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AN ACT

Relating to state aid for school construction; and providing for an effective date.

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

* Section 1. AS 43.18.100(a) is repealed and re-enacted to read:

(a) During each fiscal year, the state shall allocate to an organized borough or a city which is a school district, the following sums:

(1) payments made by the borough or city during the fiscal year two years earlier for the retirement of principal and interest on outstanding bonds, notes or other indebtedness incurred before July 1, 1977 to pay costs of school construction, and cash payments made by the borough or city before July 1, 1976 to pay the cost of school construction;

(2) 50 per cent of

(A) payments made by the borough or city during the fiscal year two years earlier for the retirement of principal and interest on outstanding bonds, notes or other indebtedness incurred after July 1, 1977 to pay costs of school construction;

(B) cash payments made after July 1, 1977 by the borough or city during the fiscal year two years earlier to pay costs of school construction.

* Sec. 2. AS 43.18.100(b) is amended to read:

(b) The commissioner shall administer the program of reimbursement authorized under this section and shall

provide by regulation for the filing of applications for reimbursement, the form of proof of costs for which application for reimbursement is made, and other regulations necessary to administer the program. The commissioner shall exclude from the total school construction cost of the local district all state and federal funds included in these costs except funds provided under this section and AS 43.50.140. In approving applications for reimbursement, the commissioner shall

(1) offset against the amount of reimbursement authorized the amount of any funds distributed to the borough or city in the second preceding fiscal year from the school fund provided for in AS 43.50.140;

(2) require the borough or city to provide, with its application, a certified copy of the notice to taxpayers required by sec. 30 of this chapter.

* Sec. 3. AS 43.18.100(e) is amended to read:

(e) The commissioner shall annually provide a report to the legislature on allocations of state aid made under this section, including but not limited to, the amount of state aid paid on a per capita and per student basis and the resultant effect on the rate of levy of taxes by the municipality for educational purposes.

* Sec. 4. AS 43.18.030 is amended to read:

Sec. 43.18.030. LOCAL TAX LEVY REDUCTION. (a) The intent of secs. 10 - 100 of this chapter in authorizing state aid for educational purposes and municipal services is that municipalities which levy taxes reduce those levies in reasonable proportion to the amount of state aid received by the municipality for a given fiscal year.

(b) If the municipality levies and collects real or personal property taxes, the governing body shall furnish the following notice with tax statements mailed for the fiscal year for which aid is received under AS 14.17 and secs. 10 - 100 of this chapter:

"NOTICE TO TAXPAYER

For the current fiscal year the (city) (borough) has been allocated the following amount of state aid for school and municipal purposes under the public school foundation program (Alaska Statutes 14.17), the municipal services revenue sharing program of Alaska Statutes 43.18.010 - 43.18.050, and the program of state aid for retirement of school construction debt (Alaska Statute 43.18.100):

PUBLIC SCHOOL FOUNDATION PROGRAM ASSISTANCE	\$
STATE AID FOR RETIREMENT OF SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION DEBT	\$
AID BASED ON MUNICIPAL SERVICES FURNISHED (fire protection,	\$

