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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE

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CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 196 (Rules)

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the posting of a bond to secure

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the payment of costs, including attorney fees; and

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providing for an effective date."

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

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\* Section 1. AS 09.60.010 is amended to read:

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Sec. 09.60.010. COSTS ALLOWED PREVAILING PARTY. (a) Except as

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otherwise provided by statute, the supreme court shall determine by

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rule or order what costs, if any, including attorney fees, shall be

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allowed the prevailing party in any case.

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(b) The supreme court shall by rule or order provide that a

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defendant may compel a plaintiff in an action to post a bond or other

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acceptable surety with the court in an amount determined by the court

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to be reasonable under (a) of this section.

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\* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect January 1, 1985.