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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY  
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 *SCS CS* HOUSE BILL NO. 475 *FIN am FCC*  
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for the issuance of general obliga-  
7 tion bonds in the amount of \$6,500,000 for the purpose  
8 of paying the cost of fish and game facilities; and  
9 providing for an effective date."

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

11 \* Section 1. For the purpose of paying the cost of fish and game  
12 facilities, general obligation bonds of the state in the principal amount  
13 of not more than \$6,500,000 shall be issued and sold. The full faith,  
14 credit and resources of the state are pledged to the payment of the principal  
15 of and interest and redemption premium, if any, on these bonds. These  
16 bonds shall be issued under the provisions of AS 37.15 as those provisions  
17 read at the time of issuance.

18 \* Sec. 2. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified  
19 voters of the state, a special fund of the state to be known as the "1974  
20 Fish and Game Facilities Construction Fund" shall be established, to which  
21 shall be credited the proceeds of the sale of the bonds described in sec. 1  
22 of this Act except for the accrued interest and premiums. There is appro-  
23 priated from the "1974 Fish and Game Facilities Construction Fund" to the  
24 Department of Fish and Game the amount of \$6,500,000. The specific uses  
25 of the proceeds of these bonds shall be determined by the governor in  
26 accord with the following statement of the scope of the major projects as  
27 required by AS 24.30.037:

- 28 (1) Petersburg - Crystal Lake hatchery  
29 (2) Ketchikan - purchase new vessel

- 1 (3) Southcentral fish hatchery construction
- 2 (4) Homer - purchase new vessel
- 3 (5) Haines - fish counting system
- 4 (6) Bristol Bay - smolt sonar equipment
- 5 (7) Anchorage - X-ray spectroscopy unit
- 6 (8) Southcentral - rainbow brood stock facility
- 7 (9) Southeast king salmon egg take system
- 8 (10) Auke Bay saltwater rearing
- 9 (11) Southeast vessel acquisition
- 10 (12) Holitna River salmon counting weir
- 11 (13) Fire Lake Hatchery wastewater treatment
- 12 (14) fish transport unit for stocking
- 13 (15) hydro-acoustical gear and boat
- 14 (16) Kenai - rear, capture and transport system
- 15 (17) Kitoi Bay - hatchery repairs
- 16 (18) Kachemak - vessel acquisition
- 17 (19) Anvik River salmon counting weir
- 18 (20) Prince William Sound incubation system
- 19 (21) Kachemak Bay incubation system
- 20 (22) Southeast - gravel incubation facility
- 21 (23) Southeast fish ladders
- 22 (24) Anchorage and Kodiak - purchase public access
- 23 (25) Unga Island - Apollo Creek fish ladder
- 24 (26) Pavlov Bay - Middle Creek fish ladders
- 25 (27) Sitka - gravel incubation facility

26 \* Sec. 3. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified  
27 voters of the state, the amount of \$22,750 or as much of that amount as  
28 is found necessary is appropriated from the general fund of the state to  
29 the state bond committee to carry out the provisions of this Act and to

1 pay expenses incident to the sale and issuance of the bonds authorized  
2 in this Act. The amounts expended from the appropriation authorized by  
3 this section shall be reimbursed to the general fund from the proceeds  
4 of the sale of the bonds authorized by this Act.

5 \* Sec. 4. The question whether the bonds authorized in this Act are  
6 to be issued shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state at  
7 the next state general election and shall read substantially as follows:

8 Proposition

9 State General Obligation Fish and Game Facili-  
10 ties Bonds \$6,500,000

11 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds  
12 in the principal amount of not more than \$6,500,000 for the  
13 purpose of paying the cost of constructing fish and game  
14 facilities?

15 Bonds Yes [ ]  
16 Bonds No [ ]

17 \* Sec. 5. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval  
18 or on the day it becomes law without approval.

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