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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY SMITH

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 218

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 eligibility requirements for
7 elective municipal offices."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 29.23.130(b) is amended to read:

10 (b) A borough voter is eligible to be borough mayor. The assembly
11 may by ordinance establish residence requirements for candidates for
12 borough mayor not exceeding three years.

13 * Sec. 2. AS 29.23.200(b) is amended to read:

14 (b) A city voter is eligible to hold the office of councilman. The
15 council may by ordinance establish residence requirements for councilmen
16 not exceeding three years. A council member who ceases to be eligible
17 to be a city voter immediately forfeits his office.

18 * Sec. 3. AS 29.23.250(a) is amended to read:

19 (a) A voter of a home rule or general law city is eligible to hold
20 the office of mayor, except that a home rule city may prescribe addi-
21 tional residency requirements by charter. The council, for all other
22 cities, may by ordinance establish residence requirements for candidates
23 for mayor not exceeding three years.