



AMENDMENT # 1

TO: CSHB103(FIN)

OFFERED IN THE HOUSE

By Representatives Berkowitz, Cissna, Crawford, Croft, Davies, Guess, Joule, Kapsner, Kerttula, Kookesh, Moses, Hayes

\* Sec. \_\_. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS. Contingent upon passage by the First Regular Session of the Twenty-Second Alaska State Legislature and the enactment into law of an increase in the receipts collected under AS 43.60.010, the following amount is appropriated from the general fund to the Department of Corrections for the fiscal year ending in June 30, 2002 for the purposes described:

PURPOSE	AMOUNT
Community Jails	\$200,000

*This would add the balance of the Governor's recommended increment for community jails. The 15 community jails have had no increase since 1995.*

\* Sec. \_\_. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY. Contingent upon passage by the First Regular Session of the Twenty-Second Alaska State Legislature and the enactment into law of an increase in the receipts collected under AS 43.60.010, the following amounts are appropriated from the general fund to the Department of PUBLIC for the fiscal year ending in June 30, 2002 for the purposes described:

PURPOSE	AMOUNT
Alaska State Trooper Detachments	\$1,440,000

*Safety*

*This amount would fund 9 new State Trooper positions.*

Alaska State Trooper Detachments	\$ 838,000
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*These funds would enable the department to establish the Constable Program and hire 8 Constables for placement in selected communities for the benefit Fish and Wildlife Protection as well as other public safety programs.*

Village Public Safety Officer Contracts \$1,212,500

*These funds would add 20 new Village Public Safety Officers, bringing us closer to having law enforcement in more communities. More than 70 communities do not have a VPSO or other APSC certified law enforcement officer.*

Village Public Safety Officer Contracts \$ 828,500

*These funds would allow VPSO's to receive a 15% salary increase. With this increase starting pay for a VPSO would still be 40% lower than the current Correctional Officer I starting salary.*

Fish and Wildlife Protection

Enforcement & Investigative Services Unit \$1,280,000

*This would fund the additional 8 FWP State Troopers requested by the Governor.*