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## AN ACT

Relating to the recoupment conveyance for land at Illinois Creek; and providing for an effective date.

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**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

THE ACT FOLLOWS ON PAGE 1, LINE 10

Approved by the Governor: May 29, 1985  
Actual Effective Date: May 30, 1985

AN ACT

Relating to the recoupment conveyance for land at Illinois Creek; and providing for an effective date.

\* Section 1. PURPOSES AND FINDINGS. (a) The purposes of this Act are to permit the state to recoup certain land selection rights provided for in sec. 606(d)(6) of Public Law 97-468 and to realign the ownership of land as between the state, Cook Inlet Region, Inc., and the United States in order to

(1) facilitate land management;

(2) create private land ownership patterns that encourage mineral development in appropriate areas;

(3) facilitate implementation of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act; and

(4) assure maximum public benefit from selections made under the Alaska Statehood Act.

(b) The legislature finds that the recoupment conveyance of land at Illinois Creek is a matter of statewide significance, is in the general public interest, and will accomplish the purposes intended.

\* Sec. 2. APPROVAL OF TRANSFER. (a) The commissioner of natural resources may convey certain land described in the "Out of Region Agreement" dated November 18, 1982, between Cook Inlet Region, Inc. and the state to the United States for reconveyance to Cook Inlet Region, Inc., in return for recoupment of selection rights under the Alaska Statehood Act

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1 and other consideration described in the "Out of Region Agreement." Not-  
2 withstanding AS 38.05.125, a conveyance by the commissioner of natural  
3 resources under this subsection transfers all of the right, title, and  
4 interest of the state in the land, including the subsurface mineral estate  
5 as authorized by sec. 12(b)(11) of Public Law 92-204 as amended by sec.  
6 606(d)(1) of Public Law 97-468.

7 (b) The commissioner of natural resources may grant those easements  
8 described on a map entitled "Illinois Creek Recoupment Conveyance-1985."

9 \* Sec. 3. WAIVER. AS 38.50 does not apply to a conveyance under sec.  
10 2(a) of this Act.

11 \* Sec. 4. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.-  
12 10.070(c).