

SENATE BILL NO. 334

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY SENATOR LINCOLN

Introduced: 2/19/02

Referred: Health, Education and Social Services, Resources

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act authorizing conveyance by the Department of Natural Resources of cultural**
2 **education youth encampments."**

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

4 * **Section 1.** AS 38.05.810(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) Except as otherwise provided in AS 38.05.183(h), the (1) lease, sale, or
6 other disposal of state land or resources may be made to a state or federal agency or
7 political subdivision, (2) lease, sale, or disposal of coal deposits suitable for mining
8 may be made to a utility owned and operated by a government agency or nonprofit
9 cooperative association organized to participate under the Federal Rural Electrification
10 Act for the purpose of generating electric power and energy or the production of
11 process steam, or both, (3) sale or other disposal of state land may be made to a tax-
12 exempt, nonprofit corporation, association, club, or society organized and operated for
13 the management of a cemetery, **cultural education youth encampment**, or a solid
14 waste or other public facility, or (4) sale or other disposal of land within a state

1 subdivision may be made to that subdivision's nonprofit, tax-exempt homeowners'
2 association, for less than the appraised value as determined by the director and
3 approved by the commissioner to be fair and proper and in the best interests of the
4 public, with due consideration given to the nature of the public services or function
5 rendered by the applicant, and of the terms of the grant under which the land was
6 acquired by the state. The commissioner shall ensure, by regulation, deed restriction,
7 covenant, or otherwise, that disposals of land under this subsection serve a public
8 purpose and are in the public interest. **For the purposes of this subsection, "cultural**
9 **education youth encampment" means a site at which a nonprofit organization**
10 **provides organized, supervised cultural education experiences and opportunities**
11 **in outdoor living in a traditional cultural setting and personal and social**
12 **development for children and young adults, that includes facilities for overnight**
13 **camping, and that is used during any three months of a year.**