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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE HEALTH, WELFARE AND
EDUCATION COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 340

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 education of exceptional
7 children."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 14.30.285 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

10 Sec. 14.30.285. EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN WITHIN THE STATE. (a) The
11 Department of Education shall institute a statewide program for the
12 education of exceptional children, to insure that whenever possible
13 children are educated within the state at locations in or near their
14 residence school district.

15 (b) When an adequate program of education for an exceptional
16 child is not available in a school district, the identified exceptional
17 child may be sent to another school district or instate educational
18 program that will meet his needs.

19 (c) If a school district approves the enrollment of an exceptional
20 child in another school district or instate institution and the child
21 is enrolled, the child's education expenses shall be paid for as
22 follows:

23 (1) the sending school district shall pay the receiving
24 district or institution an amount of money equal to the sending
25 district's local cost per pupil rate;

26 (2) the Department of Education shall pay the remainder of
27 the annual cost of the child's education above that provided for in
28 (1) of this subsection.

29 (d) For the purposes of this section a child's education expenses

1 are limited to the actual cost of necessary care, transportation and
2 instruction, including room and board, while attending the designated
3 institution.
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