

SB413

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 2/16/92

FURTHER:

DATE TURNED
INTO OFFICE: _____

The Finance Committee considered

SENATE BILL NO. 413

"An Act relating to longevity bonus payments for certain nursing home residents; and providing for an effective date."

DIED

and recommends:

- replace with _____ CS _____ (FINANCE)
or adopt previous _____ CS _____ (_____)
 attaches amendment(s)

- same title
 new title
 technical
title change
(HB only)

- adopts _____ Letter of Intent
 further referral to the _____

- do pass
 do not pass
 no recommendation
 individual recommendations

NEW FISCAL NOTES: Dept/Date

zero fiscal notes _____

fiscal notes _____

appropriation--no fiscal note

DO PASS:

1. _____

Co-Chair: Signature/Recommendation

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTES: Dept/Date

zero fiscal notes _____

fiscal notes _____

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

2. _____

Co-Chair: Signature/Recommendation

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
1992 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

No. 1
Version: SB 413
(S) Publish Date: 2-26-92

Revision Date: February 21, 1992
Title: An Act relating to longevity bonus payments.
Sponsor: Senator Duncan
Requestor: _____

Department Affected: Administration
BRU: Longevity Bonus
Component: Grants

COMPONENT

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Expenditures/Revenues: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 93	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98
PERSONAL SERVICES	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRAVEL	0	0	0	0	0	0
CONTRACTUAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
SUPPLIES	0	0	0	0	0	0
EQUIPMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0
LAND & STRUCTURES	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANTS, CLAIMS	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0
MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL OPERATING	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0

CAPITAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
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REVENUE FUND SOURCE:	0	0	0	0	0	0
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FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0
FEDERAL FUNDS	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER FUND SOURCE	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPORARY	0	0	0	0	0	0

Estimate of current year impact: None

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)
See attached.

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Division: Pioneers' Benefits Date: February 21, 1992

Approved by Commissioner: Nancy Bear Usura NBUC
Agency: Administration Date: 2/21/92

Distribution (by preparer): Legislative Fin., Legislative Sponsor, Requestor, OMB/DBR, Gov. Legis. Ofc., & Impacted Agency(ies).

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There are approximately 29 nursing home residents over 65 years of age who are fully private pay. This estimate was arrived from a telephone survey of private long-term care facilities during December 1991.

The above calculation does not include residents of the skilled nursing sections of the Pioneers' Homes or the Sourdough Unit at Harborview, Valdez.

The effect of this bill on Medicaid/hold harmless provisions is not addressed in above calculations.

29 residents at \$3000 a year = \$87.000 for FY 93

Assumes effective date July 1, 1992.

SENATE BILL NO. 413

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY SENATORS DUNCAN, Craft, Uehling

Introduced: 2/18/92
 Referred: STA, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to longevity bonus payments for certain nursing home residents; and
 2 providing for an effective date."

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

4 * Section 1. AS 47.45.070(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) An unqualified person is one who

6 (1) does not meet the age or residence requirements as provided for under this
 7 chapter;

8 (2) meets the age and residence requirements of this chapter but either is confined
 9 in a state or federal mental health institution or facility and is certified by the state as unable to
 10 manage personal affairs, or resides in a nursing home as that term is defined in AS 08.70.180
 11 unless the cost of the nursing home is paid for entirely with money from private sources;
 12 however, if that person, at the time of commitment or commencement of residence, provided the
 13 principal support of a spouse, the commissioner of administration may determine to pay the
 14 confined person's bonus to the person's spouse until the spouse is qualified for a bonus;

1 (3) is otherwise qualified but confined in a penal or correctional institution or
2 facility; upon completion of sentence or upon the conferral of a pardon, parole, or probation, the
3 person may make application; confinement outside the state shall be considered as residence in
4 the state if a person was convicted and sentenced from a court in Alaska; revocation of parole
5 or probation shall be cause for immediate disqualification until release from confinement is again
6 effected;

7 (4) voluntarily leaves the state and remains absent from the state for a continuous
8 period of more than 90 days.

9 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect July 1, 1992.