

Original sponsor(s): HESS Committee

1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE HESS COMMITTEE
2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 571 (HESS)
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION
5 A BILL
6 For an Act entitled: "An Act requiring notice to obligors about obliga-
7 tions relating to support."
8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:
9 * Section 1. AS 47.23.120 is amended by adding new subsections to read:
10 (c) Within 30 days after the agency knows the identity and
11 address of an obligor who resides in the state and who is liable to
12 the state under this section, the agency shall send written notifica-
13 tion to the obligor parent of the obligor's accruing liability. The
14 notice required under this subsection must be in clear, concise, and
15 easily readable language. The notice may accompany other communica-
16 tions by the agency.
17 (d) If the agency fails to comply with (c) of this section,
18 interest does not accrue on the liability to the state unless a sup-
19 port order has been entered.
20 (e) The agency's failure to comply with (c) of this section does
21 not bar an action by the state to recover amounts owed by the obligor.