

**A M E N D M E N T**

OFFERED IN THE SENATE  
TO: SB 85

BY SENATOR KAWASAKI

- 1 Page 1, line 2, following "sales;":
  - 2 Insert "**relating to disposal procedures for selling timber;**"
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- 4 Page 7, following line 13:
  - 5 Insert a new bill section to read:
    - 6 **"\* Sec. 6. AS 38.05.115 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:**
      - 7 (d) In making the best interest finding required by AS 38.05.035(e) for a
      - 8 disposal of timber under AS 38.05.110 - 38.05.123, the commissioner shall consider,
      - 9 in addition to other factors, whether the bidder or buyer, to the maximum extent
      - 10 permitted by law, commits to
        - 11 (1) hire qualified residents from throughout the state;
        - 12 (2) contract with businesses located in the state;
        - 13 (3) establish hiring facilities or use existing hiring facilities in the state;
      - 14 and
      - 15 (4) use, as far as is practicable, the job centers and associated services
      - 16 operated by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development and an Internet-
      - 17 based labor exchange system operated by the state."
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  - 19 Renumber the following bill sections accordingly.