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Referred: Resources and  
Judiciary

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 351

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the issuance of commercial fishing  
7 entry permits."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 16.43.270 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

10 (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the commission  
11 shall issue an entry permit to any person who can demonstrate that fail-  
12 ure to issue him a permit constitutes undue hardship. In this subsec-  
13 tion, "undue hardship" means an inability to continue in a fishery in  
14 which the claimant has participated for a substantial portion of his  
15 life, loss of ability to provide for himself and his family through  
16 fishing, the need to enter a different fishery because of physical  
17 incapacity, or by reason of being on active military service during the  
18 time he would otherwise have qualified. This undue hardship clause is  
19 specifically limited to those who have demonstrated active participation  
20 in the state fisheries since January 1, 1960 and who are presently  
21 ready, willing and able to continue in the fishery.  
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