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SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 195

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to fishing by means of spear or bow
and arrow."

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

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

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Sec. 16.05.785. FISHING BY SPEAR OR BOW AND ARROW. (a) Sport
fishing in fresh water by means of a hand-held, manually operated spear
or by means of a bow and arrow for northern pike, whitefish, burbot
(freshwater ling), or suckers is a permissible method for the capture of
fish. The Board of Fisheries shall adopt regulations under AS 16.05.-
251(4) relating to fishing by spear or bow and arrow in accordance with
this section.

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(b) The commissioner of fish and game or his designee, under
AS 16.05.060, or the Board of Fisheries, under AS 16.05.251(2), shall
close waters to fishing by means described in (a) or (b) of this section
during periods of salmon runs or salmon spawning.