

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 272 (MLV)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Offered: 2/7/92

Referred: State Affairs

Sponsor(s): HOUSE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the duties of the adjutant general and of the Department of Military
2 and Veterans' Affairs; and providing for an effective date."

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 * **Section 1.** AS 26.05.160 is amended by adding new subsections to read:

5 (c) The adjutant general is the official liaison between the state and the active military
6 in the state. The adjutant general shall provide advice and assistance to state agencies having
7 dealings with the active military in the state.

8 (d) The adjutant general is the official liaison between the state and the federal
9 Department of Veterans Affairs. The adjutant general shall provide advice and assistance to state
10 agencies having dealings with the federal Department of Veterans Affairs.

11 (e) The adjutant general is the official liaison between the state and the Federal
12 Emergency Management Agency in the state. The adjutant general shall provide advice and
13 assistance to state agencies having dealings with the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

14 * **Sec. 2.** AS 44.35.020(a) is amended to read:

- 1 (a) The Department of Military and Veterans' Affairs shall
2 (1) conduct the military affairs of the state as prescribed by the Military Code;
3 and
4 (2) cooperate with the federal government in matters of mutual concern pertaining
5 to the welfare of Alaskan veterans, including establishing, extending, or strengthening services
6 for veterans in the state;
7 (3) annually, not later than February 1, report to the legislature, through the
8 governor, outlining the department's activities during the previous calendar year.
9 * Sec. 3. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).