

Introduced: 3/19/85
Referred" Health, Education and
Social Services

1 IN THE SENATE

BY ELIASON

2

SENATE BILL NO. 242

3

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4

FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5

A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to regional educational attendance
7 area school boards."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 14.08.051(d) is amended to read:

10 (d) Multi-member sections may be created. However,

11 (1) each seat on the regional board shall be designated by
12 letter or number and when the declaration of candidacy or other nomi-
13 nation papers of a candidate for the regional school board are filed
14 those papers must indicate the seat that the candidate seeks; and

15 (2) except as provided in (f) of this section, a [NO]
16 section may not be represented by more than

17 (A) three members, if a board consists of five mem-
18 bers;

19 (B) four members, if a board consists of seven mem-
20 bers;

21 (C) five members, if a board consists of nine members;
22 or

23 (D) six members, if a board consists of 11 members.

24 * Sec. 2. AS 14.08.051 is amended by adding new subsections to read:

25 (f) The commissioner may permit a section that contains more
26 than one community to be represented by more board members than the
27 number set out in (d)(2) of this section if the commissioner deter-
28 mines that

29 (1) the regional educational attendance area has had a

1 pattern of substantial population fluctuations between geographic
2 areas within the regional educational attendance area; and

3 (2) compliance with the requirements of (d)(2) of this
4 section could result in continuous underrepresentation and overrep-
5 resentation of sections.

6 (g) In a regional educational attendance area section subject to
7 (f) of this section, no more than two members may be elected from the
8 same community.