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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL
AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

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CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 337 (C&RA)

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act amending notice requirements relating to the
7 municipal assistance program; and providing for an
8 effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 29.60.370(b) is amended to read:

11 (b) The intent of (a) of this section is that a municipality
12 that levies property taxes reduce those levies in reasonable propor-
13 tion to the amount of increased state aid received by the municipal-
14 ity. [THE GOVERNING BODY OF EACH MUNICIPALITY SHALL FURNISH A NOTICE
15 WITH EACH TAX STATEMENT DESCRIBING ITS USE OF THIS STATE AID.]

16 * Sec. 2. AS 29.60.370 is amended by adding new subsections to read:

17 (c) The governing body of a municipality with a population of
18 20,000 or more that levies a property tax shall furnish a notice
19 describing use of the state aid provided under (a) of this section.
20 Notice under this subsection shall be provided by furnishing a copy of
21 the notice with each tax statement mailed for the fiscal year for
22 which aid is received.

23 (d) The governing body of a municipality with a population of
24 less than 20,000 that levies a property tax shall furnish a notice
25 describing use of the state aid provided under (a) of this section.
26 Notice under this subsection shall be provided

27 (1) by furnishing a copy of the notice with each tax state-
28 ment mailed for the fiscal year for which aid is received; or

29 (2) by publishing in a newspaper of general circulation in

- 1 the municipality a copy of the notice once each week for three succes-
- 2 sive weeks, with the first publication to occur not later than 45 days
- 3 after the final adoption of the municipality's budget.
- 4 * Sec. 3. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).