

HOUSE BILL NO. 75

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Introduced: 1/18/05

Referred: Resources, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to promoting and preserving sport hunting in the state."**

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 16.05.020 is amended to read:

4 **Sec. 16.05.020. Functions of commissioner.** The commissioner shall

5 (1) supervise and control the department, and may appoint and employ
6 division heads, enforcement agents, and the technical, clerical, and other assistants
7 necessary for the general administration of the department;

8 (2) manage, protect, maintain, improve, and extend the fish, game and
9 aquatic plant resources of the state in the interest of the economy and general well-
10 being of the state;

11 (3) **in conjunction with the Board of Game, promote sport hunting**
12 **and preserve the heritage of sport hunting in the state;**

13 (4) have necessary power to accomplish the foregoing including, but
14 not limited to, the power to delegate authority to subordinate officers and employees
15 of the department.

1 * **Sec. 2.** AS 16.05.255 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

2 (k) In conjunction with the commissioner, the Board of Game shall promote
3 sport hunting and preserve the heritage of sport hunting in the state.