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EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY SENATOR TAYLOR

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A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the calculation of instructional units used in determining state
2 aid for education and increasing elementary and secondary instructional units for
3 certain school districts with 800 or fewer students in average daily membership;
4 and providing for an effective date."

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

6 * Section 1. AS 14.17.031(b) is amended to read:

7 (b) If the total elementary and secondary instructional units that a school
8 district is eligible to receive under (a) of this section decrease by five [10] percent or
9 more from one fiscal year to the next, the school district may use the last fiscal year
10 before the reduction as a base fiscal year and offset its reduction according to the
11 following schedule: (1) for the first fiscal year after the base fiscal year, the school
12 district is eligible to receive the total elementary and secondary instructional units
13 determined under (a)(1) of this section plus 75 percent of the difference in total
14 elementary and secondary instructional units between the base fiscal year and the first

1 fiscal year after the base fiscal year; (2) for the second fiscal year after the base fiscal
2 year, the school district is eligible to receive the total elementary and secondary
3 instructional units determined under (a)(1) of this section plus 50 percent of the
4 difference in total elementary and secondary instructional units between the base fiscal
5 year and the second fiscal year after the base fiscal year; (3) for the third fiscal year
6 after the base fiscal year, the school district is eligible to receive the total elementary
7 and secondary instructional units determined under (a)(1) of this section plus 25
8 percent of the difference in total elementary and secondary instructional units between
9 the base fiscal year and the third fiscal year after the base fiscal year. The schedule
10 established in this subsection is available to a school district for the three fiscal years
11 following the base fiscal year only if the total elementary and secondary instructional
12 units received by the school district under (a)(1) of this section for each fiscal year are
13 less than the total elementary and secondary instructional units received by the school
14 district in the base fiscal year. This subsection does not apply to a decrease in total
15 elementary and secondary instructional units resulting from a loss of enrollment that
16 occurs as a result of a boundary change under AS 29.

17 * Sec. 2. AS 14.17.041 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

18 (e) In a district that consists of a single funding community with an average
19 daily membership of 800 or fewer students, the elementary and secondary
20 instructional units received under (a) or (b) of this section shall be multiplied by the
21 factor determined under the following table:

22	ADM	Factor
23	1 - 250	1.12
24	251 - 525	1.08
25	526 - 800	1.06.

26 * Sec. 3. This Act takes effect July 1, 1994.