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MEMORANDUM

February 24, 2012

SUBJECT:

Sectional Summary of SB 207 (Work Order No. 27-LS0718\I)

TO:

Senator Joe Paskvan Attn: Anna Sorensen

FROM:

Alpheus Bullard

Legislative Counsel

You have requested a sectional summary of the above-described bill.

As a preliminary matter, note that a sectional summary of a bill should not be considered an authoritative interpretation of the bill and the bill itself is the best statement of its contents. If you would like an interpretation of the bill as it may apply to a particular set of circumstances, please advise.

<u>Section 1.</u> Adds a legislative intent provision to the uncodified law of the state relating to the manner in which section 4 of the bill should be implemented.

Section 2. Conforms AS 16.05.340(a)(17) to AS 16.05.341(b) added by section 4 of the bill.

Section 3. Conforms AS 16.05.340(a)(23) to AS 16.05.341(b) added by section 4 of the bill.

Section 4. Provides that a person with certain mental or physical disabilities may receive a resident hunting and sport fishing license without charge.

<u>Section 5.</u> Permits certain persons to take game on behalf of a person with mental disabilities.

<u>Section 6.</u> Permits certain persons to take fish on behalf of a person with mental disabilities.

<u>Section 7.</u> Provides a definition of "person with mental disabilities" for AS 16.05 (Fish and Game Code).

Section 8. Provides an instruction to the Revisor of Statutes to change the catch line (title) of AS 16.05.341.

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