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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE REOURCES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 8

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act creating the Palmer Hay Flats Game Refuge; and  
7 providing for an effective date."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 16.20 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 16.20.032. PALMER HAY FLATS GAME REFUGE. (a) The following  
11 described state-owned lands and waters are established as the Palmer Hay  
12 Flats State Game Refuge:

13 (1) Township 16 North, Range 1 West, Seward Meridian

14 Section 2: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4

15 Section 3: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, N 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4

16 Section 4: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, N 1/2, NW 1/4 SW 1/4

17 Section 5: Lots 1, 2, 3, N 1/2, N 1/2 S 1/2, SW 1/4  
18 SW 1/4

19 Section 6: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, E 1/2, E 1/2 W 1/2

20 Section 7: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, NW 1/4 NE 1/4, NE 1/4  
21 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4

22 Section 8: Lot 1

23 (2) Township 17 North, Range 1 West, Seward Meridian

24 Section 25: All

25 Section 26: S 1/2, S 1/2 N 1/2, N 1/2 NE 1/4, NE 1/4  
26 NW 1/4

27 Section 27: S 1/2, SE 1/4 NE 1/4

28 Section 31: Lot 4, SE 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4, SE 1/4, NE 1/4,  
29 S 1/2 SW 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4

1 Section 32: S 1/2, S 1/2 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4  
2 NW 1/4

3 Section 32: S 1/2, S 1/2 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4  
4 NW 1/4

5 Section 33: All

6 Section 34: All

7 Section 35: All

8 (3) Township 17 North, Range 1 East, Seward Meridian

9 Section 28: N 1/2 SE 1/4

10 Section 31: Lots 5, 7, 8, 9, 10

11 Section 32: NE 1/4

12 Section 33: SW 1/4 NW 1/4

13 (b) Selections under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act  
14 (PL 92-203, 85 Stat. 688) within this area are recognized as valid prior  
15 claims and the land within the area described in (a) of this section may  
16 not include land patented to a Native corporation under that Act.

17 (c) Land selected by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough in Township 17,  
18 North Range 1 East S.M. shall be included in the Palmer Hay Flats Game  
19 Refuge, subject to borough approval. If the borough relinquishes the  
20 selection of these lands, the selected lands become part of the Palmer  
21 Hay Flats Refuge.

22 \* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-

23 070(c).