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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 258 am S

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 Gas Pipeline Impact Committee; and  
7 providing for an effective date."

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

9 \*Section 1. AS 31.30 is amended by adding new sections to read:

10 Sec. 31.30.040. GAS PIPELINE IMPACT COMMITTEE. There is created  
11 the Gas Pipeline Impact Committee consisting of 12 members, appointed as  
12 follows: six members of the house of representatives at least two of  
13 whom shall be a member of the minority party appointed by the speaker of  
14 the house; six members of the senate at least two of whom shall be a  
15 member of the minority party appointed by the president of the senate.

16 Sec. 31.30.050. COMPENSATION. Members of the Gas Pipeline Impact  
17 Committee receive the same travel pay and per diem as provided by law  
18 for board members.

19 Sec. 31.30.060. STAFF. The committee may employ those persons  
20 necessary to carry out the purposes of secs. 40 - 70 of this chapter,  
21 including but not limited to regular or temporary employees, consul-  
22 tants, and other experts in the field.

23 Sec. 31.30.070. DUTIES OF THE COMMITTEE. The Gas Pipeline Impact  
24 Committee shall

25 (1) study route proposals by permit applicants to transport-  
26 natural gas within or from the state, recommending a route which would  
27 maximize the economic benefits to the state, consistent with the public  
28 interest;

29 (2) study and recommend methods of state assistance and

1 involvement in the planning, development, and transportation of  
2 natural gas;

3 (3) consider the feasibility of full or partial state owner-  
4 ship of natural gas pipeline systems;

5 (4) determine means of receiving federal or other assistance  
6 for the development and transportation of natural gas;

7 (5) do other things considered advisable for maximizing the  
8 development of Alaska natural gas, consistent with the public interest,  
9 and adhering to Alaska resident hire laws;

10 (6) recommend legislation to accomplish the provisions of  
11 this section.

12 \* Sec. 2. AS 39.50.200(9) is amended by adding a new subparagraph to  
13 read:

14 (JJ) Gas Pipeline Impact Committee (AS 31.30.040)

15 \* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.  
16 070(c).

17 \* Sec. 4. This Act expires January 1, 1977.  
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