

AMENDMENT # 2

OFFERED IN THE SENATE
TO: SCS CSHB 125(RES)

BY SENATOR GIESSEL

1 Page 1, line 1, following "Act":

2 Insert "**relating to the James Dalton Highway right-of-way;**"

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4 Page 1, following line 3:

5 Insert new bill sections to read:

6 **** Section 1.** AS 19.40.200(b) is amended to read:

7 (b) The prohibition on disposal of state land under (a) of this section does not
8 apply to a disposal

9 (1) to a licensed public utility or a licensed common carrier under
10 AS 38.05.810(e);

11 (2) for the reauthorization of leases that were in effect on January 1,
12 1994, for nonresidential purposes within the following development nodes:

13 (A) Coldfoot:

14 Township 28 North, Range 12 West, Fairbanks Meridian

15 Sections 3 - 4

16 Sections 9 - 10

17 Sections 15 - 16

18 Sections 20 - 22

19 (B) Yukon River Crossing:

20 Township 12 North, Range 10 West, Fairbanks Meridian

21 Sections 6 - 7

22 Township 12 North, Range 11 West, Fairbanks Meridian

23 Sections 1 - 2

- 1 Section 12
- 2 Township 13 North, Range 10 West, Fairbanks Meridian
- 3 Sections 29 - 32
- 4 Township 13 North, Range 11 West, Fairbanks Meridian
- 5 Section 22
- 6 Sections 25 - 27
- 7 Sections 34 - 36

8 (3) for nonresidential development within the following development
 9 nodes:

- 10 (A) Deadhorse:
- 11 Township 10 North, Range 14 East, Umiat Meridian
- 12 Township 10 North, Range 15 East, Umiat Meridian
- 13 Section 8
- 14 Sections 17 - 20
- 15 Section 30
- 16 (B) Coldfoot:
- 17 Township 28 North, Range 12 West, Fairbanks Meridian
- 18 Sections 3 - 4
- 19 Sections 9 - 10
- 20 Sections 15 - 16
- 21 Sections 20 - 22
- 22 Township 29 North, Range 12 West, Fairbanks Meridian
- 23 Sections 23 - 27
- 24 Sections 34 - 35
- 25 (C) Franklin Bluffs:
- 26 Township 4 North, Range 14 East, Umiat Meridian
- 27 Sections 3 - 4
- 28 Sections 9 - 10
- 29 Sections 15 - 16
- 30 (D) Happy Valley:
- 31 Township 3 South, Range 14 East, Umiat Meridian

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(E) Yukon River Crossing:

Township 12 North, Range 10 West, Fairbanks Meridian

Sections 6 - 7

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Sections 1 - 2

Section 12

Township 13 North, Range 10 West, Fairbanks Meridian

Sections 29 - 32

Township 13 North, Range 11 West, Fairbanks Meridian

Section 22

Section 25 - 27

Section 34 - 36; or

(4) necessary for

(A) an oil and gas lease or gas only lease under AS 38.05.180;

(B) exploration, development, production, or transportation of oil and gas north of 68 degrees north latitude; [OR]

(C) a state lease or materials sale for

(i) exploration, development, production, or transportation of oil or gas;

(ii) reconstruction or maintenance of state highways; or

(iii) construction or maintenance of airports; or

(D) access to land described in AS 19.40.210(d) on either side of the corridor.

* **Sec. 2.** AS 19.40.210 is amended by adding new subsections to read:

(d) The commissioner of transportation and public facilities may authorize facilities and access roads in the highway right-of-way and the commissioner of natural resources may authorize easements on state land within the corridor from the E. L. Patton Bridge north to the southern boundary of the North Slope Borough to facilitate access under (a)(1) - (4) of this section and to provide motorized access to

- 1 (1) adjacent federal land;
2 (2) Native allotments; and
3 (3) land conveyed to and held by Alaska Native corporations under the
4 Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act.

5 (e) Nothing in this section affects the validity of regulations adopted by the
6 Board of Game under AS 16.05.255 relating to hunt qualifications or the permissible
7 means of accessing certain hunting opportunities."
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9 Page 1, line 4:

10 Delete "**Section 1**"

11 Insert "**Sec. 3**"

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13 Renumber the following bill sections accordingly.