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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 *CS SS* SENATE BILL NO. 252

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 retirement credit for military
7 service for state employees; and providing for an
8 effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 39.35.340(a) is amended to read:

11 (a) An employee is entitled to service credit for military service
12 in the armed forces of the United States during war, either by enlist-
13 ment or induction, after December 31, 1939, [IF THE EMPLOYEE WAS IN THE
14 EMPLOY OF AN EMPLOYER ON THE DATE OF ENTRY INTO THE ARMED FORCES AND
15 RETURNED TO THE EMPLOY OF AN EMPLOYER WITHIN 90 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF
16 HIS DISCHARGE FROM MILITARY SERVICE, AND] if the employee did not receive
17 a dishonorable discharge. Military service credit shall be based on a
18 year to year basis, but the [THE] service credit may not exceed an
19 aggregate period of five years unless the entry into the armed forces
20 was by induction, in which case the time served under an obligation of
21 induction may not be counted as part of the aggregate five year period.
22 The service credit may not be computed until the employee has 15 years
23 of credited service in the retirement program unless the employee entered
24 military service from employment covered under this chapter and returned
25 to employment covered by this chapter within 90 days after his release
26 from active duty, in which case it may be computed immediately upon his
27 return to employment. The retirement benefits payable to the employee
28 under this chapter which are attributable to the military service shall
29 be reduced by the amount of the pension benefits payable to him by the

1 United States government, which are attributable to the period of
2 military service for which the employee receives service credit. If an
3 employee objects in writing to this reduction, the reduction may not be
4 made, and no service credit for military service may be granted.

5 * Sec. 2. A person receiving retirement benefits under AS 39.35.370 -
6 39.35.410 on the effective date of this Act is eligible to receive the
7 increased benefits resulting from this Act.

8 * Sec. 3. This Act takes effect on July 1, 1975.
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