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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 725 (State Affairs)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the effect of absences from the
7 state on receipt of the Alaska longevity bonus; and
8 providing for an effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 47.45.030 is amended to read:

11 Sec. 47.45.030. ABSENCE FROM THE STATE. A recipient shall notify
12 the commissioner of administration when he expects to be absent from the
13 state if the absence is for a continuous period that exceeds 90 [30]
14 days. After that notification, the recipient shall no longer receive
15 bonuses from the Department of Administration after his last regularly
16 approved monthly application. Upon his return to the state he may again
17 make application for a bonus and, if the application is accepted, shall
18 receive a maximum of three monthly bonuses for the period of absence
19 from the state. Whenever the absence is for a continuous period that
20 exceeds 180 days the recipient shall be disqualified from receiving
21 bonuses for the next 12 calendar months after his return to the state.
22 However, when the commissioner of administration determines a period of
23 absence is beyond the control of the recipient, he may not be disquali-
24 fied, if he still otherwise qualifies upon his return to the state.
25 Continual absences from the state, even though reported, and failure to
26 notify the commissioner of an expected absence may be grounds for dis-
27 qualification.

28 * Sec. 2. AS 47.45.080 is amended to read:

29 Sec. 47.45.080. ACCRUAL OF BONUSES. A [NO] recipient may not, for

1 any reason, receive an accrual of bonuses in excess of three [TWO]
2 monthly payments. No interest may be paid on accrued bonuses. Upon the
3 death of a recipient the commissioner of administration shall pay to the
4 beneficiary of the recipient any accrued bonuses not to exceed two
5 monthly payments.

6 * Sec. 3. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
7 070(c).

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