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SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

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SENATE FINANCE
COMMITTEE

DATE: 3/29/01

FURTHER:

DATE TURNED
IN TO OFFICE: 6 April 2001

Finance Committee considered HOUSE BILL NO. 118
SENIOR CITIZEN/VETERAN PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION

"An Act relating to a mandatory exemption from municipal taxes on certain residences; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends:

- be replaced with _____ CS _____ (_____)
- adopt previous _____ CS _____ (_____)
- attached amendment(s)
- adopt Letter of Intent by _____ Committee
- further referral to _____ Committee

- Senate Bill:**
 same title
 new title
- House Bill:**
 same title
 technical title
 new: SCR # _____

NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department	Date	Fiscal	Zero	FN#

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department	Date	Fiscal	Zero	FN#

APPROPRIATION - no fiscal note

SIGNATURES AND RECOMMENDATIONS:	DO PASS	DO NOT PASS	NO REC	AMEND
<i>Allen C. ...</i>	✓			
<i>Donald ...</i>	X		✓	
<i>...</i>			✓	
<i>...</i>			✓	
<i>...</i>			✓	
COCHAIR: <i>...</i>			✓	
COCHAIR: <i>...</i>	✓			

FISCAL NOTE

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STATE OF ALASKA
2001 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Fiscal Note Number: 1
Bill Version: HB 118
(H) Publish Date: 2/23/01

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): 02/16/2001 3:30p.m.
Title: Senior citizen/veteran property tax exemption

Dept. Affected: DCED
BRU: Community Asst.&Econ.Dev.
Component: Community & Business Development
Component Number: 2486

Sponsor: Representative Whitaker
Requester: House CRA

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Personal Services						
Travel						
Contractual						
Supplies						
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ()						
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FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type)						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2001) cost: 0.0

Check this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2002 budget proposal:

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)
This bill provides for a mandatory exemption from municipal taxes on certain residences. This legislation would have no fiscal impact on the department.

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Agency: Department of Community & Economic Development

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SPONSOR STATEMENT HB 118

Section 29.45.030(e) of Alaska statutes mandates an exemption from municipal property taxes for Alaska's senior citizens, disabled veterans, and widows and widowers who are at least 60 years of age.

While municipalities may allow a one time only filing for a non-senior residential property tax exemption, current Alaska statute requires the recipient of the senior citizen, disabled veteran and widow and widower's exemption to file an application each year in order to qualify. This mandate poses an undue hardship for many of Alaska's citizens; the old and the infirm; who are the least able to comply with a yearly filing requirement.

HB 118 allows each taxing municipality the authority to establish, by ordinance, local procedures for accepting applications for this exemption.

SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 2/27/01

FURTHER: Finance

DATE TURNED
IN TO OFFICE: 3-28-01

Community and Regional Affairs Committee considered HOUSE BILL NO. 118

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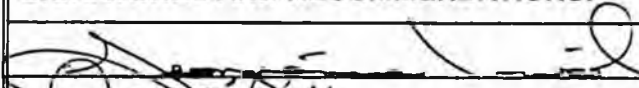
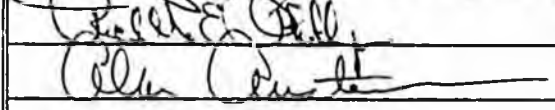
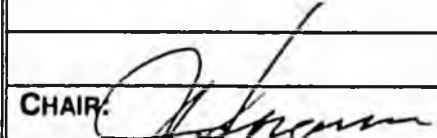
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	✓			
CHAIR: 	✓			