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**CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 24(JUD)**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

**BY THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE**

**Offered: 5/1/03**  
**Referred: Rules**

**Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES WEYHRAUCH AND WHITAKER, Coghill, Ogg**

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to intergovernmental agreements with the federal government**  
2 **regarding management of fish or game in the state."**

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

4 **\* Section 1.** AS 16.20.010 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

5 (c) Nothing in this title authorizes the department or a board to enter into an  
6 agreement with a department or agency of the federal government that cedes state  
7 authority for the management of fish or game in the state to the federal government.  
8 In this subsection, "management" means the regulation of the method, manner, means,  
9 time, or place of taking of fish or game or the regulation of the amount of fish or game  
10 that may be taken.

11 **\* Sec. 2.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section to  
12 read:

13 STATUS OF EXISTING AGREEMENTS REGARDING MANAGEMENT OF FISH  
14 AND GAME IN THE STATE. An agreement, or a severable portion of an agreement,

1 between the Department of Fish and Game, the Board of Fisheries, or the Board of Game and  
2 a department or agency of the federal government that was entered into before the effective  
3 date of this Act and that cedes any state authority for the management of fish and game in the  
4 state to the federal government, is void on and after July 1, 2004. In this section,  
5 "management" has the meaning given in AS 16.20.010, added by sec. 1 of this Act.