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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE COMMUNITY AND
REGIONAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 444

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to state aid to local governments for
7 police and fire protection; and providing for an
8 effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 43.18.010(a)(1) and (2) are amended to read:

11 (1) \$15 [\$10] per capita to cities and boroughs providing
12 police protection, subject to the conditions of this paragraph and
13 (g) of this section;

14 (A) municipal police protection shall be available
15 24 hours a day;

16 (B) municipal police officers shall be U. S. citizens
17 who are at least 19 years of age and who have not been convicted
18 of a crime involving moral turpitude within the past 10 years;

19 (2) \$10 [\$5] per capita to cities and boroughs providing
20 fire protection;

21 (A) fire protection includes, but is not limited to,
22 fire protection provided by a volunteer fire department registered
23 with the state fire marshal which has official recognition and
24 financial support from the city or borough in which it is located;

25 (B) in addition to the grants authorized under this
26 section, the state shall pay to a volunteer fire department
27 registered with the state fire marshal and serving an area not in
28 an organized borough or a city a sum for protection purposes equal
29 to \$10 [\$5] per capita for the population served by the department,

1 as determined by the state fire marshal using the latest figures
2 of the United States Bureau of the Census or other reliable data;
3 grants shall be made on the same basis to facilitate the organi-
4 zation of volunteer fire departments in an area not in an organized
5 borough or a city, upon application of the proposed fire protection
6 group to the state fire marshal and approval of applications
7 according to standards of organization and service prescribed by
8 regulations promulgated by the state fire marshal;

9 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect July 1, 1974.
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