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1 IN THE SENATE

BY KERTTULA AND ALL OTHER MEMBERS
OF THE LEGISLATURE

2 SENATE BILL NO. 15 am H

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the Alaska longevity bonus; and
7 providing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 47.45.010(a) is amended to read:

10 (a) A person who is 65 years of age or over, who was domiciled in
11 the territory on or before January 3, 1959 and who has maintained a
12 continuous domicile in the territory or state for 25 years may apply to
13 the commissioner of administration for qualification to receive a
14 monthly bonus of \$200 [\$150].

15 * Sec. 2. AS 47.45.030 is amended to read:

16 Sec. 47.45.030. ABSENCE FROM THE STATE A recipient shall notify
17 the commissioner of administration when he expects to be absent from the
18 state if the absence is for a continuous period that exceeds 30 days.
19 After that notification, the recipient shall no longer receive bonuses
20 from the Department of Administration after his last regularly approved
21 monthly application. Upon his return to the state he may again make
22 application for a bonus. [WHENEVER THE ABSENCE IS FOR A CONTINUOUS
23 PERIOD THAT EXCEEDS 180 DAYS THE RECIPIENT SHALL BE DISQUALIFIED FROM
24 RECEIVING BONUSSES FOR THE NEXT 12 CALENDAR MONTHS AFTER HIS RETURN TO
25 THE STATE. HOWEVER, WHEN THE COMMISSIONER OF ADMINISTRATION DETERMINES
26 A PERIOD OF ABSENCE IS BEYOND THE CONTROL OF THE RECIPIENT, HE MAY NOT
27 BE DISQUALIFIED, IF HE STILL OTHERWISE QUALIFIES UPON HIS RETURN TO THE
28 STATE. CONTINUAL ABSENCES FROM THE STATE, EVEN THOUGH REPORTED, AND]
29 Failure [FAILURE] to notify the commissioner of an expected absence may

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be ground [GROUNDS] for disqualification.

* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect July 1, 1980.