HOUSE BILL NO. 347

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVE TARR

Introduced: 2/26/14 Referred:

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the disqualification of persons convicted of certain felony drug

2 offenses from participation in the food stamp and temporary assistance programs."

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

4 * Section 1. AS 47.27.015 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

5 (i) A person convicted after August 22, 1996, of an offense that is classified as 6 a felony under AS 11.71.010 - 11.71.040 or by the law of another jurisdiction that has 7 as an element the possession, use, or distribution of a controlled substance, as defined 8 in AS 11.71.900, is disqualified from receiving temporary assistance under this 9 chapter or food stamps under AS 47.25 unless the person demonstrates, to the 10 satisfaction of the department, that the person has been rehabilitated after treatment for 11 an addiction to a controlled substance.