

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MR. TAYLOR

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 121

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the disposition of
7 surplus buffalo and musk oxen; providing
8 for private ownership."

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

10 Section 1. DISPOSITION OF SURPLUS ANIMALS. Whenever it is
11 determined by the Department of Fish and Game that a surplus
12 exists in the herds of buffalo and musk oxen under its control,
13 the department may, under regulations promulgated by it, grant
14 the surplus or portions of it to persons, groups, associations,
15 partnerships, or corporations for the purpose of raising and
16 breeding the animals as domestic stock for commercial purposes,
17 or for scientific and educational purposes. No person, group,
18 association, partnership, or corporation shall receive any animals
19 unless he proves, to the satisfaction of the Department of Fish
20 and Game, that he intends to raise and breed the animals, and has
21 the facilities for maintaining them under positive control.

22 Sec. 2. SALE OF MEAT. The sale of buffalo or musk oxen meat,
23 resulting from the slaughter of animals obtained under this Act
24 or their offspring is authorized.

25 Sec. 3. INFORMATION REQUIRED TO BE FURNISHED. The recipient
26 of any animals as a result of this Act shall furnish the Department
27 of Fish and Game any information the department may request
28 regarding the status of animals originally acquired under this Act,
29 or their offspring.

HB #121 as amended

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