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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE COMMUNITY AND
REGIONAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 797

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act requiring the Department of Environmental
7 Conservation to contract with the Arctic Environmental
8 Information and Data Center to perform a sewage dis-
9 posal study; and providing for an effective date."

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

11 * Section 1. CONTRACTUAL PROGRAM. The Department of Environmental Con-
12 servation is requested to contract with the Arctic Environmental Information
13 and Data Center to gather and disseminate information and to make recommenda-
14 tions on methods of sewage disposal suitable for use in the State of Alaska.

15 The project shall include but not be limited to the following objectives:

16 (1) the convening of a conference for the exchange of information
17 on sewage disposal systems which are or may be effective in arctic and sub-
18 arctic conditions; representatives from all of the arctic nations shall be
19 invited to participate in the conference;

20 (2) the compilation and dissemination of information on sewage
21 disposal systems which have proven effective in arctic and subarctic condi-
22 tions; the following parameters shall be included: water availability, soil
23 permeability, temperature gradients, population density, and any others neces-
24 sary for a complete study. The compilation will include information on the
25 installation and maintenance costs of each system.

26 (3) the development of recommendations for demonstration projects
27 of sewage disposal systems which show promise of being effective in various
28 arctic and subarctic conditions but for which data on effectiveness and costs
29 are not available; the recommendations shall be presented to the presiding

1 officers of the Alaska State Senate and House of Representatives no later
2 than February 1, 1977.

3 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
4 070(c).

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