

AMENDMENT #2 BY SENATOR GARDNER

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TO: CSHB 129(FIN)

1 Page 3, line 7:

2 Delete "all or"

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4 Page 3, line 21, following "development.":

5 Insert "The area in which exploration and development is approved under this
6 subsection must be contiguous geographically and of similar biological, hydrological, and
7 resource characteristics and have been included in an areawide lease sale described by the
8 department in its five-year program of proposed oil and gas or gas only lease sales prepared
9 under AS 38.05.180(b). The director shall include in the approval a description of the area for
10 which the approval is applicable and how the area meets the requirements in this subsection."