

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 82(FIN)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered: 3/7/07

Referred: Rules

Sponsor(s): SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act making supplemental appropriations and other appropriations; amending the**
2 **lapse dates of certain appropriations; and providing for an effective date."**

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

4 * **Section 1.** DEPARTMENT OF LAW. The sum of \$21,500,000 is appropriated from the
5 general fund to the Department of Law, oil, gas, and mining, for work related to the state gas
6 pipeline and to bringing North Slope natural gas to market, and to other oil and gas projects.

7 * **Sec. 2.** DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES. (a) The sum of \$6,550,000 is
8 appropriated from the general fund to the Department of Natural Resources for gas pipeline
9 analysis.

10 (b) The sum of \$1,500,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the Department of
11 Natural Resources for oil and gas lease litigation.

12 * **Sec. 3.** DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE. (a) The sum of \$3,000,000 is appropriated from
13 the general fund to the Department of Revenue for matters related to commercialization of
14 North Slope gas.

1 (b) The sum of \$521,700 is appropriated from the general fund to the Department of
2 Revenue, tax division, for implementation costs of the petroleum production tax for the fiscal
3 year ending June 30, 2007.

4 (c) The amount necessary to issue refunds for capital expenditures and lease bids as
5 provided in AS 43.55.023(f) for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007, is appropriated from the
6 general fund to the Department of Revenue, tax division, for the purpose of making refunds
7 under AS 43.55.023(f).

8 * **Sec. 4. AMENDMENT OF LAPSE OF CERTAIN PRIOR YEAR APPROPRIATIONS.**

9 (a) Section 34(c), ch. 82, SLA 2006, is amended to read:

10 (c) The unexpended and unobligated balance of the appropriation made in sec.
11 7(d), ch. 6, SLA 2005, lapses June 30, **2008** [2007].

12 (b) Section 64(c), ch. 3, FSSLA 2005, is amended to read:

13 (c) The appropriations made by

14 **(1) sec. [SECS. 20(a), 20(c), 20(e), 20(f), AND] 37(b), ch. 3, FSSLA**
15 **2005, [OF THIS ACT] lapse June 30, 2007;**

16 **(2) secs. 20(a), 20(c), 20(e), and 20(f), ch. 3, FSSLA 2005, lapse**
17 **June 30, 2008.**

18 (c) Section 20(d), ch. 3, FSSLA 2005, as amended by sec. 34(d), ch. 82, SLA 2006,
19 is amended to read:

20 (d) The sum of \$1,525,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the
21 Department of Natural Resources for work related to the state gas pipeline and to
22 bringing North Slope natural gas to market, for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2005,
23 June 30, 2006, [AND] June 30, 2007, **and June 30, 2008,** for the following purposes:

PURPOSE	ALLOCATION
(1) Bullen Pt. Road right-of-way permitting	\$800,000
(2) Division of oil and gas increased workload	675,000
(3) Commissioner's office increased workload	50,000

28 * **Sec. 5. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC**
29 **DEVELOPMENT.** (a) The sum of \$576,318 is appropriated from program receipts from the
30 seafood marketing assessment (AS 16.51.120) and from other program receipts of the Alaska
31 Seafood Marketing Institute to the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic

1 Development, Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute, for expansion of the national consumer
2 marketing campaign for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007.

3 (b) The sum of \$1,423,682 is appropriated from the general fund to the Department of
4 Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute,
5 for expansion of the national consumer marketing campaign for the fiscal year ending
6 June 30, 2007.

7 (c) The sum appropriated in (b) of this section is intended to represent the cumulative
8 total of program receipts from the salmon marketing tax (former AS 43.76.110), from the
9 seafood marketing assessment (AS 16.51.120), and from program receipts from the Alaska
10 Seafood Marketing Institute that were collected through June 30, 2006, subject to transfer to
11 the Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute, less the cumulative total of program receipts from
12 those sources transferred to the Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute through June 30, 2006.

13 * **Sec. 6. LAPSE OF OTHER APPROPRIATIONS.** The appropriations made by secs. 1, 2,
14 and 3(a) of this Act are not one-year appropriations and lapse as provided in AS 37.25.020.

15 * **Sec. 7. RETROACTIVITY.** (a) The appropriation made by sec. 1 of this Act is retroactive
16 to October 1, 2006.

17 (b) The appropriations made by sec. 2 of this Act are retroactive to February 1, 2007.

18 * **Sec. 8. CONTINGENCY.** The appropriation made in sec. 2(a) of this Act is contingent on
19 the enactment of a bill passed by the Twenty-Fifth Alaska State Legislature that establishes
20 the Alaska Gasline Inducement Act.

21 * **Sec. 9.** Section 5 of this Act takes effect March 16, 2007.

22 * **Sec. 10.** Except as provided in sec. 9 of this Act, this Act takes effect immediately under
23 AS 01.10.070(c).