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1 IN THE SENATE BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST

2 SENATE BILL NO. 589

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the termination, continuation, or  
7 reestablishment of state agencies, boards, and commis-  
8 sions under AS 08.03 and AS 44.66; and providing for an  
9 effective date."

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

11 \* Section 1. AS 08.03.020(a) is amended to read:

12 (a) Upon termination, a [EACH] board listed in AS 08.03.010 shall  
13 continue in existence until June 30 of the next succeeding year for the  
14 purpose of concluding its affairs. During this period, termination does  
15 not reduce or [OTHERWISE] limit the powers or authority of a [EACH]  
16 board. One year after the date of termination, a board not continued  
17 shall cease all activities.

18 \* Sec. 2. AS 44.66.010 is amended to read:

19 Sec. 44.66.010. TERMINATION OF STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMIS-  
20 SIONS. (a) A state agency, board, or commission [BOARDS AND COMMIS-  
21 SIONS] listed in this subsection is terminated [EXPIRE] on the date set  
22 out [AFTER EACH]:

23 (1) Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (AS 04.05.010) --  
24 June 30, 1979;

25 (2) Alaska Transportation Commission (AS 42.07.011) --  
26 June 30, 1979;

27 (3) State Board of Parole (AS 33.15.010) -- June 30, 1980;

28 (4) Alaska Public Utilities Commission (AS 42.05.010) --  
29 June 30, 1980;

1 (5) Alaska Pipeline Commission (AS 42.06.010) -- June 30,  
2 1981;

3 (6) Alaska Council on Science and Technology (AS 44.19.181) --  
4 June 30, 1983;

5 (7) Alaska Renewable Resources Corporation (AS 37.12.010) --  
6 June 30, 1982.

7 (b) Upon termination, a state agency, board, or commission listed  
8 in (a) of this section shall continue in existence until June 30 of the  
9 next succeeding year for the purpose of concluding its affairs. During  
10 this period, termination does not reduce or limit the powers or authority  
11 of the state agency, board, or commission.

12 (c) A state agency, board, or commission scheduled for termination  
13 under this chapter may be continued or reestablished by the legislature  
14 for a period not to exceed four years.

15 \* Sec. 3. AS 44.66.050(a) is amended to read:

16 (a) Before the termination, dissolution, continuation or reestab-  
17 lishment of a board or commission under AS 08.03.010 or AS 44.66.010, or  
18 of an agency program under AS 44.66.020 and 44.66.030, a committee of  
19 reference of each house, which shall be the standing committee of legis-  
20 lative jurisdiction as provided in the Uniform Rules of the Legislature,  
21 shall hold one or more hearings to receive testimony from the public,  
22 the commissioner of the department having administrative responsibility  
23 for each named board, commission, or agency program, and the members of  
24 the board or commission involved. The hearings may be joint hearings.  
25 The committee shall also consider the proposed budget of the board,  
26 commission, or agency program, prepared in accordance with AS 37.07.-  
27 050(f), and the performance audit of the activities of the board, commis-  
28 sion, or agency program, prepared by the legislative audit division as  
29 prescribed in AS 24.20.271(1). The committee may consider any other

1 report of the activities of the board, commission or program, including  
2 but not limited to annual reports, summaries prepared by the Legislative  
3 Affairs Agency, and any evaluation or general report of the manner of  
4 conduct of activities of the board, commission, or agency program pre-  
5 pared by the office of the ombudsman. The committee may meet and may  
6 hold hearings between sessions of the legislature when authorized by the  
7 presiding officer of its house.

8 \* Sec. 4. AS 44.66.050 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

9 (f) The termination date (established under AS 08.03.010 or AS 44.-  
10 66.010) for a state agency, board, or commission is not changed by a  
11 failure on the part of the committee of reference to comply with the  
12 requirements of this section.

13 \* Sec. 5. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-  
14 070(c).

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