

Original sponsor: Finance Committee

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Referred: Rules

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND
SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 891 (HESS)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for the issuance of general obliga-
7 tion bonds in the amount of \$50,000,000 for the purpose
8 of paying the cost of design and construction of hospi-
9 tals; and providing for an effective date."

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

11 * Section 1. For the purpose of paying the cost of design and construction
12 of hospitals, general obligation bonds of the state in the principal amount
13 of not more than \$50,000,000 shall be issued and sold. The full faith,
14 credit, and resources of the state are pledged to the payment of the principal
15 of and interest and redemption premium, if any, on these bonds. These bonds
16 shall be issued under the provisions of AS 37.15 as those provisions read at
17 the time of issuance.

18 * Sec. 2. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
19 voters of the state, a special fund of the state to be known as the "1982
20 Hospital Construction Fund" shall be established, to which shall be credited
21 the proceeds of the sale of the bonds described in sec. 1 of this Act except
22 for the accrued interest and premiums.

23 * Sec. 3. The amount of \$8,000,000 is appropriated from the "1982 Hospital
24 Construction Fund" to the Department of Health and Social Services for con-
25 struction of a hospital in Petersburg.

26 * Sec. 4. The amount of \$14,000,000 is appropriated from the "1982 Hospi-
27 tal Construction Fund" to the Department of Health and Social Services for
28 design and construction of a hospital in Cordova.

29 * Sec. 5. The amount of \$8,000,000 is appropriated from the "1982 Hospital

1 Construction Fund" to the Department of Health and Social Services for con-
2 struction of a hospital in Homer.

3 * Sec. 6. The amount of \$9,000,000 is appropriated from the "1982 Hospital
4 Construction Fund" to the Department of Health and Social Services for design
5 and construction of a hospital in Wrangell.

6 * Sec. 7. The amount of \$11,000,000 is appropriated from the "1982 Hospi-
7 tal Construction Fund" to the Department of Health and Social Services for
8 design and construction of a hospital in Kodiak.

9 * Sec. 8. The appropriations for projects made in this Act may be re-
10 appropriated among the projects by law.

11 * Sec. 9. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
12 voters of the state, the amount of \$175,000 or as much of that amount as is
13 found necessary is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
14 state bond committee to carry out the provisions of this Act and to pay
15 expenses incident to the sale and issuance of the bonds authorized in this
16 Act. The amounts expended from the appropriation authorized by this section
17 shall be reimbursed to the general fund from the proceeds of the sale of the
18 bonds authorized by this Act.

19 * Sec. 10. The amount withdrawn from the public facility planning fund
20 for the purpose of advance planning for the improvements financed under this
21 Act shall be reimbursed to the fund from the proceeds of the sale of bonds
22 authorized by this Act.

23 * Sec. 11. The question whether the bonds authorized in this Act are to
24 be issued shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state at the next
25 general election and shall read substantially as follows:

26 **Proposition**

27 **State General Obligation Hospital Construction**

28 **Bonds \$50,000,000**

29 **Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds**

1 in the principal amount of not more than \$50,000,000 for the
2 purpose of paying the cost of design and construction of hos-
3 pitals?

4 Bonds Yes []

5 Bonds No []

6 * Sec. 12. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
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