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1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE BILL NO. 113

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to budgets and appropriations."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 37.07.060 is amended by adding new subsections to read:

9 (c) The annual general fund operating budget presented by the
10 governor to the legislature for the next fiscal year may not exceed the
11 general fund operating budget appropriated for fiscal year 1979 except
12 as adjusted under this subsection. The general fund operating budget
13 presented by the governor

14 (1) may be adjusted to allow for percentage increases which
15 do not exceed the annual per cent of increase in the population of the
16 state as determined by the Alaska Department of Labor for the preceding
17 fiscal year;

18 (2) shall, for fiscal years beginning after June 30, 1981, be
19 reduced by an amount equal to one-half the annual per cent of increase
20 in the consumer price index for Anchorage, Alaska as determined by the
21 Bureau of Labor Statistics, United States Department of Labor as of the
22 preceding July 1.

23 (d) The limitations imposed by (c) of this section do not apply to
24 a special or supplemental appropriation presented by the governor to the
25 legislature in response to a natural disaster declared by the President
26 of the United States or by the governor under AS 44.19.171 - 44.19.177.

27 * Sec. 2. AS 37.07.070 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

28 (b) The annual general fund operating appropriation by the legis-
29 lature may not exceed the general fund operating budget presented by the

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governor under AS 37.07.060(c).

* Sec. 3. AS 37.07.120 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

(7) "general fund operating budget" as used in AS 37.07.-
060(c) and 37.07.070(b) means those elements of the annual state oper-
ating budget which are financed by appropriation from the general fund
of the state and includes budget amendments and supplemental appropri-
ations and excludes funds qualifying under AS 37.05.050 as federal
funds.