# **SENATE BILL NO. 205**

# IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

# THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

#### BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

Introduced: 2/19/20 Referred: Finance

# **A BILL**

# FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

- 1 "An Act directing the commissioner of revenue to pay dividends to certain eligible
- 2 individuals; and providing for an effective date."

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

- \* Section 1. The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section
- 5 to read:
- 6 PERMANENT FUND DIVIDENDS. (a) Notwithstanding AS 43.23.005, when
- 7 determining permanent fund dividend payments under AS 43.23.025 in 2020, the
- 8 commissioner of revenue shall include a payment of \$1,304 in 2020 in the permanent fund
- 9 dividend to each eligible individual as provided in (b) of this section.
- 10 (b) An individual is eligible for a permanent fund dividend payment under (a) of this 11 section in calendar year 2020 if the individual
- 12 (1) received a 2019 permanent fund dividend; and
- 13 (2) is eligible for a 2020 permanent fund dividend.
- 14 (c) The amount appropriated from the earnings reserve account (AS 37.13.145) to the

- dividend fund (AS 43.23.045(a)) for payment under (a) of this section to eligible individuals
- during calendar year 2020 may not contribute to the calculation for the 2020 dividend under
- 3 AS 43.23.025.
- \* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).