SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 421(FIN)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered: 5/3/02 Referred: Rules

Sponsor(s): HOUSE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

- 1 "An Act relating to requiring the Department of Natural Resources to develop and
- 2 maintain a standardized procedure for processing applications and issuing permits,
- 3 authorizations, and certifications under the Alaska Water Use Act and to make a record
- 4 of those items and amendments and orders affecting them available on the Internet."
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:
- 6 * **Section 1.** AS 46.15.020(b)(2) is amended to read:
- (2) <u>develop and maintain a standardized procedure for processing</u>

 8 <u>applications and the issuance of authorizations, permits, and certifications under</u>

 9 <u>this chapter; shall</u> keep a public record of all applications for permits and certificates

 10 and other documents filed in the commissioner's office; [AND] shall record all permits

 11 and certificates and amendments and orders affecting them and shall index them in

 12 accordance with the source of the water and the name of the applicant or appropriator;

 13 shall require that temporary water use authorizations are valid only to the extent

1	that the water withdrawal and use complies with applicable requirements of
2	AS 16.05.870; and shall make the record of applications, including temporary
3	water use applications under AS 46.15.155 that have been accepted as complete,
4	authorizations, permits, certificates, amendments, and orders affecting them
5	available to the public on the Internet;