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2 SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 908 (Rules) am S

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act making miscellaneous appropriations for tele-  
7 vision and telecommunication services; and providing  
8 for an effective date."

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

10 \* Section 1. The sum of \$10,948,000 is appropriated to the Department of  
11 Administration to provide interstate and intrastate satellite television  
12 service to 176 Alaska communities through contract with a properly licensed  
13 private business enterprise and to contract with any private business enter-  
14 prise for the construction of earth stations to be owned by entities other  
15 than the state. This appropriation is funded from the following sources:

16 General Funds \$ 6,148,000

17 Program Receipts 4,800,000

18 \* Sec. 2. The sum of \$1,587,000 is appropriated from the general fund to  
19 the Department of Administration for the purchase and installation of mini-TV  
20 transmitters for 127 communities.

21 \* Sec. 3. The sum of \$80,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the  
22 Department of Education to continue and expand the present public and educa-  
23 tional television services to Alaskan rural communities through fiscal year  
24 1979.

25 \* Sec. 4. The sum of \$400,000 is appropriated from the general fund to  
26 the Alaska Public Broadcasting Commission to fund grants for the production  
27 of television and radio programs for educational and public purposes.

28 \* Sec. 5. The sum of \$125,000 is appropriated from the general fund to  
29 the Alaska Public Broadcasting Commission for operation of the tape delay

1 center in Anchorage.

2 \* Sec. 6. The sum of \$25,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the  
3 Alaska Public Broadcasting Commission for the purchase of electronic equip-  
4 ment to distribute television services within the KYUK network.

5 \* Sec. 7. The sum of \$232,972 is appropriated from the general fund to  
6 the Legislative Affairs Agency for legislative teleconferencing for fiscal  
7 year 1979.

8 \* Sec. 8. The sum of \$50,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the  
9 Department of Administration for purchasing time and providing services for  
10 teleconferencing meetings of state agencies and executive boards and commis-  
11 sions.

12 \* Sec. 9. The unexpended and unobligated portions of the appropriations  
13 made in secs. 2 - 8 of this Act lapse into the general fund June 30, 1979.  
14 The unexpended and unobligated portion of the appropriation made in sec. 1 of  
15 this Act lapses into the general fund June 30, 1981.

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