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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 FREE CONFERENCE CS FOR HOUSE CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 123

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 art work in public buildings and  
7 facilities."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 35.27.020 is amended by adding new subsections to read:

10 (f) The artist who executes these works of art in the public  
11 schools shall be selected by the superintendent of a school district in  
12 which a public school is to be built with the approval of the school  
13 board. Should the department find in the best interest of the state  
14 that the selection of the artist who executes these works of art by the  
15 superintendent may result in a cost overrun to the state or delay of  
16 construction, the department shall make the selection of the artist in  
17 consultation with the superintendent.

18 (g) The architect, superintendent, department and the Alaska State  
19 Council on the Arts shall encourage the use of state cultural resources  
20 in these art works and the selection of Alaska resident artists for the  
21 commission of these art works.

22 \* Sec. 2. AS 35.27.020(c) is amended to read:

23 (c) At least one per cent or, in the case of a rural school faci-  
24 lity, at least one-half of one per cent of the [OVERALL] construction  
25 cost of a building or facility approved for construction by the legisla-  
26 ture subsequent to the enactment date of this chapter will be reserved  
27 for the following purposes: the design, construction, mounting and  
28 administration of works of art in the public building or public facility.

29 \* Sec. 3. AS 35.27.030(2) is amended to read:

1 (2) "public facilities" includes schools, office buildings,  
2 court buildings and other facilities which are designed for substantial  
3 public use, but is not limited to, the vessels of the state ferry system.

4 \* Sec. 4. AS 35.27.030 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

5 (3) "construction cost" is that cost expended for the actual  
6 construction of the facility, exclusive of the costs of land acquisition,  
7 site investigation, design services, administrative costs, equipment  
8 purchases and any other costs not specifically incurred within the con-  
9 struction contract or contracts awarded for the construction of the  
10 facility.