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CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 234 (HESS)

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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(a) is amended to read:

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* Sec. 2. AS 14.25.100(e) is amended to read:

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

1 in the armed forces under this section if credit for that military
2 service was granted under the public employees' retirement system
3 (AS 39.35) or if the member is eligible to receive a retirement bene-
4 fit for that service from the United States government. The combined
5 period of military service claimed under this section and AS 39.35 may
6 not exceed five years.

7 * Sec. 3. AS 39.35.340(a) is amended to read:

8 (a) A vested employee is entitled to credited service for active
9 military service in the armed forces of the United States, either by
10 enlistment or induction, if the employee received a [DID NOT RECEIVE A
11 DISHONORABLE] discharge under honorable conditions and is not entitled
12 to receive retirement benefits from the United States government for
13 the same service. The credited service allowed may not exceed an
14 aggregate period of five years. Benefits are not payable on credited
15 service for military service unless the employee makes retroactive
16 contributions to the system for the period of time that service credit
17 is claimed. However, if the employee was in the employ of an employer
18 on the date of entry into the armed forces and returned to the employ
19 of an employer within 90 days after the date of discharge from
20 military service, the employee is not required to make retroactive
21 contributions under this system for the period of credited service.

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