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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 508 (Finance)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to requirements for fiscal notes and  
7 employment notes in the legislative process; and  
8 providing for an effective date."

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

10 \* Section 1. AS 24.30 is amended by adding a new section to read:

11 Sec. 24.30.032. EMPLOYMENT NOTES. (a) A bill requiring the  
12 appropriation of state money for a capital improvement project or a  
13 state loan program which is presented by the governor to the legisla-  
14 ture for introduction under AS 24.30.060(b) shall include an employment  
15 note containing the following information about the effect of the bill  
16 on employment:

- 17 (1) the number of jobs which would be created, including  
18 (A) construction jobs;  
19 (B) non-construction contract jobs;  
20 (C) operating jobs, both temporary and permanent; and  
21 (D) other direct employment;

22 (2) a description of the employment which would be created  
23 by categories, including salary levels for each category;

24 (3) a breakdown of employment which would be created, by  
25 region of the state.

26 (b) Bills presented by the governor which require the appropria-  
27 tion of less than \$1,000,000 for capital improvement projects or state  
28 loan programs may be aggregated under a single employment note, which  
29 shall contain the information required by (a) of this section.

1 (c) If a bill described in (a) of this section has no effect on  
2 employment, a statement to that effect shall be attached.

3 (d) The employment note or statement required by this section  
4 shall be prepared by the department or departments affected by the bill  
5 in cooperation with the Office of the Governor, division of budget and  
6 management.

7 (e) The requirements of this section apply to supplemental budget  
8 revisions or budget amendments by the governor which relate to capital  
9 improvement projects or state loan programs, and to reports made by the  
10 governor covering proposed capital improvement projects or state loan  
11 programs if the reports are to be considered by the legislature during  
12 the interim between legislative sessions.

13 (f) By January 20 of each year the Office of the Governor, divi-  
14 sion of budget and management, shall submit a report to the governor  
15 for transmittal to the legislature on the preparation of employment  
16 notes, including recommendations for improvement in employment note  
17 procedures.

18 \* Sec. 2. AS 37.07.020(a) is amended to read:

19 (a) The governor shall prepare and submit to the legislature  
20 before the fourth legislative day a budget for the succeeding fiscal  
21 year which shall cover all estimated receipts, including all grants,  
22 loans, and money received from the federal government, and all proposed  
23 expenditures of the state government. The budget shall be accompanied  
24 by a general appropriation bill to authorize the proposed expenditures,  
25 and a bill or bills covering recommendations in the budget for new or  
26 additional revenues. The budget shall also be accompanied by a summary,  
27 categorized by region of the state, of the fiscal notes and employment  
28 notes required for bills proposed by the governor as of the date of the  
29 budget submission.

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\* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect July 1, 1981.