

Original sponsor: Moss

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Funding Information
General Fund \$915,000
Other Funds -0-
\$915,000

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND
SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 130 (HESS)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act making special appropriations to establish and
7 continue programs for Vietnam veterans; and providing
8 for an effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. The sum of \$165,000 is appropriated from the general fund
11 to the Department of Health and Social Services, division of mental health
12 and developmental disabilities, to establish a training and technical assis-
13 tance account in the division to assist mental health, crisis, drug and
14 alcohol programs to identify post-traumatic stress disorder in Vietnam
15 veterans, and to identify and treat veterans and their families affected by
16 the disorder.

17 * Sec. 2. The sum of \$100,000 is appropriated from the general fund to
18 the Department of Health and Social Services, division of mental health and
19 developmental disabilities, for payment as a grant to the Vietnam Veterans/
20 Alaska, Inc. for a Vietnam veterans post-traumatic stress disorder outreach
21 program based on the United States Veterans Administration outreach program.

22 * Sec. 3. The sum of \$50,000 is appropriated from the general fund to
23 the Department of Health and Social Services, office of the commissioner,
24 office of information systems, to develop, in conjunction with other state
25 agencies, a needs assessment of Alaska Vietnam veterans, and to gather data
26 on the capability of state information systems to identify and monitor these
27 veterans.

28 * Sec. 4. The sum of \$600,000 is appropriated from the general fund to
29 the Department of Health and Social Services, division of mental health and

1 developmental disabilities, for operation of the United States Veterans
2 Administration outreach centers in Anchorage, Fairbanks, Kenai and Wasilla.

3 * Sec. 5. If federal money is restored to operate United States Veterans
4 Administration outreach centers in the state, the unexpended and unobligated
5 portion of the appropriation made in sec. 4 of this Act lapses into the
6 general fund at the time the federal money is restored.

7 * Sec. 6. The unexpended and unobligated portions of the appropriations
8 made by secs. 1 and 3 of this Act lapse into the general fund June 30, 1982.

9 * Sec. 7. Sections 1 - 3 and 6 of this Act take effect immediately in
10 accordance with AS 01.10.070(c).

11 * Sec. 8. Sections 4 and 5 of this Act take effect October 1, 1981.

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