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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE LABOR AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 40

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 state and municipal employment."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 39.25 is amended by adding a new section to read:

9 Sec. 39.25.185. RESIDENTS OF THE STATE. (a) In all applications
10 for positions in the classified service, residents of the state shall be
11 fairly ranked with individuals not qualifying as residents of the state.
12 In all appointments made in the classified service, Alaska residents
13 shall be preferred over equally qualified or less qualified individuals
14 not qualifying as residents of the state. In all appointments made,
15 when individuals qualifying as Alaskans have applied for the position
16 being filled and when an individual not qualifying as a resident of the
17 state is appointed, the appointing authority shall justify a decision to
18 appoint a non-Alaskan. The justification is public record.

19 (b) If an individual not qualifying as an Alaska resident is
20 appointed to a position and the appointing agency certifies that no
21 qualified Alaska resident had applied for a position in that general
22 class of positions within the preceding four months, the agency shall
23 also file a statement indicating its efforts to recruit residents of the
24 state for the position.

25 * Sec. 2. AS 29.23.550 is amended by adding new subsections to read:

26 (b) In all applications for employment by a municipality, in-
27 cluding its school district, residents of the state shall be fairly
28 ranked with individuals not qualifying as residents of the state. In
29 all appointments made from a register or roster prepared under a per-

1 sonnel system established under (a) of this section, Alaska residents
2 shall be preferred over equally qualified or less qualified individuals
3 not qualifying as residents of the state. In all appointments made by
4 a municipality, when individuals qualifying as Alaskans have applied for
5 the position being filled and when an individual not qualifying as a
6 resident of the state is appointed, the appointing authority shall
7 justify a decision to appoint a non-Alaskan. The justification is
8 public record.

9 (c) If an individual not qualifying as an Alaska resident is
10 appointed to a position and the appointing authority certifies that no
11 qualified Alaska resident had applied for the position within the
12 preceding six months, the appointing authority shall also file a state-
13 ment indicating its efforts to recruit residents of the state for the
14 position.

15 (d) Subsections (b) and (c) of this section apply to home rule and
16 general law municipalities.
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