

HOUSE BILL NO. 395

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVE VEZEY

Introduced: 1/24/94

Referred: State Affairs, Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to retirement benefits for the administrative director of courts;
2 and providing for an effective date."

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

4 * Section 1. AS 22.25.012(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) An administrative director of the Alaska court system appointed under art.
6 IV, sec. 16 of the state constitution is entitled to retirement benefits under this chapter
7 on the terms and conditions applicable to a superior court judge appointed after July 1,
8 1978, if the administrative director elects to participate in this chapter before the
9 effective date of this Act. However, [EXCEPT THAT] an administrative director
10 may receive retirement benefits only with service as administrative director for 10 or
11 more years.

12 * Sec. 2. AS 39.35.158 is amended to read:

13 Sec. 39.35.158. ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR OF COURTS. (a) Except
14 as provided in AS 22.25.012, an [AN] administrative director of the Alaska court

1 system is a member of this system.

2 (b) An administrative director who has been a member of the judicial
3 retirement system under AS 22.25.012 and who later withdraws from the judicial
4 retirement system under AS 22.25.012 is eligible for membership in the system and
5 shall receive credited service in the system for service rendered as administrative
6 director. To be eligible for membership in the system under this subsection, the
7 administrative director must contribute to the system

8 (1) the amount the director would have contributed if the director had
9 been a member during the director's period of membership in the judicial retirement
10 system; and

11 (2) any contributions for services as administrative director refunded
12 by the system at the time the director became a member of the judicial retirement
13 system.

14 * Sec. 3. AS 39.35.680(21)(C)(vii) is repealed.

15 * Sec. 4. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).