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1 IN THE SENATE BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE
2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 93 (Finance)
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 workers' compensation benefits
7 for members of the state's organized militia; and
8 providing for an effective date."
9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:
10 * Section 1. AS 26.05.260(d) is amended to read:
11 (d) A member of the organized militia [ALASKA NATIONAL GUARD OR
12 ALASKA NAVAL MILITIA] who, while performing duties [ON ACTIVE SERVICE]
13 under AS 26.05.070 [AND LAWFULLY PERFORMING DUTIES], including transit
14 to and from the member's home of record, suffers an injury or [A]
15 disability in the line of duty is entitled to all compensation and
16 benefits available under the Alaska Workers' Compensation Act
17 (AS 23.30).
18 * Sec. 2. AS 26.05.260(e) is amended to read:
19 (e) If a member of the organized militia [ALASKA NATIONAL GUARD
20 OR ALASKA NAVAL MILITIA] dies as a result of an injury or [A] disabil-
21 ity suffered in the line of duty while performing duties [ON ACTIVE
22 SERVICE] under AS 26.05.070 [AND WHILE LAWFULLY PERFORMING DUTIES],
23 including transit to and from the member's home of record, death
24 benefits shall be paid to the persons in the amounts specified in
25 AS 23.30.215.
26 * Sec. 3. AS 26.05.260(h) is amended to read:
27 (h) In this section, "member" means an active commissioned or
28 warrant officer or enlisted man or woman in the organized militia
29 [ALASKA NATIONAL GUARD OR ALASKA NAVAL MILITIA].

1 * Sec. 4. AS 26.05.260 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:
2 (i) For purposes of computation of benefits under AS 23.30, the
3 earnings of a member of the organized militia will be presumed to be
4 no less than the pay and allowances authorized for a member of the
5 regular armed forces of the United States in the same grade or rank as
6 the organized militia member at the time of the injury or death.
7 * Sec. 5. This Act takes effect July 1, 1989.