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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 369

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 subsistence hunting; and providing
7 for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 16.05 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 16.05.255. SUBSISTENCE HUNTING REGULATIONS. (a) The board
11 shall adopt regulations providing for subsistence hunting in a game
12 management unit or subunit or a portion of a unit or subunit only upon
13 recommendations submitted by a majority vote of the active local advisory
14 committees for that game management unit or subunit, including but not
15 limited to:

16 (1) the establishment of subsistence hunting areas;

17 (2) the regulation of transportation methods and means to
18 protect subsistence hunting within subsistence hunting areas, including
19 the prohibition or limitation of mechanized vehicles and air craft;

20 (3) the establishment of open and closed seasons and areas to
21 protect subsistence hunting;

22 (4) the limitation of hunting to only one sex of the animal.

23 (b) In this section

24 (1) "subsistence hunting" means the taking of game animals by
25 a state resident for food or clothing for personal or immediate family
26 use;

27 (2) "subsistence hunting area" means an area designated by
28 the board as primarily important for subsistence use and in which it is
29 unlikely that subsistence needs will be met if recreational hunting in-

1 cluding hunting for trophy purposes, is permitted or if certain methods
2 and means are continued.

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

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