

**ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE**  
**SENATE RESOURCES SUBCOMMITTEE ON SB 24**  
**ANCHORAGE, AK**

October 10, 2011  
9:03 a.m.

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Senator Thomas Wagoner, Co-Chair  
Senator Lesil McGuire

**MEMBERS ABSENT**

Senator Joe Paskvan, Co-Chair  
Senator Bill Wielechowski, Vice Chair  
Senator Bert Stedman - excused  
Senator Hollis French  
Senator Gary Stevens

**OTHER LEGISLATORS PRESENT**

Representative Steve Thompson  
Representative Alan Austerman - via teleconference

**COMMITTEE CALENDAR**

SENATE BILL NO. 24

"An Act establishing the Sport Fishing Guide Services Board and licensing requirements for sport fishing guide-outfitters, sport fishing outfitters, sport fishing assistant guides, and sport fishing transporters; making conforming amendments; allowing the Department of Fish and Game to collect information on guiding services; and providing for an effective date."

- HEARD AND HELD

**PREVIOUS COMMITTEE ACTION**

BILL: SB 24

SHORT TITLE: SPORT FISHING GUIDING SERVICES

SPONSOR(S): SENATOR(S) MCGUIRE

01/19/11	(S)	PREFILE RELEASED 1/7/11
01/19/11	(S)	READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS
01/19/11	(S)	RES, FIN
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#### **WITNESS REGISTER**

Testifiers are listed below under "Action Narrative"

#### **ACTION NARRATIVE**

[9:03:40 AM](#)

**CO-CHAIR THOMAS WAGONER** called the Senate Resources Subcommittee meeting to order at 9:03 a.m. in Anchorage. Since the meeting is by a subcommittee, no minutes are prepared, but a recording of the meeting is available on BASIS.

#### **SB 24-SPORT FISHING GUIDING SERVICES**

[9:12:48 AM](#)

The following people testified on SB 24:

DENNIS PETRE, Petre's Charter

GEORGE PIERCE, Nikiski

DAVE GOGGIA, Dave & Hook Charters, Kenai

RICKY GIESE, Kenai Rover Sport Fish Association, Soldotna

ANDY SZCZESNY, Soldotna

GREG SUTTER, Alaska Charter Association, Homer

JOEL HANSON, The Boat Company, Sitka

SONNY PETERSON, Katmai Service Providers, Kulik Lodge

PETE RAYNOR, Katmai Air, Kulik Lodge

JIM ALBERT, Katmai Land, Brooks Lodge

JACK ROSKIND, Charter Operators of Alaska

SCOTT ROWEKAMP, Midnight Sun Trophy

ALAN LEMASTER, Klutina River Association, Copper River Salmon Charters, Gakona

REED MORISKY, Fairbanks Wilderness Fishing, Inc.

CHRIS ZWOLINSKI, Fairbanks

ROD ARNO, palmer Alaska Outdoor Council

MELVIN GROVE, PWSCBA Charter Boat Association, Big Lake

RUEBEN HANKE

HEATH HILYARD

KRISTEN LABRECQUE

CHACO PEARMAN, Kodiak

NANCY MORRIS LYON, King Salmon  
BRIAN CRAFT, Bristol Bay and Naknek area

[4:22:03 PM](#)

Meeting adjourned at 4:22 PM.