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1 IN THE SENATE

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SENATE BILL NO. 405

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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 increases in charges for resi-
7 dence in the Alaska Pioneers' Home."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 47.25 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 47.25.045. NOTICE OF RATE INCREASES; HEARINGS. (a) The
11 Department of Administration shall provide to all residents of the
12 Alaska Pioneers' Home written notice of any proposed increase in the
13 rate charged for care and support of persons at the home. Notice
14 under this section shall be given not less than 60 days before an
15 increase is adopted. The notice shall include the time, date, and
16 place of a hearing to be held by the Department of Administration
17 under (b) of this section.

18 (b) Not less than 30 days before a proposed rate increase is
19 adopted, the Department of Administration shall conduct a hearing at
20 which interested persons shall be given the opportunity to submit
21 written or oral testimony, statements, arguments or contentions relat-
22 ing to the proposed rate increase. The department shall consider all
23 relevant matter presented to it before adopting a rate increase.