

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 101(FIN) am

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Amended: 2/26/03

Offered: 2/26/03

Funding Information:	General Fund	\$1,300,000
	Other Funds	-0-
	Total	\$1,300,000

Sponsor(s): HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

A BILL**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act making special appropriations to promote the opening of the Arctic National**
 2 **Wildlife Refuge for oil and gas exploration and development; and providing for an**
 3 **effective date."**

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

5 * **Section 1.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section
 6 to read:

7 INTENT. It is the intent of the Alaska State Legislature that Arctic Power coordinate
 8 with the Alaska Delegation in Congress and the Office of the Governor in the development of
 9 an educational effort to promote the opening of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge to oil
 10 exploration and development.

11 * **Sec. 2.** GRANT TO ARCTIC POWER. (a) The sum of \$1,100,000 is appropriated from
 12 the general fund to the Department of Community and Economic Development for payment
 13 as a grant under AS 37.05.316 to Arctic Power for education efforts from January 1, 2003,
 14 until June 30, 2003, inclusive, to open the coastal plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge

1 for oil and gas exploration and development.

2 (b) Arctic Power shall submit monthly detailed progress reports of activities and
3 expenditures of state funds by the first day of the second month following the month of
4 expenditure to the Alaska Congressional Delegation, the Governor of the State of Alaska, and
5 the members of the Alaska State House of Representatives and the Alaska State Senate.

6 * **Sec. 3.** GRANT TO NATIVE VILLAGE OF KAKTOVIK. The sum of \$100,000 is
7 appropriated from the general fund to the Department of Community and Economic
8 Development for payment as a grant under AS 37.05.316 to the Native village of Kaktovik for
9 support of the education efforts undertaken by Arctic Power to open the coastal plain of the
10 Arctic National Wildlife Refuge for oil and gas exploration and development.

11 * **Sec. 4.** OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR. The sum of \$100,000 is appropriated from the
12 general fund to the Office of the Governor for direct support of national efforts to open the
13 coastal plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge for oil and gas exploration and
14 development.

15 * **Sec. 5.** The appropriations made by secs. 3 and 4 of this Act lapse June 30, 2007.

16 * **Sec. 6.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).