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1 IN THE HOUSE

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HOUSE BILL NO. 354

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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 relating to settlement of actions involving
the state."

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

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* Section 1. AS 09.50 is amended by adding a new section to read:

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Sec. 09.50.275. SETTLEMENT OF ACTIONS INVOLVING THE STATE. (a)

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If the state proposes to settle an action and the settlement requires
payment or receipt of money in excess of \$1,000,000, the state shall
give notice to the legislature of the proposed settlement by submit-
ting a copy of the proposed settlement to each house of the legisla-
ture, or if the legislature is not in session, to the Legislative
Budget and Audit Committee.

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(b) The state may not accept a proposed settlement for at least
30 days after notice has been given under (a) of this section, unless
the legislature or the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee, as
appropriate, recommends acceptance of the settlement. The recommen-
dation of the legislature must be by concurrent resolution.

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(c) If the legislature or the Legislative Budget and Audit
Committee does not recommend that the state accept the settlement
within 30 days after the notice required by (a) of this section, the
state shall review the settlement proposal. If the state accepts the
settlement without the recommendation of the legislature or the com-
mittee, the state shall within 10 days provide the legislature with a
statement of reasons for accepting the settlement.