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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 542 am

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act adding to the powers and duties of the office
7 of alcoholism."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 47.37.030(2) is amended to read:

10 (2) make contracts and award grants necessary or incidental
11 to the performance of its duties and the execution of its powers, in-
12 cluding contracts with and grants to public and private agencies, orga-
13 nizations, and individuals, to pay them for services rendered or fur-
14 nished to alcoholics or intoxicated persons; to the maximum extent
15 possible, contracts and grants shall be for a period of two years;

16 * Sec. 2. AS 47.37.040(7) is amended to read:

17 (7) organize and foster training programs for all persons
18 engaged in treatment of alcoholics and intoxicated persons and establish
19 standards for training paraprofessional alcoholism workers;

20 * Sec. 3. AS 47.30.470(4) is amended to read:

21 (4) identify, and utilize whatever facilities and services
22 are available or can be made available through community organization
23 for carrying out the purposes of this section, including identification
24 and utilization for detoxification of under utilized hospital beds;

25 * Sec. 4. AS 47.37.040 is amended by adding new paragraphs to read:

26 (18) develop and implement a training program on alcoholism
27 for employees of state and municipal governments, and private institu-
28 tions;

29 (19) develop curriculum materials on drug and alcohol abuse

1 for use in grades kindergarten through 12, as well as a course of in-
2 struction for teachers to be charged with presenting the curriculum.

3 * Sec. 5. AS 44.47 is amended by adding new sections to read:

4 ARTICLE 8. THE TEMPERATE SOCIAL ACTIVITIES REVOLVING LOAN FUND.

5 Sec. 44.47.320. FUND ESTABLISHED. There is established in the
6 Department of Community and Regional Affairs the revolving loan fund for
7 temperate social activities to carry out the purposes of secs. 320 - 350
8 of this chapter. Loans made under secs. 320 - 350 of this chapter are
9 to be used to foster social activities at which alcohol is not served or
10 consumed. The fund may be used for no other purpose.

11 Sec. 44.47.330. POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE OFFICE IN ADMINISTERING
12 THE FUND. (a) The Department of Community and Regional Affairs may

13 (1) make loans for the purchase, construction, and modifica-
14 tion of buildings in which social activities at which alcohol is not
15 served or consumed may be held; however loans may be made only in
16 communities with a population of less than 5,000;

17 (2) promulgate regulations necessary to carry out the pro-
18 visions of secs. 320 - 350 of this chapter.

19 (b) The Department of Community and Regional Affairs shall develop
20 eligibility standards for loans made under secs. 320 - 350 of this
21 chapter and adopt guidelines for the determination of loan terms.

22 Sec. 44.47.340. LOAN TERMS. (a) A loan for the fostering of
23 temperate social activities under secs. 320 - 350 of this chapter may
24 not exceed \$10,000.

25 (b) The duration for repayment of the loan may not exceed 20
26 years.

27 (c) Loans made under secs. 320 - 350 of this chapter may be used
28 to finance no more than 80 per cent of the cost of purchase, construc-
29 tion, and modification of buildings to be used for temperate social

1 activities.

2 (d) All principal and interest payments on loans made under secs.
3 320 - 350 of this chapter shall be paid into the revolving loan fund for
4 temperate social activities.

5 (e) The rate of interest may not exceed eight per cent a year on
6 the unpaid balance of the loan.

7 (f) Loans made under secs. 320 - 350 of this chapter may be used
8 to finance the purchase, construction, and modification of no more than
9 one building.

10 (g) Only one loan may be made in a community.

11 Sec. 44.47.350. SALE OR TRANSFER OF MORTGAGES AND NOTES. (a) The
12 commissioner may sell or transfer at par value or at a premium or dis-
13 count to any bank or other private purchaser for cash or other consider-
14 ation the mortgages and notes held by the Department of Community and
15 Regional Affairs as security for loans made under this chapter.

16 (b) The commissioner may sell or transfer at par value to the
17 Department of Revenue the mortgages and notes held by the Department of
18 Community and Regional Affairs as security for loans made under this
19 chapter. The Department of Revenue shall purchase all of these mort-
20 gages and notes offered, allowing the Department of Community and Re-
21 gional Affairs a one-half of one per cent service fee.