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1 IN THE HOUSE
2 CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 26 (C&RA)
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION
5 Proposing an amendment to the Constitu-
6 tion of the State of Alaska relating to
7 the local boundary commission.
8 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:
9 * Section 1. Article X, sec. 12, Constitution of the State of Alaska,
10 is amended to read:
11 SECTION 12. BOUNDARIES. A local boundary commission [OR BOARD]
12 shall be established by law in the executive branch of the State
13 government. The commission [OR BOARD] may consider any proposed local
14 government boundary change. The legislature may establish standards
15 to guide the commission in its review of a local government boundary
16 change. The commission [IT] may present proposed changes to the
17 legislature during the first ten days of any regular session. The
18 change shall become effective sixty [FORTY-FIVE] days after presenta-
19 tion or at the end of the session, whichever is earlier, unless dis-
20 approved by a resolution concurred in by a majority of the members of
21 each house. The commission [OR BOARD], subject to law, may establish
22 procedures whereby boundaries may be adjusted by local action.
23 * Sec. 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be placed
24 before the voters of the state at the next general election in conformity
25 with art. XIII, sec. 1, Constitution of the State of Alaska, and the elec-
26 tion laws of the state.