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1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 672

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for notice of hazardous materials."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 46.03 is amended by adding a new section to read:

9 Sec. 46.03.895. NOTICE OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS. (a) A person
10 who transports hazardous materials into the state shall, within 48
11 hours after the materials arrive in the state, send to the department
12 a copy of the description of the hazardous materials that is required
13 to be on the shipping paper by the United States Department of Trans-
14 portation under 49 C.F.R. 172.200 - 172.204.

15 (b) A person who receives a shipment of hazardous materials from
16 outside of the state shall, within 48 hours after receiving the ship-
17 ment, send to the emergency services providers for the service dis-
18 trict in which the materials are to be used or stored

19 (1) a copy of the description specified in (a) of this
20 section; and

21 (2) a notice of the location at which the materials are to
22 be used or stored.

23 (c) In this section

24 (1) "emergency services providers" includes state and local
25 fire, rescue, and other public safety agencies that respond to hazard-
26 ous materials emergencies;

27 (2) "hazardous materials" has the meaning given in 49
28 C.F.R. 171.8.