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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 191

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to changes in transportation tariffs."

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

8 \* Section 1. AS 42.10.290(a) is amended to read:

9 (a) Unless the commission otherwise orders, no change may be made  
10 by a common carrier in its rates, classifications, rules, regulations,  
11 or practices or in a contract or agreement relating to a rate, classifi-  
12 cation, rule, regulation, or practice except after 45 [30] days notice  
13 to the commission and 30 days notice to the public. Notice shall be  
14 given to the commission by filing with the commission and keeping open  
15 for public inspection the revised tariff provisions which shall plainly  
16 indicate the changes to be made in the schedules then in force and the  
17 time when the changes will go into effect. The commission shall pre-  
18 scribe means by regulation whereby notice is given to the public before  
19 or no later than 15 days after the filing which shall be reasonably  
20 adequate to notify customers affected by the filing [MAY PRESCRIBE  
21 ADDITIONAL MEANS OF GIVING NOTICE]. The commission, for good cause  
22 shown, may allow changes to take effect on less than 45 [30] days notice  
23 to the commission or 30 days notice to the public under such conditions  
24 as the commission may prescribe.

25 \* Sec. 2. AS 42.15.191(a) is amended to read:

26 (a) Unless the commission otherwise orders, no change may be made  
27 by a common carrier in its rates, classifications, rules, regulations or  
28 practices or in a contract or agreement relating to a rate, classifica-  
29 tion, rule, regulation or practice except after 45 [30] days' notice to

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9 ADDITIONAL MEANS OF GIVING NOTICE]. The commission, for good cause  
10 shown, may allow changes to take effect on less than 45 [30] days' notice  
11 to the commission or 30 days' notice to the public under conditions the  
12 commission prescribes.

13 \* Sec. 3. AS 02.05.140(b) is amended to read:

14 (b) Extent and manner of filing. Tariffs shall be filed and made  
15 available to the public as provided in (f) of this section for changed  
16 tariffs as set out there, otherwise to the extent and in the manner  
17 required by regulations of the commission. The form of every tariff  
18 shall be prescribed by the commission. The commission shall prescribe  
19 a form as nearly similar as possible to the form of tariffs required of  
20 air carriers by the Civil Aeronautics Board or other agency of the  
21 federal government under the Act of Congress entitled "Federal Aviation  
22 Act of 1958," and acts amending or supplementing it. The rates, fares  
23 and charges shown in a tariff shall be stated in terms of lawful money  
24 of the United States.

25 \* Sec. 4. AS 02.05.140(f) is repealed and re-enacted to read:

26 (f) Notice of change in tariff. Unless the commission otherwise  
27 orders, no change may be made in a rate, fare, or charge, or a classi-  
28 fication, rule, regulation, or practice affecting the rate, fare, or  
29 charge or the value of the service thereunder, specified in any effec-

1           tive tariff of a certificated carrier, air taxi operator or carrier  
2           exempt under sec. 50(b) of this chapter, except after 45 days notice  
3           to the commission and 30 days notice to the public. Notice shall be  
4           given to the commission by filing with the commission and keeping open  
5           for public inspection the revised tariff provisions which shall plainly  
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