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1 IN THE HOUSE

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HOUSE BILL NO. 562

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to service of process in cases
7 involving domestic violence."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 22.20.110 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 22.20.110. DUTY OF THE COMMISSIONER IN THE COURT OF AP-
11 PEALS, THE SUPERIOR COURT AND DISTRICT COURTS. When required by the
12 supreme court, except as provided in AS 25.35.040, the commissioner
13 shall serve and execute all process issued by the court of appeals,
14 the superior court and the district courts, attend to and wait upon
15 grand and petit juries, maintain order, attend the sessions of the
16 courts, and exercise the power and perform the duties concerning all
17 matters within the jurisdiction of the courts as may be assigned. The
18 commissioner is the executive officer of the court of appeals, the
19 superior court and district courts.

20 * Sec. 2. AS 25.35.040 is amended to read:

21 Sec. 25.35.040. SERVICE OF PROCESS. Process issued under
22 AS 25.35.010 or 25.35.020 shall be promptly served and executed by a
23 peace officer. If process is to be served upon a person believed to
24 be present in a municipality, process shall be served by a peace
25 officer of the municipality. If the municipality has no peace
26 officer, or if a [STATE] peace officer of the municipality is not
27 available, a superior court, district court, or magistrate may desig-
28 nate any other peace officer to serve and execute process issued under
29 AS 25.35.010 or 25.35.020. A peace officer shall use every reasonable

1 means to serve process issued under AS 25.35.010 or 25.35.020.