

HOUSE BILL NO. 142

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVE KERTTULA

Introduced: 2/23/09

Referred: Resources

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act amending the boundaries of the Stan Price State Wildlife Sanctuary and
2 relating to bear viewing in the sanctuary."

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

4 * **Section 1.** AS 16.20.150(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) The state-owned tide and submerged land and water within the following
6 described parcels is established as a state wildlife sanctuary to be known as the Stan
7 Price State Wildlife Sanctuary:

8 **(1) Township 45 South, Range 68 East, Copper River Meridian**

9 **Sections 1 - 2**

10 **Sections 11 - 13**

11 **Section 24;**

12 **(2) Township 45 South, Range 69 East, Copper River Meridian**

13 **Sections 6 - 8**

14 **Section 16: S1/2, NW1/4**

1 Sections 17 - 22

2 Sections 26 - 27

3 Sections 29 - 33

4 Section 35

5 Section 36: SW1/4;

6 (3) Township 46 South, Range 69 East, Copper River Meridian

7 Section 1: W1/2

8 Sections 2 - 9

9 Sections 16 - 20

10 Section 21: NW1/4

11 Sections 29 - 32;

12 (4) Township 47 South, Range 69 East, Copper River Meridian

13 Section 6

14 [SECTION 5: W1/2, W1/2E1/2

15 SECTION 6: SE1/4SE1/4

16 SECTION 7: NE1/4NE1/4

17 SECTION 8: NW1/4, W1/2NE1/4, N1/2SW1/4].

18 * **Sec. 2.** AS 16.20.150(b) is amended to read:

19 (b) The Stan Price State Wildlife Sanctuary is established to provide
20 permanent protection for brown bears, other fish and wildlife populations, and their
21 habitats in the area so that these resources may be preserved for scientific, aesthetic,
22 and educational purposes **and to maintain and enhance bear viewing opportunities**
23 **within the sanctuary.**