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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE BILL NO. 347

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 Alaska Transportation Com-
7 mission."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 42.07.011(a) is amended to read:

10 (a) There is created the Alaska Transportation Commission as a
11 quasi-judicial agency under art. III, sec. 26 of the Alaska Constitution
12 [WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE]. The commission consists of three
13 members appointed by the governor and confirmed by the legislature in
14 joint session.

15 * Sec. 2. AS 42.07 is amended by adding a new section to read:

16 Sec. 42.07.025. REMOVAL OF COMMISSIONER. (a) The governor
17 may remove a commissioner from office with the approval of the legisla-
18 ture. If the legislature is in session, the removal becomes effective
19 30 days after receipt of a message from the governor announcing the
20 removal unless disapproved by the passage of a joint resolution within
21 the 30-day period.

22 (b) If the legislature is not in session, the governor may suspend
23 a commissioner from his office. The suspension shall become permanent
24 on the 30th day after the convening of the next regular session of the
25 legislature unless the contemplated dismissal is disapproved by passage
26 of a joint resolution before that time.

27 * Sec. 3. AS 42.07 is amended by adding a new section to read:

28 Sec. 42.07.115. BUDGETS. The commission shall submit a budget
29 of its anticipated needs for each fiscal year to the finance committees

1 of the legislature. The commission shall also annually submit an
2 estimated budget to the governor for his consideration in the prepara-
3 tion of the executive budget.
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