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I read about your changes to Dunleavy's tax bill in today's ADN.

I support your version. I've always thought we sold our resources too cheaply, apparently out of fear these industries will walk away if we don't essentially give them our oil and minerals.

We should actually be charging them extra for our political and regulatory stability. Their holdings will not be nationalized, their executives will not be kidnapped, their employees will not be threatened or worse. That's worth consideration in any contract.  
We should have gotten out of the supplicant role years ago.

Sales taxes hurt the less well-off. Income and corporate taxes are fairer. I think Senate Resources is on the right track with the current version under consideration.

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