)(1) is amended to read:

11 (1) order the minor committed to the Department of Health
12 and Welfare for an indeterminate period of time not to extend past a
13 specified date or in any event past the day the minor becomes 19;
14 [, EXCEPT THAT] the department may petition the court for continued
15 supervision for an additional one-year period for minors who have not
16 responded to treatment; the court may order a minor institutionalized
17 and the department shall [, AND MAY] direct the minor's placement in a
18 juvenile correctional school, detention home, or detention facility
19 designated by the department; the minor may be released from placement
20 or detention and placed on probation on order of the court; or

21 * Sec. 2. AS 47.10.080 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

22 (k) A judgment rendered under this section shall be referred to
23 the department which shall exercise jurisdiction over placement of the
24 child consistent with available program resources. A minor coming by
25 court order to the department under this section may be placed by the
26 department in a licensed foster home, treatment program, juvenile cor-
27 rectional school, detention home or detention facility designated by
28 the department. The minor may be released from detention by the
29 department or by court order.

1 * Sec. 3. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval
2 or on the day it becomes law without approval.
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