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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 644

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act expanding the Captain Cook Recreation Area."
7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

8 * Section 1. AS 41.20.130 is amended to read:

9 Sec. 41.20.130. DECLARATION OF PURPOSE. The purpose of secs.
10 130--160 of this chapter is [TO EMPOWER THE GOVERNOR] to restrict
11 state owned lands and waters described in sec. 140 of this chapter to
12 use as a public recreation area. Under the provisions of AS 38.-
13 05.300, state land, water or land and water containing more than 640
14 acres may be closed to multiple purpose use only by act of the legis-
15 lature. Because the area described in sec. 140 of this chapter ex-
16 ceeds 640 acres, secs. 130--160 of this chapter are intended to
17 provide for the closing of the described lands and waters to multiple
18 purpose use in conformity with AS 38.05.300 and [THEIR SUBSEQUENT
19 DESIGNATION AS A SPECIAL PURPOSE SITE IN ACCORDANCE WITH] article
20 VIII, sec. 7, of the Constitution of the State of Alaska.

21 * Sec. 2. AS 41.20.140 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

22 Sec. 41.20.140. DESIGNATED STATE LAND AND WATER RESTRICTED TO
23 USE AS PUBLIC RECREATION. The land and water owned by the state on
24 the effective date of this Act, and all the land and water acquired by
25 the state after that date, lying within the boundary described in this
26 section, are designated as the Captain Cook Recreation Area, are
27 reserved from all uses incompatible with their primary function as
28 public recreation land and water, and are assigned to the Department
29 of Natural Resources for control, development and maintenance.

1 (1) Township 8 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian,
2 Sections 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29; Township 8 North, Range 10 West,
3 Seward Meridian, E 1/2 of W 1/2, and E 1/2, Section 15; Township 8
4 North, Range 10 West, Seward Meridian; Township 8 North, Range 10,
5 West, Seward Meridian, E 1/2, SE 1/4, Section 10.

6 (2) Beginning at the N.W. corner of the area designated in
7 (1) of this section, that point being the N.W. corner of Section 20,
8 T8N, R10W, Seward Meridian; thence easterly along the section line to
9 the S.W. corner of the SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 15, T8N, R10W,
10 thence northerly along the 1/16 line to the N.W. corner of the NE 1/4
11 of the NW 1/4 of Section 15, T8N, R10W, thence easterly along the
12 section line to the S.W. corner of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 10,
13 T8N, R10W, thence northerly along the 1/16 line to the N.W. corner of
14 the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 10, T8N, R10W; thence easterly
15 along the 1/4 line to N.E. corner of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 10,
16 T8N, R10W; thence southerly along the section line to the S.E. corner
17 of Section 27, T8N, R10W; thence westerly along the section line to
18 the S.W. corner of Section 29, T8N, R10W; thence northerly along the
19 section line to the point of beginning, containing approximately 4,360
20 acres.
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