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1 IN THE SENATE BY THE LABOR AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE  
2 HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 40  
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND 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 appointments  
10 made in the classified service, residents shall be preferred. In all  
11 appointments made, when residents have applied for the position being  
12 filled and when a nonresident of the state is appointed, the appointing  
13 authority shall justify a decision to appoint a nonresident. The  
14 justification is public record.

15 (b) If a nonresident is appointed to a position and the appointing  
16 agency certifies that no resident had applied for a position in that  
17 general class of positions within the preceding four months, the agency  
18 shall also file a statement indicating its efforts to recruit residents  
19 of the state for the position.

20 (c) In this section, "resident" means a person who

21 (1) maintains a place of residence in the state;

22 (2) does not claim residency for any purpose in another  
23 state; and

24 (3) shows by all attending circumstances an intent to make  
25 Alaska his permanent residence.

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

27 (b) In all appointments made from a register or roster prepared  
28 under a personnel system established under (a) of this section, resi-  
29 dents shall be preferred. In all appointments made by a municipality,

1 when residents have applied for the position being filled and when a  
2 nonresident of the state is appointed, the appointing authority shall  
3 justify a decision to appoint a nonresident. The justification is  
4 public record.

5 (c) If a nonresident is appointed to a position and the appointing  
6 authority certifies that no resident had applied for the position within  
7 the preceding six months, the appointing authority shall also file a  
8 statement indicating its efforts to recruit residents of the state for  
9 the position.

10 (d) In this section, "resident" means a person who

11 (1) maintains a place of residence in the state;

12 (2) does not claim residency for any purpose in another  
13 state; and

14 (3) shows by all attending circumstances an intent to make  
15 Alaska his permanent residence.

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