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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Relating to the feasibility of creating

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local advisory boards.

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

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WHEREAS teachers have limited access to the decision-making process

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regarding programs, curriculum, teaching materials, and textbooks; and

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WHEREAS many teachers have expressed concern that the teaching process

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is often restricted by administrative tasks, pupil-teacher ratios, class

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size, workload, and other assignments; and

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WHEREAS teachers should be able to share their expertise in the deci-

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sion-making process, and

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WHEREAS teachers should receive support from school boards, parents,

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and administration; and

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WHEREAS teachers would play a more instrumental role in the decision-

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making process if local advisory boards existed, consisting of teachers,

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members of the community and school administrators that would report to

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local school boards;

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BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the State Board of

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Education undertake a thorough study to determine the feasibility of creat-

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ing local advisory boards, and report back to the second session of the

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thirteenth Alaska State Legislature with their findings and recommenda-

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tions.