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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 475

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 \$10,500,000 for the  
8 purpose of paying the cost of fish and game management,  
9 development and enforcement facilities; and providing  
10 for an effective date."

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

12 \* Section 1. For the purpose of paying the cost of fish and game manage-  
13 ment, development, and enforcement facilities, general obligation bonds of  
14 the state in the principal amount of \$10,500,000 shall be issued and sold.  
15 The full faith, credit and resources of the state are pledged to the payment  
16 of the principal of and interest and redemption premium, if any, on these  
17 bonds. These bonds shall be issued under the provisions of AS 37.15 as  
18 those provisions read at the time of issuance.

19 \* Sec. 2. An "Advance Planning Revolving Fund" is established in the  
20 Department of Fish and Game. Initial funding of \$500,000 is to be provided  
21 from the sale of these bonds. Subsequent funding is to be provided by annual  
22 appropriation. These funds are to be used for developing a capital projects  
23 system, preparing schematic drawings, site selection and other preliminary  
24 planning for capital projects. Upon completion of preliminary planning and  
25 upon approval by the governor and legislature, appropriations may be requested  
26 by the governor and provided by the legislature.

27 \* Sec. 3. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified  
28 voters of the state, a special fund of the state to be known as the "1974  
29 Fish and Game Management, Development and Enforcement Facilities Construction

1 Fund" shall be established, to which shall be credited the proceeds of the  
2 sale of the bonds described in sec. 1 of this Act except for the accrued  
3 interest and premiums. There is appropriated from the "1974" Fish and Game  
4 Management, Development and Enforcement Facilities Construction Fund" to the  
5 Department of Fish and Game the amount of \$10,500,000. The specific uses of  
6 the proceeds of these bonds shall be determined by the governor in accordance  
7 with the following statement of the scope of the major projects as required  
8 by AS 24.30.037:

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

1 (22) Unga Island - Apollo Creek fish ladder

2 (23) Pavlov Bay - Middle Creek fish ladders

3 (24) Sitka - gravel incubation facility

4 (25) gravel incubation facilities:

5 (A) Southeast - 2

6 (B) Prince William Sound - 1

7 (C) Kodiak - 1

8 (D) Cook Inlet - 1

9 (E) Southwestern - 2

10 (F) Interior - 1

11 (26) Fishery research, management and enforcement vessel

12 (27) Advance Planning Revolving Fund

13 \* Sec. 4. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified  
14 voters of the state, the amount of \$36,750 or as much of that amount as is  
15 found necessary is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the  
16 state bond committee to carry out the provisions of this Act and to pay  
17 expenses incident to the sale and issuance of the bonds authorized in this  
18 Act. The amounts expended from the appropriation authorized by this section  
19 shall be reimbursed to the general fund from the proceeds of the sale of  
20 the bonds authorized by this Act.

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

24 Proposition

25 State General Obligation Fish and Game Management,

26 Development and Enforcement Facilities Bonds \$10,500,000

27 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds  
28 in the principal amount of \$10,500,000 for the purpose of  
29 paying the cost of constructing fish and game management,

1 development and enforcement facilities?

2 Bonds Yes [ ]

3 Bonds No [ ]

4 \* Sec. 6. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and  
5 approval or on the day it becomes law without approval.

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