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1 IN THE SENATE

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SENATE BILL NO. 364

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act permitting the state to pay certain untimely
7 claims."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 44.77.010(b) is amended to read:

10 (b) For the purposes of filing claims for medical services
11 provided under AS 47.07 or AS 47.25.120 - 47.25.300, "promptly", in
12 (a) of this section, means within six months after the date the ser-
13 vice was provided or third-party payment was received. Except as
14 provided in (d) of this section, a [A] claim may not be paid if it is
15 not filed within that period; an inference to the contrary may not be
16 drawn from AS 09.10.050, AS 09.50.250 - 09.50.300, or AS 37.25.010.

17 * Sec. 2. AS 44.77.010 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

18 (d) The state may pay a claim that is not presented promptly if
19 the state determines that the untimely filing either was not the fault
20 of the claimant or resulted from excusable neglect.