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2 SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 24

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to public education in the unorganized
7 borough; and providing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 14.08.010 - 14.08.170 are repealed.

10 * Sec. 2. AS 14.93 is amended by adding new sections to read:

11 CHAPTER 8. EDUCATION IN THE UNORGANIZED BOROUGH [ALASKA
12 STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL SYSTEM]

13 Sec. 14.08.011. PURPOSE. (a) It is the purpose of this chapter to
14 provide for public education in the unorganized borough and the military
15 reservations in the state.

16 (b) Nothing in this chapter prohibits an organized borough, city,
17 village, community or settlement in an unorganized area of the state from
18 becoming part of or being formed into an organized political subdivision
19 authorized under AS 29.

20 Sec. 14.08.021. AUTHORITY. The legislature delegates to school
21 boards for each regional educational attendance area the authority to
22 operate the public schools in those areas in accordance with the provi-
23 sions of this chapter, subject to the provisions of this title and the
24 regulations promulgated under it that apply to all school districts in
25 the state.

26 Sec. 14.08.031. REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL ATTENDANCE AREAS. (a) The
27 Department of Education in consultation with the Department of Community
28 and Regional Affairs and local communities shall divide the unorganized
29 borough into regional educational attendance areas.

1 (b) Military reservation schools shall be included in a regional
2 educational attendance area. However, operation of military reservation
3 schools by a city or borough school district may be required by the
4 department under AS 14.12.020(a) and AS 14.14.110.

5 (c) U. S. Bureau of Indian Affairs schools may be included in a
6 regional educational attendance area.

7 (d) School boards for the regional educational attendance areas
8 established under sec. 41 of this chapter shall begin operation of the
9 schools in the region under their control on a date mutually agreed upon
10 by the board and the commissioner, but not later than July 1, 1976.

11 Sec. 14.03.041. REGIONAL SCHOOL BOARDS. (a) A regional education-
12 al attendance area shall be operated on an areawide basis under the
13 management and control of a regional school board.

14 (b) The qualified voters in each regional educational attendance
15 area shall elect a regional school board of not less than five nor more
16 than eleven members to be elected for the same term, in the same manner
17 and with the same qualifications as a city or borough school district
18 board under ch. 12 of this title. The initial number of regional school
19 board members shall be determined by the department in consultation with
20 the local communities in the regional educational attendance areas.
21 However, the qualified voters in a regional educational attendance area
22 may increase or decrease the number of regional school board members
23 established under this section by placing the question on the ballot at
24 a regular school board election in the manner prescribed by law. A
25 change in the number of school board members shall not be effective
26 until the next following regular school board election.

27 (c) A regional school board shall consist of five, seven, nine or
28 11 members.

29 (d) Regional school board members shall be elected at large by the

1 qualified voters of the entire regional educational attendance area.
2 However, each seat on the school board shall be designated by letter or
3 number, and a candidate for regional school board must indicate the seat
4 for which he is a candidate on his declaration of candidacy or other
5 nomination papers when he files for office.

6 (e) A vacancy on a regional school board shall be filled in ac-
7 cordance with AS 14.12.070.

8 Sec. 14.08.051. SCHOOL BOARD SECTIONS. (a) The commissioner in
9 consultation with the Department of Community and Regional Affairs and
10 the local communities may divide a regional educational attendance area
11 into sections for the purpose of nominating and electing regional
12 school board members. If a regional educational attendance area is
13 divided into sections each school board member shall represent, as
14 nearly as practicable, an equal number of persons. The basis for the
15 division of a regional educational attendance area into sections shall
16 be the total population of the area as reported in the most recent de-
17 cennial federal census. If the census is five years old or older, then
18 other reliable population data, including but not limited to population
19 estimates based on public school enrollments, public utility connections,
20 registered voters or certified employment payrolls, shall be used as the
21 basis for the division of the area into sections. Each section within
22 a regional educational attendance area shall consist of compact, con-
23 tiguous territory and, insofar as practicable, each section shall contain
24 a relatively integrated socio-economic, linguistically and culturally
25 homogeneous area. In the division of the regional school attendance
26 area into sections, consideration shall be given to the transportation
27 and communication network to facilitate the administration of education
28 and communication between communities that comprise the area. Whenever
29 possible, municipalities, other governmental or regional corporate en-

1 titles, drainage basins and other identifiable geographic features shall
2 be used in describing the boundaries of the sections.

3 (b) The division of a regional educational attendance area into
4 sections, or subsequent recasting of the section boundaries, may be pro-
5 posed by the regional school board or by a petition containing signatures
6 of qualified voters in the area equal to 15 per cent of the total vote
7 cast in the most recent regional school board election. The division of
8 the area into sections, or subsequent recasting of section boundaries,
9 is subject to approval by a majority of the qualified voters voting on
10 the questions in the regional educational attendance area at the next
11 regular school board election or a special election called for that
12 purpose.

13 (c) If a regional educational attendance area has been divided
14 into sections, the commissioner shall recast the boundaries of the
15 sections within 90 days following the official reporting of the de-
16 cennial federal census in accordance with (a) of this section.

17 (d) Multi-member sections may be created. However

18 (1) the commissioner shall designate each seat within a
19 multi-member section by letter or number, and a candidate for regional
20 school board within that section must indicate the seat for which he is
21 a candidate on his declaration of candidacy or other nomination papers
22 when he files for office; and

23 (2) no section may be represented by more than

24 (A) three members, if a board consists of five members;

25 (B) four members, if a board consists of seven members;

26 (C) five members, if a board consists of nine members;

27 or

28 (D) six members, if a board consists of 11 members.

29 (e) If a regional educational attendance area has been divided

1 into sections, board members shall be residents of the section from
2 which they are elected, but they shall be elected by the qualified
3 voters of the entire regional educational attendance area.

4 Sec. 14.08.061. TERM OF OFFICE. (a) Members elected to a regional
5 school board shall serve staggered three-year terms. However,

6 (1) the term of office of all of the members of a regional
7 school board elected from the same multi-member section may not expire
8 at the same time; and

9 (2) for the first board elected, the term of office of each
10 member shall be determined by lot, according to the following schedule:

11 (A) the members of the first five-member school board
12 shall hold office for terms as follows: one member for a one-year
13 term; two for a two-year term and two for a three-year term;

14 (B) the members of the first seven-member school board
15 hold office for terms as follows: two members for a one-year term,
16 two for a two-year term and three for a three-year term;

17 (C) the members of the first nine-member school board
18 hold office for terms as follows: three for a one-year term; three
19 for a two-year term and three for a three-year term;

20 (D) the members of the first 11-member school board hold
21 office for terms as follows: three for a one-year term, four for a
22 two-year term and four for a three-year term.

23 (b) If a regional educational attendance area is divided into
24 sections under sec. 51 of this chapter where the school board formerly
25 was elected at large, or if the number of regional school board members
26 is increased or decreased by the qualified voters in the regional educa-
27 tional attendance area under sec. 41(b) of this chapter, then the term
28 of office of all members of the existing board shall terminate on the
29 date on which the new board members take office, and the provisions of

1 (a) of this section are applicable to the determination of the terms of
2 office of the new members of the regional school boards.

3 Sec. 14.08.071. ELECTIONS. (a) In each regional educational
4 attendance area in the unorganized borough, the lieutenant governor,
5 within 60 days of the effective date of this section, shall provide for
6 the election of a regional school board.

7 (b) Except for the first election of regional school board members
8 under (a) of this section, election shall be held annually on the first
9 Tuesday in October at the time of regular municipal elections under
10 AS 29.28.020. Elections shall be supervised by the director of elections
11 in the office of the lieutenant governor, but shall be administered with-
12 in second class cities as part of the regular municipal election. The
13 lieutenant governor shall promulgate regulations for the conduct of the
14 election of regional school board members comparable, insofar as practi-
15 cable, to those prescribed for election of school board members under
16 ch. 12 of this title and AS 29.28.

17 (c) The cost of each regional school board election, or recall
18 election under sec. 81 of this chapter, shall be borne by the state.

19 Sec. 14.08.081. RECALL. The members of a regional school board
20 are subject to recall in accordance with AS 29.28.130 - 29.28.250, except
21 that the commissioner of education shall perform the functions of a
22 municipal clerk, and the state Board of Education shall perform the
23 functions of the assembly or council under those sections.

24 Sec. 14.08.091. TRANSITION. The state Board of Education shall
25 act as the regional school board for those schools in the unorganized
26 borough and or military reservation that are not within a regional edu-
27 cational attendance area which has been established and become opera-
28 tional under sec. 31 of this chapter. While acting as the regional
29 school board for those schools, the state board may exercise the powers

1 of a regional school board under sec. 111 of this chapter and is subject
2 to the same duties as a regional school board under sec. 121 of this
3 chapter.

4 Sec. 14.08.101. ADMINISTRATION. (a) The regional school boards
5 shall be organized in accordance with AS 14.14.070, and, before taking
6 office, each school board member shall take and sign the oath or affir-
7 mation prescribed by AS 14.12.090.

8 (b) The officer of the board responsible for the custody of re-
9 gional educational attendance area funds shall execute a bond of \$50,000
10 with the commissioner.

11 Sec. 14.08.111. POWERS. A regional school board may;

12 (1) sue and be sued;

13 (2) contract and be contracted with, including contracting
14 with the department, the Bureau of Indian Affairs, or any other school
15 district, agency, or regional board for the provision of services, faci-
16 lities, supplies or utilities;

17 (3) determine its own policies and procedures for the purchase
18 of supplies and equipment, separate from the state purchasing system;

19 (4) appoint, compensate and otherwise control all school em-
20 ployees in accordance with this title; these employees are not subject
21 to the state personnel Act (AS 39.25);

22 (5) adopt regulations governing organization, policies and
23 procedures for the operation of the schools;

24 (6) establish maintain, operate, discontinue and combine
25 schools subject to the approval of the commissioner;

26 (7) recommend to the commissioner a school construction and
27 rehabilitation program based on an evaluation of the condition of exist-
28 ing school facilities and a determination of the requirements for new
29 school construction, rehabilitation or other upgrading of school facili-

1 ties; and

2 (8) exercise those other functions that may be necessary for
3 the proper performance of its responsibilities.

4 Sec. 14.08.121. DUTIES. A regional school board shall:

5 (1) provide, during the school term of each year, an educa-
6 tional program for each school age child who is a resident of the dis-
7 trict;

8 (2) develop a philosophy of education, principles and goals
9 for its schools;

10 (3) employ a chief school administrator and approve the em-
11 ployment of the professional administrators, teachers and non-certifi-
12 cated personnel necessary to operate its schools;

13 (4) establish the salaries to be paid its employees;

14 (5) designate the employees authorized to direct disbursements
15 from the school funds of the board;

16 (6) submit the reports prescribed for all school districts;

17 (7) provide for an annual audit in accordance with AS 14.14.-
18 050; and,

19 (8) provide custodial services and routine maintenance of
20 school buildings and facilities.

21 Sec. 14.08.131. FUNDING. (a) The legislature shall fund the oper-
22 ational costs of the regional educational attendance area schools in the
23 following manner:

24 (1) the amount of basic need as defined in AS 14.17.021(b);

25 and

26 (2) an additional amount equal to the average locally produced
27 revenues per pupil in average daily membership (ADM) in the city and
28 borough school districts in the prior fiscal year.

29 (b) Funds for the operation of the regional educational attendance
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1 area schools shall be appropriated annually to the Department of Educa-
2 tion for distribution to the regional school boards in the manner pre-
3 scribed in AS 14.17.160 - 14.17.180.

4 Sec. 14.08.141. CONFLICT OF INTEREST; DISQUALIFICATION FROM VOTING.
5 A board member having a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in a con-
6 tract for erection of buildings, heating, ventilation, furnishing or
7 repairing the buildings or in a contract for the furnishing of supplies
8 for a regional school is disqualified from voting on any question in-
9 volving his pecuniary interest unless the member has disclosed that
10 interest to the board and the remaining members have approved the mem-
11 ber's participation in the voting.

12 Sec. 14.08.151. REGIONAL RESOURCE CENTERS. A regional educational
13 attendance area or any other school district in the state may participate
14 in regional or statewide resource centers which may be established by the
15 department. Services provided by a resource center include, but are not
16 limited to accounting and fiscal services, media services, instructional
17 support services, inservice and staff development services, student
18 services, diagnostic services, school management and training services
19 and school board member training. Funds for the operation and adminis-
20 tration of a regional resource center shall be provided by the Depart-
21 ment of Education.

22 * Sec. 3. AS 14.12.010 is amended to read:

23 Sec. 14.12.010. DISTRICTS OF STATE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM. The
24 districts of the state public school system are as follows:

25 (1) each first [, SECOND, AND THIRD] class city in the un-
26 organized borough is a city school district;

27 (2) each organized borough is a borough school district;

28 (3) the area outside organized boroughs and outside first [,
29 SECOND AND THIRD] class cities is divided into regional educational

1 attendance areas [THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL DISTRICT].

2 * Sec. 4. AS 14.12.020(a) is repealed and re-enacted to read:

3 (a) Each regional educational attendance area shall be operated on
4 an areawide basis under the management and control of a regional school
5 board. The regional school board manages and controls schools on mili-
6 tary reservations within its regional educational attendance area until
7 the military mission is terminated or so long as management and control
8 by the regional educational attendance area is approved by the department.
9 However, operation of the military reservation schools by a city or
10 borough school district may be required by the department under AS 14.-
11 14.110. If the military mission of a military reservation terminates or
12 continued management and control by the regional educational attendance
13 area is disapproved by the department, operation, management and control
14 of schools on the military reservation transfers to the city or borough
15 school district in which the military reservation is located.

16 * Sec. 5. AS 14.12.020(c) is amended to read:

17 (c) The legislature shall provide the state money necessary to
18 maintain and operate the regional educational attendance areas [STATE-
19 OPERATED SCHOOL DISTRICT]. The borough assembly for a borough school
20 district, and the city council for a city school district, shall provide
21 the money which must be raised from local sources to maintain and operate
22 the district.

23 * Sec. 6. AS 14.14.170 is amended to read:

24 Sec. 14.14.170. COMMUNITY [ADVISORY] SCHOOL COMMITTEES [BOARDS].

25 (a) There may be [IS] established a community [AN ADVISORY] school
26 committee [BOARD] in each community or military reservation served by a
27 school operated by a regional educational attendance area [THE STATE OR
28 BY A CITY OR BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT BY CONTRACT WITH THE STATE]. If
29 the regional educational attendance area [STATE-OPERATED] school has an

1 average daily membership of less than 251 pupils, the community [ADVI-
2 SORY] school committee [BOARD] consists of three members. If the average
3 daily membership is more than 250 pupils, the community [ADVISORY]
4 school committee [BOARD] consists of five members.

5 [(b) VOTERS QUALIFIED UNDER SEC. 180 OF THIS CHAPTER, AT AN ELEC-
6 TION, MAY CREATE AN ON-BASE ADVISORY SCHOOL BOARD WHICH SHALL BE ADVISORY
7 TO THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT OPERATES THE ON-BASE
8 SCHOOLS. THE DATE OF ELECTION FOR ON-BASE ADVISORY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS,
9 WHERE THE SCHOOLS ARE OPERATED BY A CITY OR BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT BY
10 CONTRACT, SHALL BE THE SAME AS THAT FOR THE REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION IN
11 THE CONTRACTING CITY OR BOROUGH.]

12 (c) In communities qualifying for three-member community [ADVISORY]
13 school committees [BOARDS] under (a) of this section, voters qualified
14 under sec. 180 of this chapter may increase the committee [BOARD] to five
15 members by referendum conducted at an election coinciding with an elec-
16 tion for community [ADVISORY] school committee [BOARD] members. In
17 communities qualifying for five-member community [ADVISORY] school
18 ccmittees [BOARDS] under (a) of this section, voters qualified under
19 sec. 180 of this chapter may increase the committee [BOARD] to seven
20 members by referendum conducted at an election coinciding with an elec-
21 tion for community [ADVISORY] school committee [BOARD] members.

22 (d) The date of election for community [ADVISORY] school committee
23 [BOARD] members is the same as that for regular municipal elections in
24 the second class city having the largest population in the area served by
25 the committee [BOARD] or, if there is no second class city within the
26 area, on an annual election date for such elections fixed by regulations
27 [REGULATION] of the department [BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR STATE-OPERATED
28 SCHOOLS].

29 (e) Elections under (c) and (d) of this section shall be conducted

1 upon such notice and otherwise substantially in the same manner as
2 regular municipal elections which are held within the largest second
3 class city in the area served by the committee [BOARD]. If there is no
4 second class city within the area, elections shall be conducted upon at
5 least 10 days published or posted public notice of the election and of
6 the question or nominees to be voted on and under general rules for the
7 elections as may be promulgated by regulation of the department [BOARD
8 OF DIRECTORS FOR STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS]. Elections relating to
9 community [ADVISORY] school committees [BOARDS] shall be supervised by
10 the regional school board [DIRECTOR OF STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS] but shall
11 be administered within second class cities as part of the regular muni-
12 cipal election.

13 (f) Elected members of community [ADVISORY] school committees
14 [BOARDS] are subject to recall in accordance with the provisions of
15 AS 29.28.130 - 29.28.250, except that the chief school administrator of
16 a regional educational attendance area [DIRECTOR OF STATE-OPERATED
17 SCHOOLS] shall perform the functions of the municipal clerk, and the
18 regional school board [BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS]
19 shall perform the functions of the assembly or council under those
20 sections.

21 * Sec. 7. AS 14.14.180 is amended to read:

22 Sec. 14.14.180. QUALIFICATIONS OF COMMUNITY [ADVISORY] SCHOOL
23 COMMITTEE [BOARD] MEMBERS AND VOTERS. (a) A person may vote at an
24 election for community [ADVISORY] school committee [BOARD] members and
25 may be elected to membership on a community [AN ADVISORY] school
26 committee [BOARD] who

- 27 (1) is a citizen of the United States;
28 (2) has passed his 18th birthday;
29 (3) is an inhabitant of the area served by the school for at

1 least 30 days preceding the election.

2 (b) Election to a community [AN ADVISORY] school committee [BOARD]
3 is not an election to a civil office of this state.

4 * Sec. 8. AS 14.14.190 is amended to read:

5 Sec. 14.14.190. TERMS OF OFFICE AND VACANCY. (a) The terms of
6 the initial members of a three-member community [ADVISORY] school com-
7 mittee [BOARD] are one, two, and three years, respectively, and [EACH]
8 until a successor takes office. Thereafter, members shall be elected to
9 terms of three years and until a successor takes office.

10 (b) Of the initial members of a community [AN ADVISORY] school
11 committee [BOARD] which consists of five members, one member is elected
12 for a one-year term, two members for a two-year term, and two members for
13 a three-year term, and [EACH] until a successor takes office. There-
14 after, all members are elected to terms of three years and until a
15 successor takes office.

16 (c) If a three-member community [ADVISORY] school committee [BOARD]
17 is increased to a five-member committee [ADVISORY SCHOOL BOARD], the two
18 additional members are elected for terms of two years and three years
19 respectively. Thereafter, all members are elected to three-year terms.
20 If a five-member committee [ADVISORY SCHOOL BOARD] is increased to a
21 seven-member committee [ADVISORY SCHOOL BOARD], the two additional
22 members are elected for terms of two years and three years respectively.
23 Thereafter, all members are elected to three-year terms and until a
24 successor takes office.

25 (d) Vacancies on community [ADVISORY] school committees [BOARDS]
26 will be filled by the remaining members until the next regular election.
27 At that time an election will be held for the remaining portion of the
28 term.

29 * Sec. 9. AS 14.14.200 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

1 Sec. 14.14.200. DUTIES. A community school committee shall advise
2 and assist the regional school board for the regional educational atten-
3 dance area in which it is located through the local official administer-
4 ing the school and shall do so in the manner the regional school board
5 prescribes by regulation..

6 * Sec. 10. AS 14.14.310 is amended to read:

7 Sec. 14.14.310. DEFINITIONS. In secs. 250 - 310 of this chapter

8 (1) "board" means the governing body of a borough, [OR] city
9 or regional educational attendance area [SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR THE BOARD
10 OF DIRECTORS FOR THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS];

11 (2) "district" means a borough, [OR] city or regional educa-
12 tional attendance area [SCHOOL DISTRICT OR THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL
13 SYSTEM].

14 * Sec. 11. AS 14.17.051 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

15 Sec. 14.17.051. INSTRUCTIONAL UNIT ALLOTMENT. (a) The instruc-
16 tional unit allotment for each school district or regional educational
17 attendance area is as follows:

18 (1) if the district or area is in that part of the state
19 lying within the boundaries of election district 1, 4 or 8, the district
20 or area shall receive the base instructional allotment;

21 (2) if the district or area is in that part of the state
22 lying within the boundaries of election district 2, 3 or 7, the district
23 or area shall receive 104 per cent of the base instructional unit allot-
24 ment;

25 (3) if the district or area is in that part of the state
26 lying within the boundaries of election district 5, 9, 10 or 11, the
27 district or area shall receive 108 per cent of the base instructional
28 unit allotment;

29 (4) if the district or area is in that part of the state

1 lying within the boundaries of election district 16, south of the Arctic
2 Circle, the district or area shall receive 112 per cent of the base
3 instructional unit allotment;

4 (5) if the district or area is in that part of the state
5 lying within the boundaries of election district 6, the district or area
6 shall receive 116 per cent of the base instructional unit allotment;

7 (6) if the district or area is in that part of the state
8 lying within the boundaries of election district 12, 13 or 18, the
9 district or area shall receive 128 per cent of the base instructional
10 unit allotment;

11 (7) if the district or area is in that part of the state
12 lying within the boundaries of election district 14 or 19, the district
13 or area shall receive 132 per cent of the base instructional unit allot-
14 ment;

15 (8) if the district or area is in that part of the state
16 lying within the boundaries of election district 15, 16 (north of the
17 Arctic Circle), or 17, the district or area shall receive 136 per cent
18 of the base instructional unit allotment.

19 (b) The instructional unit allotment established in (a) of this
20 section for any school district or regional educational attendance area
21 which does not have access to Anchorage, Ketchikan or Fairbanks by road,
22 railroad or ferry shall be increased an additional five per cent above
23 its instructional unit allotment under (a)(1) - (8) of this section.

24 (c) For the purposes of this section, a school district or regional
25 educational attendance area is considered to be located in the election
26 district in which its administrative offices are located. However, if a
27 school district or a regional educational attendance area operating a
28 school in a remote area is authorized by the commissioner to calculate
29 the number of units to which that school is entitled under sec. 31(c) of

1 this chapter the commissioner may consider that school to lie in the
2 election district in which it is actually located.

3 (d) For the purposes of this section "election district" means an
4 election district designated in the governor's proclamation of reappor-
5 tionment and redistricting of December 7, 1961, and retained as to the
6 House of Representatives by the governor's proclamation of September 3,
7 1965.

8 * Sec. 12. AS 14.17.210 is amended to read:

9 Sec. 14.17.210. STATE AID TO NEWLY ESTABLISHED DISTRICT SCHOOLS.

10 (a) A regional educational attendance area [STATE] school which becomes
11 a city or borough district school is considered a regional educational
12 attendance area [STATE] school for purposes of financial support until
13 the expiration of a complete fiscal year after the date on which the
14 school becomes a city or borough district school. This subsection does
15 not prevent a local government from spending money to contribute to the
16 financial support of a regional educational attendance area [STATE]
17 school which becomes a city or borough district school.

18 (b) For each subsequent fiscal year, the state shall disburse to
19 the city or borough school district only the money to which the district
20 is entitled under the public school foundation program.

21 [(c) IN THIS SECTION

22 (1) "STATE SCHOOL" MEANS A SCHOOL OPERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT
23 OF EDUCATION OR STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL SYSTEM AND ENTIRELY FINANCED BY
24 STATE MONEY; AND

25 (2) "DISTRICT SCHOOL" MEANS A SCHOOL WHICH COMES UNDER THE
26 JURISDICTION OF A DISTRICT.]

27 * Sec. 13. AS 14.17.250(3) is amended to read:

28 (3) "district" means any city or borough school district [,
29 BUT DOES NOT INCLUDE SCHOOLS IN THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL DISTRICT];

1 * Sec. 14. AS 14.20.175(a) is amended to read:

2 (a) A teacher who has not acquired tenure rights is subject to
3 nonretention for the school year following the expiration of his contract
4 for any cause which the employer determines to be adequate. However, at
5 his request, the teacher is entitled to a written statement of the cause
6 for his nonretention. The boards of city, borough and regional educa-
7 tional attendance areas [BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR STATE SCHOOLS, AND THE
8 DISTRICTS FOR DISTRICT SCHOOLS,] shall provide by regulation or bylaw a
9 procedure under which a nonretained teacher may, at his request, be
10 heard informally by [A PANEL CONSISTING OF THE COMMISSIONER AND TWO OR
11 MORE BOARD MEMBERS IN THE CASE OF STATE SCHOOLS, AND BY] the [LOCAL
12 SCHOOL] board [IN THE CASE OF A DISTRICT SCHOOL].

13 * Sec. 15. AS 14.20.180(b) is amended to read:

14 (b) The tenure teacher may, within 15 days immediately following
15 receipt of the notification, notify the employer in writing that he
16 requests a hearing before the school board [, OR IF THE TENURE TEACHER
17 IS EMPLOYED BY THE STATE, BEFORE AN APPEAL PANEL CONSISTING OF THE
18 DIRECTOR AND TWO MEMBERS OF THE BOARD]. The tenure teacher may require
19 in the notification that

- 20 (1) the hearing be either public or private,
21 (2) the hearing be under oath or affirmation,
22 (3) he have the right of cross-examination,
23 (4) he be represented by counsel,
24 (5) he have the right to subpoena a person who has made alle-
25 gations which are used as a basis for the decision of the employer.

26 * Sec. 16. AS 14.20.180(c) is amended to read:

27 (c) Upon receipt of the notification requesting a hearing, the
28 employer shall immediately arrange for a hearing, and shall notify the
29 tenure teacher or administrator in writing of the date, time, and place

1 of the hearing. A written transcript, tape, or similar recording of the
2 proceedings shall be kept. Transcribed copies shall be furnished to the
3 tenure teacher for cost upon his request. A final decision of the school
4 board [OR THE APPEAL PANEL] requires a majority vote of the membership.
5 The vote shall be by roll call. The final decision shall be written and
6 contain specific findings of fact and conclusions of law. A written
7 notification of the decision shall be furnished to the tenure teacher
8 within 10 days of the date of the decision.

9 * Sec. 17. AS 14.20.205 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 14.20.205. JUDICIAL REVIEW. If a school board [OR APPEAL
11 PANEL] reaches a decision unfavorable to a teacher, the teacher is en-
12 titled to a de novo trial in the superior court. However, a teacher who
13 has not attained tenure rights is not entitled to judicial review ac-
14 cording to this section.

15 * Sec. 18. AS 14.20.207(2) is amended to read:

16 (2) "employer" means the school board or superintendent which
17 appoints the teacher [OR, IN THE CASE OF A TEACHER IN THE STATE-OPERATED
18 SCHOOLS, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS];

19 * Sec. 19. AS 14.20.230 is amended to read:

20 Sec. 14.20.230. ADMINISTRATORS' SALARIES. School boards of city,
21 borough and regional educational attendance areas [DISTRICT SCHOOLS AND
22 THE BOARD OF THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS] shall pay a qualified school
23 administrator a salary not less than the allowable amount for his posi-
24 tion on the teachers' scale provided in sec. 220(a) - (c) of this chapter,
25 plus

26 (1) 25 per cent for the chief school administrator of a
27 district with an average daily membership of 500 or more;

28 (2) 20 per cent for the chief school administrator of a
29 district with an ADM of less than 500;

- 1 (3) 15 per cent for a principal or other administrator;
- 2 (4) 10 per cent for an assistant principal.

3 * Sec. 20. AS 14.20.550 is amended to read:

4 Sec. 14.20.550. NEGOTIATION WITH CERTIFICATED EMPLOYEES. Each
5 city, borough and regional school board [, AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
6 FOR THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS,] shall negotiate with its certificated
7 employees in good faith on matters pertaining to their employment and
8 the fulfillment of their professional duties.

9 * Sec. 21. AS 14.20 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 14.20.555. OPTIONAL COORDINATED EMPLOYEE NEGOTIATIONS. (a)
11 Negotiations between the employees of any or all city, borough or re-
12 gional educational attendance areas and the respective district or area
13 boards may, by mutual agreement of the boards and the employee groups
14 involved, be conducted by one team representing all the certificated
15 employees, one team representing all the certificated administrative
16 personnel if they have joined together to negotiate independently as
17 provided in AS 14.20.560(f), and one team representing all the partici-
18 pating school boards.

19 (b) Each team shall consist of as many members as there are parti-
20 cipating school districts. However, each negotiating team shall consist
21 of not less than five members.

22 (c) Once negotiations have begun no district or employee group may
23 withdraw from the negotiations, and the contract resulting from the
24 coordinated negotiations shall be binding upon all participating boards
25 and employees.

26 * Sec. 22. AS 14.30.186(b) is amended to read:

27 (b) The board of a regional educational attendance area [STATE-
28 OPERATED SCHOOLS] shall provide for special services in a school in the
29 area [STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL DISTRICT] for exceptional children repre-

1 sented by not less than five children residing in the area served by the
2 school.

3 * Sec. 23. AS 14.30.186(d) is amended to read:

4 (d) A school district [OR A STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL] required by
5 secs. 10 - 305 of this chapter to provide special services for excep-
6 tional children may cooperate with one or more school districts [OR
7 STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS] in providing special classes. If, under the
8 cooperative agreement, there are no special classes offered within a
9 school district [OR STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL], exceptional children may
10 attend special classes in the cooperating school district [OR STATE-
11 OPERATED SCHOOL] providing the special classes.

12 * Sec. 24. AS 14.30.260 is amended to read:

13 Sec. 14.30.260. EXCEPTION TO QUALIFICATIONS. The school board for
14 a district or regional educational attendance area [, OR THE BOARD OF
15 DIRECTORS FOR A SCHOOL IN THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL DISTRICT IN WHICH
16 SPECIAL SERVICES ARE PROVIDED FOR,] may waive part of the qualifications
17 for teachers as set out in sec. 250 of this chapter, if necessary,
18 during the first school year special services are offered in the dis-
19 trict or area [OR IN THE SCHOOL IN THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL DISTRICT].

20 * Sec. 25. AS 14.30 is amended by adding new sections to read:

21 ARTICLE 4. BILINGUAL-BICULTURAL EDUCATION.

22 Sec. 14.30.400. BILINGUAL-BICULTURAL EDUCATION. City or borough
23 district school boards and regional educational attendance area boards
24 shall provide a bilingual-bicultural education program for each school
25 in a city or borough school district or regional educational attendance
26 area which is attended by at least 10 pupils of limited English-speaking
27 ability and whose primary language is other than English. A bilingual-
28 bicultural education program shall be provided under a plan of service
29 which has been developed in accordance with regulations adopted by the

1 department. Nothing in this section precludes a bilingual-bicultural
2 education program from being provided for less than 10 pupils in a
3 school.

4 Sec. 14.30.410. BILINGUAL-BICULTURAL EDUCATION FUND. (a) There
5 is in the Department of Education a bilingual-bicultural education fund
6 which is an account in the general fund to receive money appropriated by
7 the legislature for bilingual-bicultural education and to be used for
8 bilingual-bicultural education program implementation and operation.

9 (b) The department shall adopt regulations for the determination
10 of entitlement and the distribution of bilingual-bicultural funds to
11 city and borough school districts and regional educational attendance
12 areas.

13 * Sec. 26. AS 14.33.010 is amended to read:

14 Sec. 14.33.010. REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOL SAFETY PATROLS. The
15 [BOARD OF THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS, FOR THE BENEFIT OF SCHOOLS IN THE
16 STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR THE] school board of a borough or
17 city school district or regional educational attendance area, or a
18 private or denominational school may require that school safety patrols
19 be established to assist pupils to cross streets and highways adjacent
20 to schools in safety.

21 * Sec. 27. AS 14.33.020(a) is amended to read:

22 (a) If [THE STATE DIRECTOR,] a school board, or a private or de-
23 nominational school determines that a safety patrol should be established
24 for a school, the principal of the school shall appoint pupils in the
25 school to serve as members of the patrol.

26 * Sec. 28. AS 14.60.010(5) is amended to read:

27 (5) "governing body" means the school board of a borough or
28 city school district or a regional educational attendance area [THE
29 BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL DISTRICT];

1 * Sec. 29. AS 14.60.010(6) is amended to read:

2 (6) "school board" means the school board of a borough or
3 city school district or a regional educational attendance area [THE
4 BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE STATE-OPERATED SCHOOL DISTRICT];

5 * Sec. 30. AS 14.60.010(7) and (8) are repealed.

6 * Sec. 31. AS 14.60.010 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

7 (10) "regional educational attendance area" means a portion
8 of the unorganized borough, that may or may not include a military
9 reservation, and which contains one or more public schools of grade
10 levels K-12 or any portion of those grade levels which are to be operated
11 under the management and control of a single regional school board.

12 * Sec. 32. AS 29.33.050 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

13 Sec. 29.33.050. EDUCATION. Each borough constitutes a borough
14 school district and establishes, maintains, and operates a system of
15 public schools on an areawide basis as provided in AS 14.14.060. A
16 military reservation within an organized borough is not part of the
17 borough school district until the military mission is terminated or until
18 inclusion in the borough school district is approved by the Department of
19 Education. However, operation of the military reservation schools by
20 the borough school district may be required by the Department of Educa-
21 tion under AS 14.14.110. If the military mission of a military reserva-
22 tion terminates or continued management and control by a regional educa-
23 tional attendance area is disapproved by the Department of Education,
24 operation, management and control of schools on military reservations
25 transfers to the borough school district in which the military reserva-
26 tion is located.

27 * Sec. 33. AS 29.41.010(a) is repealed and re-enacted to read:

28 (a) A third class borough shall exercise the areawide powers of
29 education and tax assessment and collection in the manner provided for

1 second class boroughs. Provisions of law relative to first and second
2 class organized boroughs apply with respect to third class boroughs only
3 to the extent they are consistent with this chapter. A military reserva-
4 tion within an organized borough is not part of the borough school
5 district until the military mission is terminated or until inclusion in
6 the borough school district is approved by the Department of Education.
7 However, operation of the military reservation schools by the borough
8 school district may be required by the Department of Education under
9 AS 14.14.110. If the military mission of a military reservation termi-
10 nates or continued management and control by a regional educational at-
11 tendance area is disapproved by the Department of Education, operation,
12 management and control of schools on military reservations transfers to
13 the borough school district in which the military reservation is located.

14 * Sec. 34. AS 39.05.060(a)(8) is repealed.

15 * Sec. 35. AS 39.25.110(8) is amended to read:

16 (8) certificated teachers and noncertificated employees
17 employed by the state or a regional educational attendance area to teach
18 in, administer or operate schools operated by the state or by a regional
19 educational attendance area;

20 * Sec. 36. (a) The property and assets of the state-operated schools are
21 transferred to the Department of Education for redistribution to the regional
22 educational attendance areas in the manner the department determines. The
23 debts of the state-operated schools shall be assumed by the general fund of
24 the state. All litigation, hearings, investigations and other proceedings
25 pending under a law amended for functions which may be transferred by this
26 Act, continue in effect and may be continued and completed notwithstanding a
27 transfer or amendment provided for in this Act. Certificates, orders, rules
28 or regulations issued or filed under authority of a law amended by this Act
29 or functions which may be transferred by this Act, remain in effect for the

1 term issued, unless revoked, vacated, or otherwise modified under the provi-
2 sions of this Act. All contracts or other obligations created by a law
3 amended by this Act or by virtue of functions which may be transferred by
4 this Act, and in effect on the effective date of this Act, remain in effect
5 unless revoked or modified under the provisions of this Act. All contracts
6 for the provision of utilities services to the schools of the State-Operated
7 School System shall be assumed and continued by the respective regional
8 educational attendance areas.

9 (b) All state and federal funds appropriated to the state-operated
10 school system are transferred to the department for distribution to the
11 regional educational attendance areas.

12 * Sec. 37. Insofar as practicable, the boundaries of the regional educa-
13 tional attendance areas established under AS 14.08.031, as enacted by sec. 2
14 of this Act, shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the administrative
15 regions of the state-operated schools as they existed on the effective date
16 of this Act.

17 * Sec. 38. (a) All teachers, as defined in AS 14.20.207(1), in the com-
18 munities or regional offices served by the State-Operated School System on
19 the effective date of this Act and who have been retained for the 1975-76
20 school year are subject to the provisions of AS 14.20.147.

21 (b) All permanent non-certificated employees of the State-Operated
22 School System in the communities and regional offices who are state employees
23 on the effective date of this Act and who have been retained for the 1975-76
24 school year are entitled to continued employment in their current positions.

25 (c) The Department of Education shall assist the certificated and
26 permanent non-certificated employees in the central office of the State-
27 Operated School System on the effective date of this Act in finding positions
28 for which they are qualified.

29 * Sec. 39. AS 14.08.031, 14.08.051 and 14.08.071, as enacted by sec. 2 of

1 this Act take effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.070(c). AS 14.-
2 08.011 - 14.08.021, 14.08.041, 14.08.061, and 14.08.081 - 14.08.151, as
3 enacted by sec. 2 of this Act and secs. 1 and 3 - 38 of this Act take effect
4 July 1, 1975.

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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY SWANSON

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 24

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to public education in the unorganized
7 borough; and providing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 14.08.010 - 14.08.170 are repealed.

10 * Sec. 2. AS 14.08 is amended by adding new sections to read:

11 CHAPTER 8. ALASKA STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS [SCHOOL SYSTEM].

12 Sec. 14.08.011. PURPOSE. (a) It is the purpose of this chapter
13 to provide for public education in the unorganized borough.

14 (b) Nothing in this chapter prohibits an organized borough, city,
15 village, community or settlement in an unorganized area of the state
16 from becoming part of or being formed into an organized political sub-
17 division authorized under AS 29.

18 Sec. 14.08.021. GOVERNANCE. The state Board of Education organized
19 under AS 14.07.075 is the board of directors of the Alaska state-operated
20 schools.

21 Sec. 14.08.031. AUTHORITY. The board has exclusive management and
22 control of all state-operated school matters associated with the state's
23 program of education at the elementary and secondary levels subject to
24 the state laws and the regulations promulgated by the board.

25 Sec. 14.08.041. ADMINISTRATION. (a) There is in the Department
26 of Education a division of state-operated schools. The director of the
27 division of state-operated schools is the chief school administrator of
28 the state-operated school district. The director shall be appointed by
29 the commissioner and serve at his pleasure, subject to the approval of

1 the board. The director shall appoint assistant directors, supervisors,
2 professional and nonprofessional staff in the manner prescribed by state
3 law or by regulation promulgated by the board.

4 (b) The director shall insure that the programs and policies of the
5 board and of the commissioner are faithfully discharged.

6 (c) The principal offices for the administration of the state-
7 operated schools shall be located at a site prescribed by the board.

8 Sec. 14.08.051. POWERS AND DUTIES. (a) The state Board of Educa-
9 tion, as the board of directors for the state-operated schools, has the
10 same powers and duties as a city or borough school district under chs.
11 12 and 14 of this title.

12 (b) In addition, the board shall

13 (1) develop a philosophy of education, principles, and goals
14 for the state-operated schools;

15 (2) approve the employment of the professional administrators,
16 teachers, and nonprofessional administrative personnel necessary to the
17 operation of the state-operated schools;

18 (3) establish the salaries to be paid the director and its
19 regularly employed, certificated staff members;

20 (4) promulgate regulations governing organization, policies,
21 and procedures, and make printed copies available to all personnel;

22 (5) initiate questions of policy for consideration and report
23 by the director, and pass upon the recommendations of the director in
24 matters of policy, appointment or dismissal of employees, salary schedules
25 or personnel regulations, and other matters pertaining to the welfare of
26 the schools;

27 (6) require reports from the director concerning conditions of
28 efficiency and needs of the schools, and take steps to appraise the
29 effectiveness with which the schools are achieving the educational

purposes of the schools;

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2 (7) submit an annual budget to the governor for inclusion in
3 the state budget under the Executive Budget Act (AS 37.07);

4 (8) before October 1 of each year, cause the school accounts
5 for the year ending the preceding June to be audited by a certified
6 accountant, and immediately afterwards file a certified copy of the
7 audit report with the commissioner;

8 (9) designate the administrative employees authorized to
9 direct disbursements from the school funds of the board;

10 (10) submit the reports prescribed for all school districts;

11 (11) establish, maintain, operate, discontinue, and combine
12 state-operated schools where it considers necessary;

13 (12) provide for the construction, purchase, rental, mainten-
14 ance, and equipment of the necessary school buildings or classrooms for
15 the state-operated schools;

16 (13) pay tuition and boarding or transportation costs of
17 secondary school students in cases in which the establishment of state-
18 operated secondary schools is unsound for economic or educational reasons.

19 Sec. 14.08.061. CONFLICT OF INTEREST; DISQUALIFICATION FROM VOTING.
20 A board member having direct or indirect pecuniary interest in a contract
21 for erection of buildings, heating, ventilation, furnishing or repairing
22 the buildings, or in a contract for the furnishing of supplies, for a
23 state-operated school is disqualified from voting on any question involv-
24 ing his pecuniary interest.

25 Sec. 14.08.071. FINANCE. (a) There is created in the Department
26 of Education the state-operated school fund.

27 (b) All funds appropriated by the legislature for the operation of
28 state-operated schools shall be paid by the Department of Administration
29 upon requisition by the director of state-operated schools. These funds

1 shall be made payable to the board and shall be deposited in the state-
2 operated school fund. The amount received may not be transferred to any
3 other fund unless authorized by the board and state law.

4 Sec. 14.08.081. FEDERAL ASSISTANCE. (a) The director is respon-
5 sible for the submission of applications for federal assistance for the
6 unorganized areas through the commissioner of education, who, after
7 reviewing the applications, shall transmit them to the board for approval
8 and, if approved, to the appropriate federal agency.

9 (b) Federal funds and assistance allocated to unorganized areas
10 shall be deposited in the state-operated school fund and may not be
11 transferred to any other fund unless authorized by the board and state
12 law.

13 Sec. 14.08.091. SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR STATE-OPERATED SCHOOLS.
14 The board may

15 (1) order, in advance of the school year for which required,
16 necessary supplies and equipment for the state-operated schools;

17 (2) obligate funds required for these purchases in advance of
18 the fiscal year for which appropriated or authorized.

19 Sec. 14.08.101. BILINGUAL EDUCATION. (a) A state-operated school
20 which is attended by at least 15 pupils whose primary language is other
21 than English shall have at least one teacher who is fluent in the native
22 language of the area where the school is located. Written and other
23 educational materials, when language is a factor, shall be presented
24 in the language native to the area.

25 (b) The board shall promulgate regulations to carry out the
26 purposes of this section.

27 Sec. 14.08.111. BILINGUAL EDUCATION FUND. There is in the Depart-
28 ment of Education a bilingual education fund which is an account in the
29 general fund to receive money appropriated by the legislature for bilingual

1 education and to be used for bilingual education program implementation.

2 Sec. 14.08.121. DEFINITIONS. In this chapter

3 (1) "board" means the state Board of Education acting as the
4 board of directors of the state-operated school district;

5 (2) "commissioner" means the commissioner of education;

6 (3) "department" means the Department of Education;

7 (4) "director" means the director of the division of state-
8 operated schools acting as the chief school administrator for the state-
9 operated school district.

10 * Sec. 3. AS 14.12.010 is amended to read:

11 Sec. 14.12.010. DISTRICTS OF THE STATE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM. The
12 districts of the state public school system are as follows:

13 (1) each first [, SECOND, AND THIRD] class city in the
14 unorganized borough is a city school district;

15 (2) each organized borough is a borough school district;

16 (3) the area outside organized boroughs and outside first
17 [, SECOND, AND THIRD] class cities is the state-operated school district.

18 * Sec. 4. The property and assets of the state-operated schools are
19 transferred to the Department of Education in the manner the department deter-
20 mines. The liabilities of the state-operated schools shall be assumed by the
21 general fund of the state. All litigation, hearings, investigations and other
22 proceedings pending under a law amended or functions which may be transferred
23 by this Act, continue in effect and may be continued and completed notwith-
24 standing a transfer or amendment provided for in this Act. Certificates,
25 orders, rules or regulations issued or filed under authority of a law amended
26 by this Act or functions which may be transferred by this Act, remain in
27 effect for the term issued, unless revoked, vacated, or otherwise modified
28 under the provisions of this Act. All contracts or other obligations created
29 by a law amended by this Act or by virtue of functions which may be transferred

1 by this Act, and in effect on the effective date of this Act, remain in effect
2 unless revoked, or modified under the provisions of this Act.

3 * Sec. 5. This Act takes effect July 1, 1975.
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STATE OF ALASKA
THE LEGISLATURE

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LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS AGENCY

April 15, 1975

MEMORANDUM

TO: Representative Hugh Malone, Chairman
House Finance Committee

FROM: Stuart C. Hall, ^{SCA} Legislative Counsel

SUBJECT: Amendments to CSSSHB 24 (public education in the unorganized borough)

Consideration of a series of amendments to the above legislation that would decentralize the State-Operated School System and reorganize it into regional educational attendance areas is recommended. In some instances, specific language has been prepared to take care of particular problems in the legislation pending before you ; in other instances, the committee should consider the policy question involved, and then specific language to carry out its policy decision will be drafted.

I.

Administration of elections. The Director of Elections, Mrs. Patty Ann Polley, points out that as presently conceived the three-year term for regional school board members will complicate the administration of elections by the state during the regular (even-numbered) election year because the bill would require the Lieutenant Governor's Office to administer a school election, on the first Tuesday in October, which is midway between the Primary and the General Elections. No problem exists in the "off" (odd-numbered) year.

There appear to be two options:

(1) Change the three-year staggered terms for regional school board members to four-year staggered terms and hold the election for regional school board members in the odd-numbered, "off" election years only. This option has the advantage of removing the administrative complication of another state-administered election in the midst of the approximately 60-day period between the Primary and General Elections. However, for some years in Alaska, elective municipal officers, including school board members, have been elected to three-year terms. If this legislation is viewed as creating a framework of local government that is a transition to municipal status, the four-year term would conflict with the long-standing Alaska practice at the local level of three-year terms.

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(2) Shift the date of the election from the first Tuesday in October to the date of the Primary Election (the fourth Tuesday in August) with any run-off that might be required to be held on the date of the General Election (the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November), at least in the regular election year. While this would solve the administrative problem the bill as presently written creates, some might object that non-partisan school elections should not be held in conjunction with elections for partisan office because of possible confusion of issues, etc.

Any action taken by the committee on this issue would require amendment(s) to either or both the "term of office" and "election" provisions of the bill, pages 5 and 6, et seq., and section 40 on page 26 of the bill relating to the end of the initial term of office of regional school board members.

II.

The Department of Education and Representative Swanson, the original sponsor of the bill, are recommending for your consideration the following amendment that would permit the state Board of Education to designate the incumbent Board of Directors of the State-Operated Schools as an advisory board to the Board of Education and as a board of control for the administration of the regional educational attendance area schools for the one-year transition period between July 1, 1975 and June 30, 1976.

On page 26, between lines 18 and 19, insert:

"* Sec. 41. The state Board of Education may designate the members of the Board of Directors of the State-Operated Schools, who are incumbents on the effective date of this Act, as an advisory board to the state Board of Education and as a board of control for the administration of the regional educational attendance area schools during the one-year transition period between July 1, 1975 and June 30, 1976, inclusive, under AS 14.08.031(e) and 14.08.091, as enacted by sec. 2 of this Act. The state Board of Education may fill any vacancies that may occur among the membership of the Board of Directors during this period. The members of the Board of Directors are entitled to travel expenses and per diem as provided by law for members of other boards and commissions."

Re-number bill sections accordingly and make such other technical changes in the bill as may be required.

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III.

Below are a series of non-substantive, technical amendments required by this bill in order to conform the bill to other provisions of law, clarify certain language, eliminate redundancies and other drafting errors in the bill that emerged from the Health, Education and Social Services Committee.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 29, strike out "regional".

On page 1, strike out "attendance", and insert: "service"

On page 2, line 1, after "(b)", insert:

"An educational service area established in the unorganized borough under (a) of this section constitutes a regional educational attendance area."

Comment: Both the Alaska Constitution (art. X, secs. 5 and 6) and AS 29.03.020 provide only for the division of the unorganized borough into "service areas," not regional educational attendance areas. Consequently, it is necessary to take the initial step of dividing the unorganized borough into educational service areas, then designating them as "regional educational attendance areas." A service area can be given any reasonable nomenclature, but the constitution and statutes provide the legal steps that must be taken in organizing them. The 1961 opinion of the Attorney General (No. 24) has been examined, and counsel believes that the tests it establishes for the formation of service areas in the unorganized borough have been met in this bill.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 12, strike out "following".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, line 22, correct the spelling of the word "establishment".

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 7, the language of lines 13 - 21, inclusive, should be transferred to temporary law; inasmuch as this transition provision is applicable only for a one-year period, it should not be codified. The same is true for the language on page 2, lines 22 - 25, proposed AS 14.08.031(e).

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AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 8, line 7, after "system;", insert:

"the regional school boards are exempt from the Fiscal Procedures Act (AS 37.05);"

On page 10, line 6, strike out "and", and insert:

", payroll and other"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 15, line 20, strike out ", [OR]", and insert: "or"

On page 15, strike out line 21, and insert:

"school district or regional educational attendance area
[, OR THE BOARD]"

On page 18, line 13, after "city", strike out the comma, and insert: "and"; and, after "borough", insert: "school districts"

On page 19, line 27, after "city", strike out the comma, and insert: "and"; and in line 28, after "borough", insert: "school districts"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 20, line 19, strike out "area", and insert: "regional school"

On page 20, line 23, after "participating", insert: "regional"

On page 20, line 26, strike out the first "area", and insert: "school"

On page 20, line 26, strike out the second "area".

On page 20, line 27, strike out "adopted".

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 21, line 14, strike out "[OR A", and insert:

"or a regional educational attendance area ["

On page 21, lines 16 and 17, strike out "[OR", and insert:

"or regional educational attendance areas ["

April 15, 1975

On page 21, line 19, strike out "[OR", and insert:

"or regional educational attendance areas ["

On page 21, line 20, strike out "[OR", insert:

"or regional educational attendance areas ["

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 23, lines 17 and 18, strike out "a portion of", and insert:

"an educational service area in"

On page 25, lines 22 and 23, strike out "state-operated school system", and insert: "State-Operated School System".

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 26, line 20, strike out "in", and insert:

", as enacted by"

On page 26, line 22, strike out "14.08.151 in", and insert:

"14.08.161, as enacted by"

On page 26, line 23, after the first "Act", insert a comma.

SCH:pmk

cc: Representative Swanson

FISCAL NOTE

First Session - Ninth Legislature

I. REQUEST

Bill No. CSSSHB #24
 Title: Relating to public education in the unorganized boroughs
 Requested by: House Finance Date: April 7, 1975
 Return Date Requested: ASAP
 Agency: Education Program: Financial Support Programs

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Pupil Transportation/Public Foundation
 Program/ Unorganized borough/ Unorganized
 Budget Request Unit(s) Affected: Borough tuition/Bilingual/Bicultural funds

A. EXPENDITURES: (Thousands of dollars)

OBJECT	FY 75	FY 76	FY 77	FY 78	FY 79	FY 80
100 PERSONAL SERVICES						
200 TRAVEL						
300 CONTRACTUAL						
400 COMMODITIES						
500 EQUIPMENT						
600 LAND & STRUCTURES						
700 * GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.		493.1	397.9	3,691.4	5,718.6	6,301.8
TOTAL		493.1	397.9	3,691.4	5,718.6	6,301.8

B. FUNDING: (Thousands of dollars)

**GENERAL FUND P.L 81-874		493.1	397.9	3,691.4	4,718.6	6,301.8
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						

C. POSITIONS:

PERMANENT/TEMPORARY	/	/	/	/	/	/
MAN MONTHS (P./T.)	/	/	/	/	/	/

III. ANALYSIS (See Fiscal Note Preparation Instructions, Section III)

*See attached Analysis

**The Department can make no projections concerning future status of PL 81-874 since the Commissioner of the U. S. Office of Education has not made a final decision concerning termination of preferential rates. See attached correspondence.

IV. ATTACHMENTS

V. DATE: 4/15/75 PREPARED BY: William A. Thomas

Original: Legislative Finance
 cc: Budget and Management
 Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)

August 29, 1974

T. H. Bell, Commissioner
U. S. Office of Education
Department of Health & Welfare
Washington, D. C. 20202

Dear Commissioner Bell:

This letter is in reference to your recent decision regarding the P.L. 874 rate for the Unorganized Borough in Alaska.

I am extremely disappointed that representatives of the State of Alaska State-Operated Schools System or the Department of Education were not invited to participate or to present arguments during the deliberations leading to your decision to discontinue the preferential rate in Alaska. Dr. Cole of my office specifically requested of Mr. Thomas of your office that prior to any decision being made by the Office of Education on this matter, the State be given an opportunity to appear before the U. S. Commissioner. We regret that this opportunity was not provided.

It appears that the major rationale for your decision to change the rate structure for Alaska State-Operated Schools was the idea that the economic position of Alaska is considerably better than it has been in past years. This is simply not true. While the construction of the Alaska pipeline and the possible future revenues from the oil may greatly enhance the State's economic status, the economic picture in Alaska simply is not good at this time. I am enclosing a copy of a revenue projection prepared by our Department of Revenue in February, 1974; this projection shows the State operating at a deficit prior to any appreciable revenues from oil.

There are several other extenuating circumstances which I believe you omitted or failed to take into consideration when making your decision. In view of this, I respectfully request an opportunity to appear before you, along with representatives from my staff, the State-Operated School System, Commissioner Rockefeller from Region X and appropriate staff members from his office, and possibly other officials from the State of Alaska to present pertinent information and arguments which I feel will convince you that the decision to eliminate the preferential rate, particularly at this time, was in error.

August 29, 1974

I believe the provisions of Public Law 81-874 provide for a hearing with the U. S. Commissioner of Education prior to any final determination of a change in this rate structure. I respectfully request an opportunity for that hearing as provided under the statute. I would appreciate your scheduling this hearing at our earliest mutually convenient time. The week of October 7 would be most convenient for me.

I am looking forward to an early reply to my request.

Sincerely,

Marshall L. Lind
Commissioner of Education

Enclosure

MLL:sb

cc: Stanley Friese, Director
Alaska State-Operated School System

W. Phillip Rockefeller
Regional Commissioner
Region X

Office of the Governor

Allan F. Apodoca
Region X

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A		B	C
ASOSS GOV. Budget FY 76 General Fund		Non-Formula Revenues All Sources	CSSSHB #24
Tuition		1,241.5	
Pupil Transportation		653.2	
Basic Instruction	14,781.1	-0-	
Food Service	2,409.2	421.4	
Building Maintenance	2,003.5	-0-	26,374.0 (1)
Building Operations	6,894.4	295.7	
Regional Admin. & Support	960.0	-0-	
Bilingual		770.2	
Supplemental Programs		2,550.0	
Exceptional Children	367.7	1,199.7	
Correspondence Study	542.9	-0-	542.9 (2)
Contingency			<u>1,000.0</u>
Sub-Total	<u>27,958.8</u>	<u>7,131.7</u>	27,916.9
+ Col. B	<u>7,131.7</u>		<u>7,131.7</u>
Total	\$35,090.5		\$35,048.6

Column A is the Governor's General Fund budget allowance for Alaska State Operated School System for FY 76.

Column B represents Program and Inter-agency revenues which the regional school attendance area would receive whether they remained under ASOSS or CSSSHB #24.

Column C represents CSSSHB #24

- (1) Sec. 14.08.131 & Sec. 14.17.051 (See attached for by school summary)
- (2) Contingency is for distribution to meet unusual costs associated with rural food service programs, Alaska Village Electrical Cooperative and Village Safe Water Facilities.

REPRESENTATIVE SCHOOL PROFILE

Bethel CSSSHB #24

Enrollment: 1202

Instructional Units: 89

Formula: A) Instructional Units x Unit value x instructional unit allotment

$$89 \times 23,500 \times 130 = 2,718,950$$

B) ADM x Average locally produced revenues

$$1202 \times \$400 = 480,800$$

Basic Support	A) +	2,718,950
	B)	<u>480,800</u>
Other Revenues		2,199,750
Pupil Transportation		32,526
P. L. 89-313 Exceptional Children		
133 students x \$650 per student		86,500
Indian Education		
928 Students x \$123 per student		114,100
*Title I (est.)		400,000

*Dependent upon election district allocation, number of economically deprived children and number of schools in election district participating in State Title I allocation--range is from \$100,000 to \$468,000.

**Bilingual

State	192,100
Federal	274,700

** Assume 50% of Native children in ASOSS in need of Bilingual Education

5189 ÷ 2 = 2,595 Students

State GF FY 76 ASOSS Bilingual 538.0 per student \$207

Federal FY 76 ASOSS Bilingual 770.2 per student \$297

Bethel 928 Native students x \$207 = \$297

Other receipts

Teacher housing rentals)) est.	<u>150,000</u>
School Lunch program)		

GRAND TOTAL 4,449,700
Per pupil Revenue $4,449.7 \div 1202 = \$3,702$

RURAL

Elem.	Enroll. Sec.	Enroll. Total	Inst. Units Inc. Voc. Ed. & Sp. Ed.	Preliminary Basic Need	Inst. Unit Allotment	Col. 6 X Col. 7	Inst. Unit Allot. 10% SP#35 Sec. 11(b)	Total Found. Supp. Col. 8 X 9	Ave. Local Produced Revenue Per ADM @ \$1.00 X ADM	Grand Total Col. 10 + 12
13	2	15	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	6,000	69,168
-0-	70	70	7	164,500	132	217,140	105	227,997	28,000	255,997
-0-	11	11	2	47,000	104	48,880	-0-	48,880	4,400	53,280
17	15	32	4	54,000	128	120,320	105	126,336	12,800	139,136
12	-0-	12	4	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	4,800	67,968
33	12	45	6	141,000	136	191,760	105	201,348	18,000	219,348
53	-0-	53	5	117,500	136	159,800	105	167,790	21,200	188,990
76	72	148	12	282,000	136	383,520	105	402,696	59,200	461,896
68	47	115	11	258,500	104	268,840	105	282,282	46,000	328,282
47	42	89	9	211,500	136	287,640	105	302,022	35,600	337,622
71	-0-	71	6	141,000	-0-	141,000	105	148,050	28,400	176,450
17	6	23	3	70,500	136	95,880	105	100,674	9,200	109,874
27	4	31	3	70,500	136	95,880	105	100,674	13,400	114,074
8	5	13	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	5,200	68,368
46	-0-	46	4	94,000	132	124,080	105	130,284	18,400	148,684
11	4	15	2	470,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	6,000	69,168
586	616	1,202	89	2,091,500	132	2,760,780	105	2,898,819	480,800	3,379,619
11	2	13	2	47,000	136	63,920	105	67,116	5,200	72,316
8	-0-	8	1	23,500	112	26,320	105	27,636	3,200	30,836
10	2	12	2	47,000	136	63,920	105	67,116	4,800	71,916
37	-0-	37	4	94,000	136	127,840	105	134,232	14,800	149,032
18	8	26	3	70,500	136	95,880	105	100,674	10,400	111,074
23	9	32	4	94,000	-0-	94,000	105	98,700	12,500	111,200
17	-0-	17	2	47,000	136	63,920	105	67,116	6,800	73,916
15	2	17	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	6,800	69,968
12	5	17	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	6,800	69,968
22	4	26	3	70,500	128	90,240	105	94,752	10,400	105,152
25	8	33	4	94,000	116	109,040	-0-	109,040	13,200	122,240
27	14	41	5	117,500	136	159,800	105	167,790	16,400	184,190
11	2	13	2	47,000	112	52,640	105	55,272	5,200	60,472
13	5	18	2	47,000	128	60,168	105	63,168	7,200	70,368
26	5	31	3	70,500	-0-	70,500	105	74,025	12,400	86,425
22	9	31	4	94,000	128	120,320	105	126,336	12,400	138,736

Enroll. Elem.	Enroll. Sec.	Total Enrollment	Inst. Unit Inc. & Sp. Ed.	Preliminary Voc. Ed. Col. 5 x 23,500	Inst. Unit Allotment SB#35 Sec. 11(a)	Col. 6 X Col. 7	Inst. Unit Allot. 105% SB#35 Sec. 11(b)	Total Found. Supp. Col. 8 x 9	Ave. Local Produced Revenue per ADM @ \$400 x ADM	Grand Total Col. 10 + 12	
Copper Center	50	11	61	7	164,500	116	190,820	-0-	190,820	24,400	215,220
Council	/	-0-	/	1	23,500	128	30,000	105	31,554	2,800	34,354
Cracked Creek	33	7	40	5	117,500	136	159,800	105	167,790	16,000	183,790
Deering	17	7	24	3	70,500	136	95,820	105	100,674	9,600	110,274
Delta Junction	196	267	463	35	822,500	112	921,200	-0-	921,200	185,200	1,106,400
Dot Lake	13	5	18	2	47,000	112	52,640	-0-	52,640	7,200	59,840
Eagle	29	8	37	4	94,000	112	105,280	105	110,544	14,800	125,344
Egegik	17	10	27	4	94,000	128	120,320	105	126,336	10,800	137,136
Ekwok	23	7	30	3	70,500	128	90,240	105	94,752	12,000	106,752
El Capitan	17	2	19	2	47,000	-0-	47,000	105	49,350	7,600	56,950
Elfin Cove	11	-	11	2	47,000	108	50,760	105	53,298	4,400	57,698
Emmonak H.S.	-0-	100	100	9	211,500	132	279,180	105	293,159	40,000	333,159
False Pass	9	2	11	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,268	4,400	67,668
Fort Yukon	98	89	187	17	399,500	136	543,320	105	570,486	74,800	645,286
Fortuna Ledge	38	11	49	6	141,000	132	186,120	105	195,426	19,600	215,026
Gakona	28	3	31	3	70,500	116	81,780	-0-	81,780	12,400	94,180
Gildersleeve	9	4	13	2	47,000	-0-	47,000	105	49,350	5,200	54,550
Glennallen	127	191	318	25	587,500	116	681,500	-0-	681,500	127,200	808,700
Gustavus	11	3	14	2	47,000	108	50,760	105	53,298	5,600	58,898
Holy Cross	48	29	77	9	211,500	136	287,640	105	302,022	30,800	332,822
Hughes	14	5	19	2	47,000	136	63,920	105	67,116	7,600	74,716
Huslia	31	18	49	5	117,500	136	159,800	105	167,790	19,600	187,390
Igloo	8	5	13	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	5,200	68,368
Ivanof Bay	5	3	8	1	23,500	128	30,080	105	31,584	3,200	34,784
Kaltag	45	39	84	9	211,500	136	287,640	105	302,022	33,600	335,622
Kenny Lake	38	49	87	9	211,500	116	245,340	-0-	245,340	34,800	280,140
Kiana H.S.	-0-	7	7	1	23,500	136	31,960	105	33,558	2,900	36,458
Kivalina	47	31	78	9	211,500	136	287,640	105	302,022	31,200	333,222
Kobuk	15	-0-	15	2	47,000	136	63,920	105	67,116	6,000	73,116
Kokhanok Bay	25	6	31	3	70,500	128	90,240	105	94,752	12,400	107,152
Koliganak	30	9	39	4	94,000	128	120,320	105	126,336	15,600	141,936
Kongiganak	20	-0-	80	6	141,000	132	186,120	105	195,426	32,000	227,426
Koyuk	41	-0-	41	4	94,000	128	120,320	105	126,336	16,400	142,736

Locality	Enroll. Sec.		Total Enrollment	Inst. Units		Proficiency Basic Nod	Inst. Unit Allotment		Col. 6 X		Inst. Unit Allot. 105% SB/35 Sec. 11 (b)		Total Found. Supp. Col. 8 x 9		Avg. Local Produced Revenue per ADM @ \$400 x ADM		Grand Total Col. 10 + 12
	Enroll. Sec.	Enroll. Sec.		Inst. Units	Inst. Units		Col. 5 + 7 + 500	Col. 7	Col. 7	Col. 8 x 9	Col. 8 x 9	Col. 10 + 12	Col. 10 + 12				
Fry Brook	22	10	32	5	117,500	136	150,800	105	167,790	12,800	180,590						
Levelock	18	7	25	3	70,500	128	90,240	105	94,752	10,000	104,752						
Linn Village	12	4	16	2	47,000	136	63,920	105	67,116	6,400	73,516						
Manley Hot Springs	7	1	8	1	23,500	136	31,960	105	33,558	3,200	36,758						
Manlyton	68	41	111	11	258,500	178	380,800	105	407,858	40,000	447,858						
McCrath	42	59	101	9	211,500	136	297,640	105	302,022	40,400	342,422						
McCrath Lake	25	2	27	3	70,500	112	78,960	-0-	78,950	10,800	89,750						
Marikakaa	191	185	376	29	681,500	-0-	681,500	105	715,575	150,400	865,975						
Mato	28	31	59	6	141,000	136	191,760	105	201,348	23,600	224,948						
Mr. Village H.S.	-0-	90	90	8	188,000	132	248,160	105	260,508	36,000	296,508						
Nakari Bay	9	1	10	2	47,000	-0-	47,000	105	49,350	4,000	53,350						
Nelson Lagoon	8	3	11	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	4,400	67,568						
Nehalen	28	14	42	5	117,500	128	150,400	105	157,920	16,800	174,720						
New Kisaan	9	-	9	-0-	23,500	128	23,500	105	24,675	3,600	28,275						
New Suwabahk	58	43	101	10	235,000	128	300,800	105	315,840	40,400	356,240						
Nikahai	18	9	27	3	70,500	136	95,880	105	100,674	10,800	111,474						
Nakakishi	9	1	10	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	4,000	67,168						
Nakak	73	10	83	8	188,000	136	255,680	105	268,464	33,200	301,664						
Nendaton	50	27	77	9	211,500	128	270,720	105	284,256	30,800	315,056						
Norvik	144	51	195	16	376,000	136	511,360	105	536,928	78,000	614,928						
Northway	49	30	79	9	211,500	112	256,880	-0-	236,880	31,600	268,480						
Nulato	63	94	157	20	470,000	136	639,200	105	671,160	62,500	733,660						
Oftsenakale	11	6	17	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	6,500	69,668						
Paxson	13	6	19	2	47,000	116	54,520	-0-	54,520	5,200	59,720						
Pedre Bay	6	5	11	2	47,000	123	60,180	105	63,189	4,400	67,589						
Perryville	22	5	27	3	70,500	128	80,240	105	84,752	10,800	95,552						
Piet Point	14	1	15	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	6,000	69,168						
Pitka's Point	26	3	29	3	70,500	132	93,060	105	97,713	11,600	109,313						
Platman	13	4	17	2	47,000	128	60,160	105	63,168	6,800	69,968						
Pett Alice	10	3	13	2	47,000	-0-	47,000	105	49,350	5,200	54,550						
Pett Reiden	14	7	21	3	70,500	128	90,240	105	94,752	8,400	103,152						
Rampart	13	2	15	2	47,000	112	52,640	105	55,272	6,000	61,272						
Red Devil	7	3	10	2	47,000	136	67,920	105	71,116	4,000	75,116						
Roosevelt Harbor	12	1	13	2	47,000	104	48,880	105	51,324	5,200	56,524						

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	Enroll. Elem.	Enroll. Sec.	Total Enrollment	Instr. Units Inc. Voc. Ed. & Sp. Ed.	Preliminary Basic Need Col. 5 x 23,500	Instr. Unit Allotment SB#35 Sec. 11(a)	Col. 6 X Col. 7	SB#35 Sec. 11(b)	Total Found. Supp. Col. 8 x 9	Ave. Local Produced Revenue per ADM @ \$400 x ADM	Grand Total Col. 10 + 12
Rowan Bay	8	3	11	2	47,000	104	48,880	105	51,324	4,400	55,724
Ruby	24	29	53	6	141,000	176	191,760	105	201,148	21,200	222,348
Russian Mission	22	7	29	4	94,000	136	127,840	105	134,232	11,600	145,832
St. George Island	30	10	40	5	117,500	128	150,400	105	157,920	16,000	173,920
St. John's Harbor	8	3	11	2	47,000	104	48,880	105	51,324	4,400	55,724
St. Paul Island	89	51	140	14	329,000	128	421,120	105	442,176	56,000	498,176
Sand Point	84	57	141	13	305,500	128	391,040	105	410,592	56,400	466,992
Shakan Bay	10	2	12	2	47,000	-0-	47,000	105	49,350	4,800	54,150
Shishmaref	91	-0-	91	7	164,500	128	210,560	105	221,098	36,400	257,498
Shungnak	52	1	53	5	117,500	136	159,800	105	167,790	21,200	188,990
Sleetmute	25	6	31	3	70,500	136	95,880	105	100,674	12,400	113,074
Stevens Village	9	5	14	2	47,000	112	52,640	105	55,272	5,600	60,872
Stony River	12	6	18	2	47,000	136	63,920	105	67,116	7,200	74,316
Takotna	8	-	8	1	23,500	136	31,960	105	33,558	3,200	36,758
Tanana	66	94	160	14	329,000	136	447,440	105	469,812	64,000	533,812
Tatitlek	8	3	11	2	47,000	116	54,520	105	57,246	4,400	61,646
Teller	40	-0-	40	4	94,000	128	120,320	105	126,336	16,000	142,336
Thorne Bay	58	43	101	10	235,000	-0-	235,000	105	246,750	40,400	287,150
Togiak	82	53	135	13	305,500	128	391,040	105	410,592	54,000	464,592
Toiv	119	84	203	18	423,000	112	473,760	-0-	473,760	81,200	554,960
Tri Valley	93	69	162	15	352,500	136	479,400	105	503,370	64,800	568,170
Tuxekan	8	3	11	2	47,000	-0-	47,000	105	49,350	4,400	53,750
Twin Hills	23	7	30	3	70,500	128	90,240	105	94,752	12,000	106,752
Wales	22	-0-	22	3	70,500	128	90,240	105	94,752	8,800	103,552
White Mountain	21	-0-	21	3	70,500	128	90,240	105	94,752	8,400	103,152
Whale Pass	21	12	33	5	117,500	-0-	117,500	105	123,375	13,200	136,575
Whittier	21	17	38	5	117,500	116	136,300	-0-	136,300	15,200	151,500
Winds Camp	10	-0-	10	2	47,000	112	52,640	-0-	52,640	4,000	56,640
Telida	8	-	8	1	23,500	136	31,960	105	33,558	3,200	36,758
Rural Schools	4,706	3,229	7,935	773	18,165,500		22,600,000		23,751,732	3,174,000	26,374,000**

* Columns 6 & 7 adjusted to reflect change in CS HB #24 Instructional unit allotment
 Sec. 14.17.051 (weighted IUA 124.25)
 Column 8 & 9 eliminated from HB #24 computation

** 600.0 added to computation for Special Ed. & Vocational Ed. units, since ASOS5 does not currently have such units identified.

CSSSHB #24

Six Regional Centers located at:

Anchorage*
Juneau*
Fairbanks
Nome
Dillingham
Bethel

*Will be staffed from existing ASOSS & DOE staff.

Regional Center could perform the following functions:

- Provide:
1. Assistance in individual diagnosis, prescription or programming.
 2. Dissemination of new materials and techniques.
 3. Coordination of State and other agencies in the area.
 4. School Board training
 5. Bilingual/Bicultural
 6. Elections Process
 - a. Service area and section determination
 - b. Election costs

The Juneau Resource Center in addition to serving Southeastern Alaska could provide the following coordination and dissemination functions:

- Provide:
1. Assistance in school management procedures. (New districts)
 2. Satellite communications planning
 3. Coordinate information about students
 4. Provide centralized accounting capability
 5. Federal program's program proposal review and evaluation
 6. Federal program's on-site review (evaluation)
 7. In-service training of Regional Resource Center personnel
 8. Vocational and special education plans of service process
 9. Distribution of Assets and Liabilities.

The attached budgets are constructed to perform the following functions:

- *1. School Board training
2. Elections process
3. Coordination of State and other agencies in the area

The other functions identified above could be performed by the regional resource centers, if the school districts desire to purchase these services.

*See Attachment IV

BUDGETS

	<u>Nome</u>	<u>Bethel</u>	<u>Fairbanks</u>	<u>Dillingham</u>
<u>100 Personal Services</u>				
Ed. Administrator I 21A	30,180	31,296	26,040	30,180
Research Ass't. 10A	13,416	13,932	11,796	13,416
Clerk Typist III 8A	<u>11,796</u>	<u>12,192</u>	<u>10,404</u>	<u>11,796</u>
Salaries	55,392	57,420	48,240	55,392
20 Benefits	<u>11,078</u>	<u>11,484</u>	<u>9,648</u>	<u>11,078</u>
Total Personal Services	66,470	68,904	57,888	66,470
<u>200 Travel</u>				
In-state	<u>8,000</u>	<u>8,000</u>	<u>8,000</u>	<u>8,000</u>
Total Travel	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000
<u>300 Contractual Services</u>				
Communications	6,500	6,500	6,500	6,500
Printing	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Rents	9,600	9,600	9,600	9,600
Freight, etc.	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>
Total Contractual	27,100	27,100	27,100	27,100
<u>400 Commodities</u>	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500
<u>500 Equipment</u>	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Grand Total	<u>105,070</u>	<u>107,504</u>	<u>96,488</u>	<u>105,070</u>

Grand total all centers
\$414,132

Bilingual/Bicultural Education Fund

1. *Estimated total cost	1,000.0
Less ASOSS FY 76 Budget GF	<u>538.0</u>
Total Increase	462.0

1* The extent which City & Borough School districts will implement this Sec. in FY 76 is not known, however, total Bilingual/Bicultural needed to implement is estimated at \$1,000.0.

Attachment IV

The following will be funded from the Governor's FY 76 Budget for ASOSS Central Office (only the reduction of the on-base costs have been verified by ASOSS):

FY 76 Budget	3,448.7
1. Less Reduction for contracted on-base schools	665.9
2. *Less Regional Resource Centers and Sec. 38 (Attachment II)	450.0
3.**Less School Board Training	<u>200.0</u>
Total cost of ASOSS Central Office	\$2,132.8
FY 76 Items Transferred to DOE	200.0

* See attachment #2 It is anticipated that the Regional Resource Centers would become functional and assume a larger role in providing services as the transitional process occurs and the role of the ASOSS Central Office declines. The Department of Education would incur costs in implementing Sec. 38 for the transitional period (est. 35.9).

** School Board training costs included in ASOSS Central Office BRU would be transferred to the Department of Education to train regional attendance area boards.

Election Costs (Sec. 14.08.071)

Assume 15 districts

Election Boards \$48,000

Printing & Advertising 25,000

Total Elections

73.0

A	SUMMARY	B CSSSHB #24	
Governor's Budget ASOSS Rural	\$35,628.5	Attachment I	\$35,048.6
Governor's Budget ASOSS Central for Rural	2,782.8	Attachment III	1,000.0
		Attachment IV	2,132.8
		" "	650.0
Total FY 76	\$38,411.3	Attachment V	<u>73.0</u>
		Total	\$38,904.4

Impact to the State General Fund Col. A - Col B = 493.1

GF/ PL 874 IMPACT SUMMARY

FY 77

* Rural Schools enrollment considered constant
 Correspondence Study treated as constant 25 units \$25,000

1. a)	Instructional Unit Value in FY 77	\$25,000
b)	Average instructional unit allotment	
	794 x \$25,000 x 124.25 =	24,664,022
c)	Average local generated revenue constant	3,174,000
2.	Assume the following Bureau of Indian Affairs elementary schools where ASOSS operates secondary schools/or students attend these secondary programs from nearby villages:	
	120 ISU x \$25,000 x IUA weighted 130.5 =	3,915,000
	ADM 1,173 x \$400 =	469,200
	Sub-total PL 874	<u>4,384,200</u>
3.	Correspondence Study	<u>625,000</u>
	TOTAL FY 77	\$32,847,200

FY 78-80

Assume 1/3 remaining BIA elementary schools elect to join regional attendance areas each year:

FY 78

1. a)	86 units x \$25,000 x average IVA 130.5	2,805,750
b)	1,054 ADM x \$400	<u>421,600</u>
	Sub-total	3,227,350
2.	Rural Schools (constant)	32,847,200
3.	Correspondence Study	<u>625,000</u>
	TOTAL FY 78	\$36,699,550

FY 79

1.	Additional 1/3 BIA elementary schools	3,227,350
2.	Rural Schools (constant)	36,699,550
3.	Correspondence Study	<u>625,000</u>
	TOTAL FY 79	\$40,551,900

FY 80		
1.	Final 1/3 BIA elementary schools	3,227,350
2.	Rural Schools (constant)	40,551,900
3.	Correspondence Study	<u>625,000</u>
TOTAL FY 80		\$44,404,250

*ASOSS Rural Schools Final ADM

1971-72	7,502	pupils in ADM
1972-73	7,494	pupils in ADM
1973-74	7,307	pupils in ADM

Enroll. Elem.	Enroll. Sec.	Total Enrollment	Inst. Units Inc. Voc. Ed. & Sp. Ed.	Preliminary Basic Need Col. 5 x 23,500	Inst. Unit Allotment SB#35 Sec. 11(a)	Col. 6 X Col. 7	Inst. Unit Allot. 105% SB#35 Sec. 11(b)	Total Found. Supp. Col. 8 X 9	Ave. Local Produced Revenue per ADM @ \$400 x ADM	Grand Total Col. 10 + 12
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FEEDER SCHOOLS	960	213	1,173	120	2,820,000		3,854,940	4,047,687	469,200	4,516,887
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FEEDER SCHOOLS FY 77

Election Dist.	Enroll. Elem.	Enroll. Sec.	Total Enrollment	Inst. Units Inc. Voc. Ed. & Sp. Ed.	Preliminary Basic Need Col. 5 x 23,500	Inst. Unit Allotment SB#35 Sec. 11(a)	Col. 6 X Col. 7	Inst. Unit Allot. 105% SB#35 Sec. 11(b)	Total Found. Supp. Col. 8 X 9	Ave. Local Produced Revenue per ADM @ \$400 x ADM	Grand Total Col. 10 + 12
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Chefornak	14	40	9	49	5	117,500	132	155,100	105	162,855	19,600	162,455
Mekoryuk	14	68	18	86	9	211,500	132	279,180	105	293,139	34,400	327,539
Newtok	14	41	6	47	5	117,500	132	155,100	105	162,855	18,600	181,655
Nightmute	14	26	12	38	5	117,500	132	155,100	105	162,855	15,200	178,055
Toksook Bay	14	70	12	82	10	235,000	132	310,200	105	325,710	32,800	358,510
Tununak	14	74	15	89	10	235,000	132	310,200	105	325,710	35,600	361,310
Alakanak	19	126	18	144	13	305,500	132	403,260	105	423,423	57,600	481,023
Sheldon Pt.	19	41	7	48	5	117,500	132	279,180	105	293,139	19,200	312,339
Emonak	19	136	31	167	15	352,500	132	465,300	105	488,565	66,800	555,365
Kotlik	19	69	22	91	10	235,000	132	310,200	105	325,710	36,400	362,110
Mt. Village	19	137	32	169	15	352,500	132	465,300	105	488,565	67,600	556,165
Pilot Station	19	68	10	78	9	211,500	132	279,180	105	293,139	31,200	324,339
Kiana	17	64	21	85	9	211,500	136	287,640	105	302,022	34,000	336,022

TOTAL	960	213	1,173	120	2,820,000		3,854,940	4,047,687	469,200	4,516,887
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FORMULA FUNDING	FY 76	FY 77	FY 78	FY 79	FY 80
	27,916.9	32,847.2	36,699.6	40,551.9	44,404.3
*Resource Centers	450.0	673.9	727.8	786.0	848.9
Bilingual/Bicultural	1,000.0	1,080.0	1,166.0	1,259.3	1,360.0
**School Board Training	200.0	100.0	-0-	-0-	-0-
***ASOSS Central Office	2,132.8	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
****Elections	73.0	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Sub-total GF/874	31,772.7	34,611.1	37,543.4	42,597.2	46,613.2
Other G.F.					
*****Pupil Transportation	653.2	705.2	761.6	882.5	888.3
*****Rural Tuition	1,241.5	1,241.5	1,241.5	1,241.5	1,241.5
Sub-total	1,894.7	1,946.7	2,003.1	2,064.0	2,129.8
Sub-total	33,667.4	36,557.8	39,546.5	44,661.2	48,743.0
*****Inflation 9%			3,559.2	4,019.5	4,386.9
GRAND TOTAL	33,667.4	36,557.8	43,105.7	48,680.7	53,129.9
ASOSS Budget FY 76					
Rural GF/PL 874		30,391.5			
Central Office less 665.9 on-base reduction		<u>2,782.8</u>			
Total GF/PL 874 FY 76		33,174.3			
Total	33,174.3	36,159.9	39,414.3	42,961.6	46,828.1
Net Impact 493.1	493.1	397.9	3,691.4	5,718.6	6,301.8

*Resource Center increase occurs as ASOSS Central Office declines

**School Board training becomes less significant and becomes part of Resource Center function

***Assume ASOSS Central Office eliminated July 1, 1976, PERCY becomes part of St. Library

****Elections considered part of Lieutenant Governor's election costs.

*****Pupil Transportation becomes incorporated with DOE Pupil Transportation

*****Rural Tuition treated as constant--more students served thru local programs will offset any increase

*****Inflation rate projected nationally at 9-10%. Assume 9%

STATE
of ALASKA

MEMORANDUM

TO:

The Honorable Lugh Malone
Chairman
House Finance Committee

DATE : April 24, 1975

FROM:

Lowell Thomas, Jr. *LT*
Lieutenant Governor
Office of the Lieutenant Governor

SUBJECT: CSSS House Bill 24

The CSSS for House Bill 24 provides for the election of regional school boards by the Lieutenant Governor.

Sec. 14.08.071 (a) provides that within 60 days after the establishment of regional attendance area, an election will be held. In some of the regional attendance area, we anticipate a mail problem in sending and receiving petitions for the filings of school board candidates. Language similar to that in AS. 29.28.120 would allow sufficient time for candidates to file and for ballots and supplies to be printed and returned for the election.

SUGGESTED LANGUAGE: Page 6, line 22: after "within" add "not less than" and after "60" add "nor more than" 90.

Sec. 14.08.071 (b) requires the annual election of school board members "on the first Tuesday in October at the time of regular municipal election under AS. 29.28.020". AS. 29.28.020 provides that the regular municipal election will occur on "the first Tuesday of October annually, or on a date of election or at an interval of years provided by ordinance." The Directory of Borough & City Officials published by the Department of Community & Regional Affairs, lists 39 second class cities with municipal elections held at times other than the first Tuesday in October. The Division of Elections recommends that all regional school board elections occur at the same time.

SUGGESTED LANGUAGE; Page 6, lines 27 and 28, delete the following: "at the time of regular municipal elections under AS. 29.28.020".

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Position Paper

Local Control of Schools in the Unorganized Borough

BY

Board of Directors, Alaska State-Operated School System

The Board of Directors of the Alaska State-Operated School System concurs with and endorses the concept of local control of all schools in Alaska. We believe the benefits to the communities are reflected in the history of local control of education in the United States. The schools and curricula must become more responsive to the needs of the communities.

The Board of Directors of ASOSS defines local control as the degree with which local communities assume the responsibility to make decisions regarding their school's operations and programs.

The Board of Directors has reservations concerning several aspects of the current proposed state legislation which would mandate decentralization:

1. We feel the transfer of rural schools to the State Department of Education at this time would result in confusion and endanger any attempt to accomplish local control within the time specified. Therefore, the ASOSS Board of Directors recommends that the legislation be amended to leave operation of the schools with ASOSS during the transition.
2. The Board is concerned that the financial considerations be given the closest scrutiny to insure adequate funding.
3. The Board feels a one year deadline for local control is inadequate. However, it does not wish to increase the time limit to such a degree that it would lessen the urgency of local

control. The intent of the Board is to assist to the fullest extent in providing local control for rural schools within a two year time frame.

The Board is particularly concerned that the move to local control take into consideration the rights and needs of every person involved---the communities, school boards, students, and staff. The Board intends to devote as much time as necessary to consider the wishes, needs and recommendations of the people.

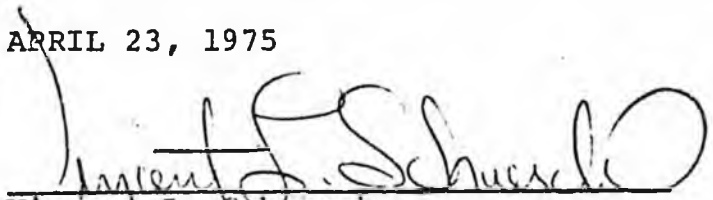
The Board has already taken action to streamline central office operations by reorganization of personnel and services. This reorganization will place the emphasis on those functions which will concentrate on the thrust toward local control.

The Board wishes to assure agencies that it does not intend criticism of past rural school operation as anything more than dissatisfaction with systems. We believe local control of the educational process is an extension of the trend toward self-determination.

The Board also recognizes that the quality of rural education will be largely determined by the urgency and efficiency with which all parties approach local control. The ultimate responsibility must be assumed by each community.

APPROVED BY TELEPHONE POLL OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON

APRIL 23, 1975


Vincent L. Schuerch
Chairman Pro-tem
ASOSS Board of Directors

STATE OF ALASKA

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

JAY S. HAMMOND, Governor

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HB 24*

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May 1, 1975

Honorable Hugh Malone
Chairman, House Finance Committee
Alaska State Legislature
Pouch V
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Attn: Representative Clark Gruening

Dear Representative Malone:

We understand that testimony was provided on HB 193, and indirectly on HB 24, that represented potential reductions from budgets of the Department's of Administration and Law who provide centralized services for the Alaska State-Operated Schools. Data supporting an assumed \$614,000 existing workload was taken from a 1973 State-wide Cost Allocation Plan and consequently is misleading.

The State-wide Cost Allocation Plan is an accounting measurement of indirect costs supporting operating programs. While this is a realistic negotiable plan for allocating central service costs, it is not a mechanism for defining specific reducible costs upon the separation of programs.

The most current plan - actual 1974 - reflects nearly \$200,000 less than what was represented and is scheduled as:

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Costs Allocated to SOS</u>
Department of Administration	
Office of the Commissioner	\$ 15,800
Internal Audit	3,000
+ Personnel	115,200
Budget and Management	27,200
Finance -	
Director/Gen. Acctg.	29,800
Pre-Audit	11,300
Payroll	27,900
General Services & Supply	
Purchasing	4,500
Leasing	3,600
Archives & Records	-0-
Central Duplicating	-0-
Mailroom	-0-
Data Processing	107,700
Department of Law	(3,200)
Division of Buildings	-0-
Total Allocated Costs to SOS, 1974 actual	<u>\$342,800</u>

May 1, 1975

Reasons why allocated costs are not realistic for budget reductions, in the order of the above schedule:

The Office of the Commissioner represents allocated costs of the Commissioner, Deputy, and related clerical. Space, equipment and certain contractual charges are distributed. Except for slight telephone usage, costs would appropriately continue.

Costs associated with internal audits were distributed to SOS. We assume aspects of auditing would continue and in fact be enlarged. Consequently we might anticipate \$6,000 or more instead of the \$3,000 distributed.

\$115,200 is scheduled as expenses distributed for services provided by the Division of Personnel. Administration funds a Personnel Officer II who is assigned to SOS and could be transferred with funding of \$22,075. Remaining portions of allocations represent personnel administration, recruitment and examining, employee development, classification and pay, and employee relations. These functions are performed for State-wide purposes and not separable for SOS. As examples, processes to classify, recruit and examine a position such as clerk typist would continue whether SOS selected from Administration's register or not. Activities in collective bargaining would continue whether or not SOS participated in centralized administration. Minor portions of filing, correspondence and telephone could reasonably be reduced.

HB 193 is silent as addressed to Budget and Management but services would probably expand from the scheduled \$27,000.

The Division of Finance, with its \$69,000 allocation could anticipate some savings. Their organization is not, however, specialized by agency. We could assume some payroll overtime being reduced but administration, pre-audit and general accounting would remain significantly unchanged.

Portions of General Services' leasing function would be impacted but with only one employee providing all State-wide leasing services nothing significant is available in funding reductions. Purchasing, also, is without reduction. Purchase orders would still require the same effort. Orders are presently consolidated with SOS requests, perhaps adding one line to a seven item order.

Data Processing is excluded from the language of HB 193 which addresses AS 37.05 and AS 39.25. However, Data Processing would seem to provide an area for significant reductions, but not so. Administration, equipment costs and rentals would continue. System and programming time would also continue. Payroll, for example, is maintained as a total State-wide system. The effort expended for that system is not impacted or inconsequentially impacted by SOS's inclusion or exclusion from the State-wide system. Key punch could have some measurable reduction that might affect some key punch support.

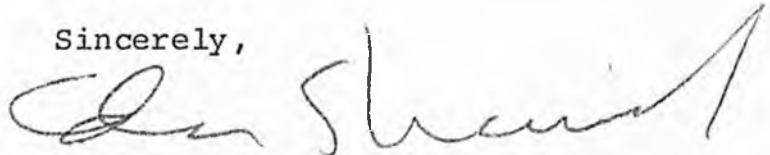
Andrew S. Warwick, Commissioner
Department of Administration
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May 1, 1975

Legal costs are included in the schedule. However, the bill does not address law services. A fiscal note submitted indicated no effect. The plan reflected a minus figure resulting from one individual attorney assigned to SOS whose cost, by agreement, was over-reimbursed.

Costs for centralized services can appreciably be considered supplementary to existing budgeted funds. Substitutions cannot reasonably be anticipated, except for the funding of one personnel officer for \$22,000 and minor parts of telephone bills, forms and contract services of perhaps a couple thousand dollars. Certain costs, for such as budgeting and auditing, should expand and reasonably offset any reductions. Unfortunately, an administration budget reduction cannot be attributed to reduced services from a seemingly apparent elimination of SOS related activities.

Sincerely,



Andrew S. Warwick
Commissioner


ASW/RAS/bph
CC: Richard Guthrie



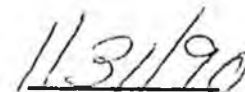
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"An Act authorizing the Department of Public Safety to operate four regional training centers for fire fighters."

COMMITTEE REPORT

3/12/75

HOUSE

Mr. Speaker:

Date March 22 1975

The Committee on FINANCE has had HB 25

under consideration. A Majority of the members of the Committee

() recommends it DO PASS

() recommends it DO NOT PASS

() recommends it DO PASS WITH ATTACHED AMENDMENT(S)

(X) recommends it BE REPLACED WITH CS FOR HB 25 AND THAT
CS FOR HB 25 DO PASS

() "and" recommends it BE REFERRED TO THE _____
COMMITTEE

() reports it back WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

() "other"

Members signing the Majority report:

<u>J. Newman</u>	<u>W. C. Simpson</u>	_____
<u>T. T. Little</u>	<u>H. Malone</u>	_____
<u>H. Hargrett</u>	<u>H</u>	_____
<u>L. Hargrett</u>		_____

Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

_____ recommends:

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_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

H. Malone Chairman

Original sponsor: Duncan

Offered: 3/12/75
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 25

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act establishing the Alaska Fire Fighter Training
7 Center Commission; and providing for an effective
8 date."

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

10 * Section 1. The Alaska Fire Fighter Training Center Commission is
11 established in the Office of the Governor.

12 * Sec. 2. The commission consists of the commissioner of education or
13 his designee, the commissioner of community and regional affairs or his
14 designee, and five additional members appointed by the governor. The
15 governor shall appoint one engineer, one architect, and three persons with
16 Alaska fire fighting experience to the commission. The commission shall
17 select a chairman from its membership. Terms of all members end and the
18 commission is dissolved February 1, 1976.

19 * Sec. 3. The commission shall recommend a state plan to facilitate
20 regional training of fire fighters. In carrying out these responsibilities
21 the commission may:

- 22 (1) recommend sites for location of four training centers;
23 (2) determine if the centers can be constructed in conjunction
24 with other training facilities;
25 (3) recommend a common physical design for the centers;
26 (4) formulate cost estimates for implementing its recommendations.

27 * Sec. 4. No later than January 1, 1976 the commission shall submit to
28 the governor a comprehensive report incorporating its specific recommendations
29 regarding the establishment of regional fire fighter training centers in the

1 state. The commission is not limited to recommendations suggested by sec. 3
2 of this Act.

3 * Sec. 5. Members of the commission serve without compensation but are
4 entitled to per diem and travel expenses authorized by law for other boards
5 and commissions.

6 * Sec. 6. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
7 070(c).

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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY DUNCAN

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 25

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act authorizing the Department of Public Safety to
7 operate four regional training centers for fire fighters."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 18.70 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 18.70.015. REGIONAL TRAINING CENTERS. The Department of
11 Public Safety is authorized to establish and operate four regional
12 training centers, with all appropriate facilities, to train fire fighters.
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FISCAL NOTE FOR H. B. #25 -- ANALYSIS (contd.)

200 Travel

7 Commission members x 6 meetings @ \$250	= \$10,500	
Per Diem @ \$50/day x 3 days x 6 meetings	= 6,300	
Site examination by 2 Commission members x 4 sites x 3 days		
Travel = \$2,000		
Per Diem = <u>1,200</u>		
TOTAL <u>\$3,200</u>	= <u>3,200</u>	
TOTAL TRAVEL	<u>\$20,000</u>	\$20,000

300 Contractual Services

Printing and Advertizing for community proposals	= \$ 1,500	
Secretarial services	= 1,500	
Technical assistance in site evaluation	= <u>2,000</u>	
TOTAL CONTRACTUAL	<u>\$ 5,000</u>	\$5,000