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Management

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE COMMUNITY AND
REGIONAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 373

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 public information regarding col-
7 lective bargaining by public employees."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 23.40 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 23.40.185. PUBLIC NOTICE OF NEGOTIATIONS. (a) The initial
11 proposals of organizations and of public employers which relate to
12 matters within the scope of collective bargaining shall be made avail-
13 able to the public at a time mutually agreed upon by the organization
14 and the public employer but not later than three months before the
15 expiration of the existing contract.

16 (b) Meetings and negotiations on a proposal may not take place
17 until 10 days after the proposals have been made available to the public
18 and the public during that time has had the opportunity to express
19 itself regarding the proposals.

20 (c) The labor relations agency may adopt regulations to implement
21 this section.

22 * Sec. 2. AS 14.20 is amended by adding a new section to read:

23 Sec. 14.20.565. PUBLIC NOTICE OF NEGOTIATIONS. (a) The initial
24 proposals of the school board and of the organization which relate to
25 matters within the scope of collective bargaining shall be made avail-
26 able to the public at a time mutually agreed upon by the school board
27 and the organization but not later than three months before the expira-
28 tion of the existing contract.

29 (b) Meetings and negotiations on a proposal may not take place

1 until 10 days after the proposals have been made available to the public
2 and the public during that time has had the opportunity to express
3 itself regarding the proposals.

4 (c) The labor relations agency may adopt regulations to implement
5 this section.

6 (d) As used in this section,

7 (1) "organization" means an educational organization recog-
8 nized under sec. 560(a) of this chapter and includes a team established
9 under sec. 555(a) of this chapter; and

10 (2) "school board" means the school board of a city, borough,
11 or regional school board or of a team of regional school boards estab-
12 lished under sec. 555 of this chapter.