

**SENATE AND HOUSE  
JOINT JOURNAL SUPPLEMENT**

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**January 19, 2001**

**Friday**

**No. 2**

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**Letters of Disclosure  
as required by AS 24.60**

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**January 19, 2001**

**Juneau, Alaska**



Disclosure of a  
**CLOSE ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION**

**Reporting Deadlines See AS 24.60.105**

Within 30 days of association or, if during the last 30 days of session or during the interim, by March 15 of the following year.

**Explanation**

A Close Economic Association means a financial relationship between a person covered by the Ethics Code and some other person or entity, including relationships where the legislator or legislative employee serves as a consultant or advisor to, is a member or representative of, or has a financial interest in any association, partnership, business or corporation. Those covered by the Ethics Code are required to disclose their close economic associations, in sufficient detail, with supervisors, legislators, public officials who must file APOC Financial Disclosure Statements (other than municipal officials), registered lobbyists and, if the discloser is a legislator, with legislative employees.

Disclosure(s) submitted in accordance with AS 24.60.070:

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Pam Varni  
ADDRESS: 3411 Douglas Highway, Juneau, AK 99801  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): 465-3800  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Affairs Agency

Person with whom association exists: Rep. Lesil McGuire  
Person's Status (public official, legislator, etc.): Legislator  
Description of economic association: Lesil is renting a cottage from me for the session.

The above is a true and accurate representation of my close economic association, in accordance with AS 24.60.070.

/s/

Pam Varni

Date: 1/8/01

Date received by Ethics Committee: 1/8/01

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Melinda Gruening Hofstad  
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 1030, Petersburg, Alaska 99833  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): 907-772-3880  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Petersburg, LIO, LAA

Person with whom association exists: Clark Gruening  
Person's Status (public official, legislator, etc.): Lobbyist  
Description of economic association: Co-own a recreational cabin in Baranof  
Warm Springs, Alaska

The above is a true and accurate representation of my close economic  
association, in accordance with AS 24.60.070.

/s/

Melinda Gruening Hofstad

Date: Jan. 15, 2001

Date received by Ethics Committee: 1/15/01

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Disclosure of receipt of  
**GIFT OF TRAVEL AND/OR HOSPITALITY**  
Primarily for  
**MATTERS OF LEGISLATIVE CONCERN**

**Reporting Deadline**  
Within 30 days of receipt

**Explanation**

A legislator or legislative employee may not solicit or accept any gift worth \$250 or more, or gifts from the same person which total \$250 or more in a calendar year. An **exception** to that rule is **gifts of travel and hospitality to obtain (or provide) information on matters of legislative concern**. A person who accepts a gift of over \$250 under the "matters of legislative concern" exception must disclose receipt of the gift.

Disclosure(s) submitted in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4):

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Krag A. Johnsen  
ADDRESS: PO Box 221672 Anchorage, AK 99522  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): (907) 271-1413  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Budget and Audit Committee

Name of donor: Denali Commission  
Occupation of donor: N/A  
Address of donor: 510 L Street, Suite 410, Anchorage, AK 99501  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Airfare Anchorage to Juneau and lodging and meals  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: Meetings with Legislators on Capital Budget  
Approximate value of gift: \$650.00  
Date gift received: 4/13/00

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Krag A. Johnsen

Date: 4/18/00

Date received by Ethics Committee: 4-18-00

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ADDRESS: PO Box 221672 Anchorage, AK 99522  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): (907) 271-1413  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Budget and Audit Committee

Name of donor: Denali Commission  
Occupation of donor: N/A  
Address of donor: 510 L Street, Suite 410, Anchorage, AK 99501  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Airfare Anchorage to Dillingham and lodging and meals  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: Denali Commission quarterly meeting  
Approximate value of gift: \$500  
Date gift received: 4/6/00

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Krag A. Johnsen

Date: 4/18/00

Date received by Ethics Committee: 4/18/00

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Christopher L. Nelson  
ADDRESS: 716 W. Fourth Ave., Suite 540, Anchorage, AK 99501  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): (907) 465-3865 - session; (907) 269-0219 - interim  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Joint Armed Services Committee

Name of donor: Alaska Air National Guard  
Occupation of donor:  
Address of donor:  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Air travel on military aircraft: Fairbanks - Erickson AFB, Shemya - Elmendorf AFB  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: Accompany LTG Kadish and MG Nance, Ballistic Missile Defense Organization, on inspection of possible National Missile Defense sites  
Approximate value of gift: \$1,500  
Date gift received: May 3, 2000

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Christopher L. Nelson

Date: May 30, 2000

Date received by Ethics Committee: 5-31-00

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ADDRESS: 716 W. Fourth Ave., Suite 540, Anchorage, AK 99501  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): (907) 465-3865 - session; (907) 269-0219 - interim  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Joint Armed Services Committee

Name of donor: Alaska Army National Guard  
Occupation of donor:  
Address of donor:  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Air travel on military aircraft: Fort Wainwright - Fort Greely - Fort Wainwright  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: Accompany LTG Kadish and MG Nance, Ballistic Missile Defense Organization, on inspection of possible National Missile Defense site  
Approximate value of gift: Less than \$250.00  
Date gift received: May 2, 2000

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Christopher L. Nelson

Date: May 30, 2000

Date received by Ethics Committee: 5-31-00

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Krag Johnsen  
ADDRESS: PO Box 221672 Anchorage, AK 99522  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): (907) 271-1413  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Budget and Audit Committee

Name of donor: Denali Commission  
Occupation of donor: N/A  
Address of donor: 510 L Street, Suite 410, Anchorage, AK 99501  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Airfare Anchorage to Bethel roundtrip and lodging and meals  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: Bethel leadership meeting and Alaska Human Resource Investment Council Meeting.  
Approximate value of gift: \$600.00  
Date gift received: 8/3 - 8/4/00

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Krag A. Johnsen

Date: 8/7/00

Date received by Ethics Committee: 8/7/00

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Ronda K. Thompson  
ADDRESS: 1601 Eastridge Dr. #103, Anchorage, AK 99501  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): 269-0160  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Hse & Senate Majority

Name of donor: BP & Phillips  
Occupation of donor: Oil Exploration  
Address of donor: Anchorage, AK  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Airfare  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: Educational trip w/Canadian Energy Board and Interstate Oil & Gas Compact Commission Officials.  
Approximate value of gift: \$300.00 US  
Date gift received: 07/17/00

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Ronda K. Thompson

Date: 08/16/00

Date received by Ethics Committee: 8/18/00

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Krag A. Johnsen  
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 221672, Anchorage, AK 99522  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): 907-271-1413  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Budget & Audit Committee

Name of donor: Denali Commission  
Occupation of donor:  
Address of donor: 510 L Street, Ste. 410, Anchorage, AK 99501  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Airfare Anchorage to Fairbanks to Nome to Kotzebue to Anchorage and lodging and meals.  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: Legislative delegation conducting site visits and public hearings on rural education/boarding schools.  
Approximate value of gift: \$1,000.00  
Date gift received: August 15, 2000

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Krag A. Johnsen

Date: 8/25/00

Date received by Ethics Committee: 8/25/00

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Pam Varni  
ADDRESS: State Capitol, Juneau, Alaska 99801-1182  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): (907) 465-3800  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Affairs Agency

Name of donor: Republic of China. Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
Occupation of donor: Government of Taiwan  
Address of donor: 2, Kaitakelan Blvd, Taipei, Taiwan, R.O.C.  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): lodging and ground transportation  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: Legislative Leadership Delegation to Taiwan  
Approximate value of gift: \$843.00 (Ground transportation \$75; lodging \$767) exceeded \$250  
Date gift received: Sept. 6, 2000 to Sept. 11, 2000

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Pamela A. Varni

Date: 9/27/00

Date received by Ethics Committee: 9/27/00

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Christine E. Wyatt  
ADDRESS: Legislative Affairs Agency, State Capitol Room #3, Juneau, AK 99801-1182  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): 907-465-3800  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Affairs Agency

Name of donor: Anchorage Convention & Visitors Bureau  
Occupation of donor: Convention & meeting planners  
Address of donor: 524 W. Fourth Ave., Anchorage, AK 99501-2212  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): 4 nights lodging & transportation  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: FAM tour in preparation of Anchorage hosting CSG Annual 2001 Convention  
Approximate value of gift: \$400.00  
Date gift received: 9/12 - 16/2000

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Christine E. Wyatt

Date: 10/11/00

Date received by Ethics Committee: 10/11/00

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PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): 907-271-1413  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Budget & Audit Committee

Name of donor: Denali Commission  
Occupation of donor:  
Address of donor: 510 L Street Ste. 410, Anchorage, AK 99501  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Lodging and meals at Denali Princess Hotel.  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: Denali Commission strategic planning retreat.  
Approximate value of gift: \$500.00  
Date gift received: 9/15/00 - 9/17/00

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Krag A. Johnsen

Date: 10/12/00

Date received by Ethics Committee: 10/12/00

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Krag A. Johnsen  
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 221672, Anchorage, AK 99522  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): (907) 271-1413  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Budget & Audit Committee

Name of donor: Denali Commission  
Occupation of donor:  
Address of donor: 510 L Street Ste. 410, Anchorage, AK 99501  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Airfare from Anchorage to Kenai roundtrip and meals.  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: Meeting with Senator John Torgerson and Jeff Staser, Federal Co-chair Denali Commission  
Approximate value of gift: \$150  
Date gift received: 10/13/00

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Krag A. Johnsen

Date: 10/19/00

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EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Budget & Audit Committee

Name of donor: Denali Commission  
Occupation of donor:  
Address of donor: 510 L Street Ste. 410, Anchorage, AK 99501  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Airfare from ANC-BETHEL and from McGrath-ANC  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: LB&A Site visits and community meetings on rural education/boarding schools.  
Approximate value of gift: \$500.00  
Date gift received: 11/20/00

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Krag A. Johnsen

Date: 12/5/00

Date received by Ethics Committee: 12/5/00

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NAME OF DISCLOSER: Krag A. Johnsen  
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 221672, Anchorage, AK 99522  
PHONE NUMBER (Daytime): (907) 271-1413  
EMPLOYER (if legislative employee): Legislative Budget & Audit Committee

Name of donor: Denali Commission  
Occupation of donor:  
Address of donor: 510 L Street Ste. 410, Anchorage, AK 99501  
Description of gift (i.e. airfare, lodging, meals): Airfare from ANC-Kenai and from ANC to Kodiak Roundtrip  
Purpose of travel or hospitality: LB&A site visits and community meetings on rural education/boarding schools  
Approximate value of gift: \$750.00  
Date gift received: 12/13/00

The above is a true and accurate representation of the gift received, in accordance with AS 24.60.080(c)(4).

/s/

Krag A. Johnsen

Date: 12/22/00

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**Please report corrections to the Senate Secretary's office.**