

**CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 222(FIN)**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

**BY THE HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE**

**Offered: 3/25/16**

**Referred: Rules**

**Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES HAWKER, Wilson, Pruitt, Gattis**

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to increases of appropriation items."**

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

3 **\* Section 1.** AS 37.07.080(h) is amended to read:

4 (h) **Unless expressly prohibited by the language of the appropriation, the**  
5 [THE] increase of an appropriation item based on additional federal or other program  
6 receipts not specifically appropriated by the full legislature may be expended in  
7 accordance with the following procedures:

8 (1) the governor shall submit a revised program to the Legislative  
9 Budget and Audit Committee for review;

10 (2) **90** [45] days shall elapse before commencement of expenditures  
11 under the revised program unless the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee earlier  
12 recommends that the state take part in the federally or otherwise funded activity;

13 (3) should the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee recommend  
14 within the **90-day** [45-DAY] period that the state not initiate the additional activity,  
15 the governor shall again review the revised program and if the governor determines to

1 authorize the expenditure, the governor shall provide the Legislative Budget and Audit  
2 Committee with a statement of the governor's reasons **and may not commence**  
3 [BEFORE COMMENCEMENT OF] expenditures under the revised program **until**  
4 **the 90-day period has elapsed.**