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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND
SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

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HOUSE BILL NO. 234

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act limiting retirement credit for military
service under the Public Employees' Retirement System
and the Teachers' Retirement System."

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

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* Section 1. AS 14.25.100(e) is amended to read:

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(e) A member may not be credited with the same period of service

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in the armed forces under this section if credit for that military

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service was granted under the public employees' retirement system

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(AS 39.35) or if the member is eligible to receive a retirement bene-

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fit for that service from the United States government. The combined

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period of military service claimed under this section and AS 39.35 may

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not exceed five years.

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* Sec. 2. AS 39.35.340(a) is amended to read:

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(a) A vested employee is entitled to credited service for active

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military service in the armed forces of the United States, either by

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enlistment or induction, if the employee did not receive a dishonor-

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able discharge and is not entitled to receive retirement benefits from

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the United States government for the same service. The credited

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service allowed may not exceed an aggregate period of five years.

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Benefits are not payable on credited service for military service

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unless the employee makes retroactive contributions to the system for

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the period of time that service credit is claimed. However, if the

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employee was in the employ of an employer on the date of entry into

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the armed forces and returned to the employ of an employer within 90

1 days after the date of discharge from military service, the employee
2 is not required to make retroactive contributions under this system
3 for the period of credited service.

4 * Sec. 3. This Act applies only to members first hired under the Public
5 Employees' Retirement System or the Teachers' Retirement System on or after
6 the effective date of this Act.