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Referred: Health, Education &
Social Services

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY OSTERBACK

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 431

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the Alaska Commission on Postsec-
7 ndary Education."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 14.40.903(a)(2) is amended to read:

10 (2) four persons [ONE PERSON] representing private higher
11 education in the state selected one each [JOINTLY] by the Boards of
12 Trustees of Alaska Methodist University, Inupiat University of the
13 Arctic, Tanana Chiefs Land Claims College, and Sheldon Jackson College
14 from among their membership;

15 * Sec. 2. AS 14.40.909 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

16 (d) No member or employee of the commission may engage in post-
17 secondary teaching or lecturing, except through contract with existing
18 postsecondary institutions.

19 * Sec. 3. AS 14.40.913(b) is amended to read:

20 (b) The Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education is not a
21 division in the Department of Education. The commission, its members,
22 executive officer and staff are in the Department of Education for
23 administrative support services only, and they are not subject to the
24 direction of the commissioner of education or the state Board of Educa-
25 tion. The Department of Education shall not infringe on the functions
26 of the commission by engaging in development, planning, advising,
27 accrediting, or other responsibilities relating to postsecondary educa-
28 tion.

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