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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 828

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act creating a long-range fisheries research
7 and development program for the state; and providing
8 for an effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 44.39 is amended by adding new sections to read:

11 ARTICLE 2. DIVISION OF FISHERIES

12 RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT.

13 Sec. 44.39.060. DUTIES OF DIVISION. The division of fisheries
14 research and development shall

15 (1) develop and continually maintain a comprehensive,
16 coordinated state plan for orderly present and long-range research,
17 rehabilitation and development of all aspects of the state's fisheries
18 for the perpetual use, benefit and enjoyment of all citizens;

19 (2) accelerate the responsible development of the fisheries
20 resources by encouraging increased utilization of these resources;

21 (3) research and improve the marketing and transportation
22 aspects of fisheries resources;

23 (4) through research expand the human knowledge of the
24 marine and other water environments of the state;

25 (5) encourage the investment by private enterprise in the
26 technological development and economic utilization of the fisheries
27 resources;

28 (6) improve the role of the state as a leader in the marine
29 sciences and the development of the fisheries resources;

1 (7) develop and improve the capabilities, performance, use
2 and efficiency of vehicles, equipment and instruments for use in
3 research, surveys and recovery;

4 (8) cooperate with other states, the federal government,
5 other nations and national and international organizations in marine
6 science and fisheries activities when cooperation is in the interest
7 of the state;

8 (9) participate in international, national and regional
9 conferences to assure the state's right to and control of the conti-
10 nental shelf;

11 (10) through research, rehabilitation and development
12 programs do all things necessary to insure perpetual and increasing
13 production and use of the food resources of Alaska waters and
14 continental shelf areas;

15 (11) develop ways and means for surveillance, prevention,
16 control and correction of pollution involving danger to water life in
17 Alaska waters and continental shelf areas.

18 ARTICLE 3. FISHERIES RESEARCH AND
19 DEVELOPMENT WORKING FUND.

20 Sec. 44.39.100. FISHERIES RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT WORKING FUND.

21 (a) There is created within the Department of Fish and Game a fund,
22 designated as the fisheries research and development working fund. The
23 fund shall be composed of money appropriated to it by the legislature.
24 The money in the fund shall be used to carry out the purposes of sec.
25 60 of this chapter.

26 (b) The department shall submit a plan for the expenditures from
27 this fund to the governor. No expenditures may be made from the fund
28 without the approval of the governor.

29 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval.

1 or on the day it becomes law without approval.

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