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1 IN THE HOUSE BY WALLIS

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 200

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to acquisition of tenure rights."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 14.20.147(b) is amended to read:

9 (b) When a school operated by a federal agency is transferred to
10 or absorbed into a new or existing school district the teachers shall
11 also be transferred if mutually agreed by the teacher or teachers and
12 the school board of the new or existing district. A teacher trans-
13 ferred from a federal agency school <u>that</u> [, WHICH] does not have an
14 official salary schedule or teacher tenure in the same manner as a
15 public school district in the state [,] shall be placed on a position
16 on the salary schedule of the absorbing district; the salary may not
17 be less than the teacher would have received in the federal agency
18 school. If the teacher taught <u>five</u> [TWO] or more years in the federal
19 agency school and, at the time of transfer, had a valid Alaska teach-
20 ing certificate, that teacher shall be placed on tenure in the absorb-
21 ing district.

22 * Sec. 2. AS 14.20.150 is amended to read:

23 Sec. 14.20.150. ACQUISITION OF TENURE RIGHTS. (a) A teacher
24 acquires tenure rights in a district when the teacher

25 (1) possesses a standard teaching certificate;

26 (2) has been employed as a teacher in the same district
27 continuously for <u>five</u> [TWO] full school years and is reemployed for
28 the school year immediately following the <u>five</u> [TWO] full school
29 years.

1 (b) The tenure rights acquired under (a) of this section become
2 effective on the first day the teacher performs teaching services in
3 the district during the school year immediately following the <u>five</u>
4 [TWO] full school years.
5 * Sec. 3. A teacher who has acquired tenure rights before the effective
6 date of this Act retains those rights notwithstanding the amendments made
7 by this Act.