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1 IN THE SENATE BY THE LABOR AND
COMMERCE COMMITTEE
2 HOUSE CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 357 (L&C)
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION
5 A BILL
6 For an Act entitled: "An Act exempting certain utilities with no more than
7 100 subscribers from regulation by the Alaska Public
8 Utilities Commission or a municipality and providing
9 that the most extensive exemption from regulation
10 applies when more than one exemption is applicable to
11 a utility."
12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:
13 * Section 1. AS 42.05.711(1) is amended to read:
14 (1) A person, utility, or cooperative that is exempt from regu-
15 lation under AS 42.05.711(a), [OR] (d) - (k), or (m) is not subject to
16 regulation by a municipality under AS 29.35.060 and 29.35.070.
17 * Sec. 2. AS 42.05.711 is amended by adding new subsections to read:
18 (m) A utility located north of 69 degrees North latitude that
19 has no more than 100 subscribers all of whom are commercial subscrib-
20 ers is exempt from regulation under this chapter unless the subscrib-
21 ers petition the commission for regulation under the procedure des-
22 cribed in AS 42.05.712.
23 (n) If a public utility is eligible for an exemption from regu-
24 lation under more than one of the subsections in this section, the
25 subsection that grants the most extensive exemption applies.