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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND  
SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26 (HESS)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to the feasibility of creating  
6 local advisory boards.

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

8 WHEREAS teachers and parents have limited access to the decision-  
9 making process regarding programs, curricula, teaching materials, and  
10 textbooks; and

11 WHEREAS many teachers and parents have expressed concern that the  
12 teaching process is often restricted by administrative tasks, pupil-teacher  
13 ratios, class size, workload, and other assignments; and

14 WHEREAS teachers and parents should be able to share their expertise  
15 in the decision-making process, and

16 WHEREAS teachers and parents should receive support from school  
17 boards, parents, and administration; and

18 WHEREAS teachers and parents would play a more instrumental role in  
19 the decision-making process if local advisory boards existed, consisting of  
20 teachers, members of the community and school administrators that would  
21 report to local school boards;

22 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the State Board of  
23 Education undertake a thorough study to determine the feasibility of creat-  
24 ing local advisory boards, and report back to the First Session of the  
25 Fourteenth Alaska State Legislature with their findings and recommenda-  
26 tions.