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BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 603

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to dispensing opticians; and provid-
7 ing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 08.03.010(c)(5) is amended to read:

10 (5) Board of Dispensing Opticians (AS 08.71.010) -- June
11 30, 1988 [1985].

12 * Sec. 2. AS 08.71.110 is amended to read:

13 Sec. 08.71.110. QUALIFICATIONS OF APPLICANTS FOR EXAMINATION.

14 (a) A person is entitled to take the examination who

15 (1) has had education equivalent to four years attendance
16 at a high school;

17 (2) [(1)] has either

18 (A) completed at least 6,000 hours of training as an
19 apprentice, or

20 (B) been engaged for at least 6,000 hours as a prac-
21 ticing optician in good standing in a state, territory, district
22 or possession of the United States; and

23 (3) [(2)] has paid the required examination fee.

24 (b) Graduation from an associate degree program in a recognized
25 school or college of opticianry may be substituted for 4,000 of the
26 6,000 hours of experience required by (a)(2) of this section.

27 * Sec. 3. AS 08.71.130(d) is amended to read:

28 (d) Before a license may be renewed the licensee shall submit to
29 the board evidence of 30 [15] hours of continuing competence in

1 optical dispensing as prescribed by regulations of the board.

2 * Sec. 4. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.-

3 10.070(c).