



STATE OF ALASKA 1984 LEGISLATIVE SESSION  
FISCAL NOTE

HRS 579

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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REQUEST

Bill/Resolution No.: CSHB 579 (HRS)  
Title: "An Act relating to TRS"

FISCAL DETAIL

Agency Affected: Administration  
Program Category Affected: TRS Match

Sponsor: Furnace  
Requestor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Request: \_\_\_\_\_

BRU, Program or Subprogram(s) Affected: \_\_\_\_\_

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

Operating	FY 84	FY 85	FY 86	FY 87	FY 88	FY 89
100 Personal Svcs						
100 Rtmnt & Bnfts						
200 Travel						
300 Contractual						
400 Supplies						
500 Equipment						
600 Land & Struct						
700 Grants, Claims						
700 TRS Match		17.5	18.9	20.4	22.0	23.8
TOTAL OPERATING		17.5	18.9	20.4	22.0	23.8

CAPITAL						
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REVENUE						
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FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

General Fund		17.5	18.9	20.4	22.0	23.8
Federal Funds						
Other						
Total						

POSITIONS:

Full-Time						
Part-Time						
Temporary						

SOURCE OF FUNDS TO OFFSET IMPACT OF BILL:

ANALYSIS: Attach a separate page for analysis

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Division: Retirement & Benefits Date: 4-27-84

Approved by Commissioner: Lisa Rudd Date: 4/30/84  
Agency: Department of Administration

Distribution (by Agency preparing fiscal note):

- Legislative Finance
- Legislative Sponsor
- Requestor
- Office of Management and Budget
- Impacted Agency(ies)

CS House Bill 579 (HESS)  
Fiscal Note Analysis  
Prepared by the Division of Retirement & Benefits  
Department of Administration

April 27, 1984

IV Analysis: Passage of this bill will allow Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps instructors to participate in the Teachers' Retirement System (TRS) if they are individually certificated and supervise students for five or more hours a day.

Currently there are nine positions covered by the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) that we estimate would qualify under this bill. Those positions are currently with the Anchorage School District, which would experience an increase in cost equal to the state match.

<u>FY 85</u>	<u>FY 86</u>	<u>FY 87</u>	<u>FY 88</u>	<u>FY 89</u>
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The present value of this benefit is \$80,000. This bill would have no perceptible effect on the funding ratio.

Offered: 3/16/84  
Referred: Finance

Original sponsor: Furnace

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND  
SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

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5                       (D) a state legislator who elects membership under  
6           AS 14.25.040(b);

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REPRESENTATIVE WALT FURNACE

April 3, 1984

TO: House Finance Committee  
FROM: Representative Walt Furnace  
SUBJECT: House Bill 579

The purpose of this legislation is to correct an inequity existing in the Anchorage School District. Presently, all JROTC instructors, regardless of educational attainment and the certification that reflects that attainment, are paid at a level lower than their teacher colleagues. They are paid at 90 percent of the salary level of their teacher counterparts.

The bill grants teacher status to only certificated instructors that are charged with the direct supervision and instruction of students and have direct student contact for five or more hours a day.

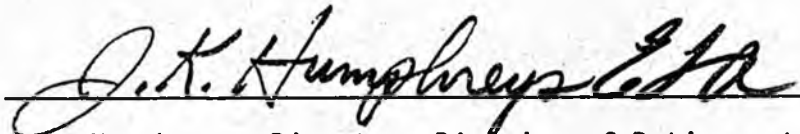
This legislation gives qualified JROTC instructors professional recognition as teachers and allows them to participate in the teachers retirement system.

Position Paper

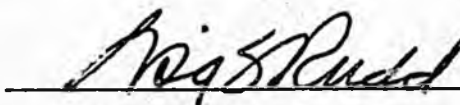
CSHB 579 (HESS)

Passage of this bill would allow Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps Instructors to participate in the Teachers' Retirement System (TRS) if they are responsible for student supervision and instruction and have direct contact with students for five hours or more each day and if they are certificated.

The Department opposes this bill. To open participation in the Teachers' Retirement System to certain individuals who happen to be certificated but for whom certification is not a condition of employment does not appear to serve any public purpose. There are undoubtedly other employees in the Public Employees' Retirement System who happen to possess a certificate and would have reason to pursue coverage under the TRS. These persons would automatically be covered in the TRS under current law if a certificate were required.

  
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J.K. Humphreys, Director, Division of Retirement & Benefits

4/27/84  
Date

  
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Lisa Rudd, Commissioner, Department of Administration

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(A) a certificated full-time or part-time elementary or secondary teacher, a certificated school nurse, a Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps instructor who is responsible for student supervision and instruction, has direct student contact for five or more hours a day, and is certificated, or a certificated person in a position requiring a teaching certificate as a condition of employment in a public school of the state;

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Introduced: 2/6/84  
Referred: Health, Education &  
Social Services

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