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1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE BILL NO. 374

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 equalizing the costs of full-time
7 residential or nursing care."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 47.25 is amended by adding new sections to read:

10 Sec. 47.25.103. CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENTS. The commissioner of
11 administration shall enter into contractual agreements with licensed
12 institutions providing full-time residential or nursing care for the
13 elderly to provide care to Alaska residents eligible under AS 47.25.108.
14 A contractual agreement under this section shall provide for payment of
15 the full daily (or monthly equivalent) charges by the institution for
16 each eligible patient, less the amount charged under AS 47.25.030 for
17 the equivalent level of care for a patient at the Alaska Pioneers' Home.

18 Sec. 47.25.108. ELIGIBILITY. A person is eligible to receive
19 contractual services under AS 47.25.103 if

20 (1) he is eligible for admission into the Alaska Pioneers'
21 Home under AS 47.25.010 - 47.25.110; and

22 (2) he is not eligible for benefits from any source that
23 would pay for the cost of full-time residential or nursing care; and

24 (3) he resides more than 50 miles, by highway, from the
25 Alaska Pioneers' Home, or he cannot be admitted to the Alaska Pioneers'
26 Home because the home is full to capacity.

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