

Original sponsor: Moss

Offered: 4/9/81
Referred: Finance

Funding Information

General Fund	\$275,000
Other Funds	-0-
	<u>\$275,000</u>

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

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CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 83 (Resources)

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act making special appropriations to the Depart-

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ment of Fish and Game for bison management; and provid-

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ing for an effective date."

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

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* Section 1. The sum of \$25,000 is appropriated from the general fund to

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the Department of Fish and Game to

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(1) divert bison from farm crops in the Delta Junction area;

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(2) encourage bison migration to the Delta Junction Bison Range;

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(3) study fall bison migration patterns in order to develop

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methods of reducing bison damage to crops.

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* Sec. 2. The sum of \$250,000 is appropriated from the general fund to

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the Department of Fish and Game to clear and plant soil on the Delta Junction

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Bison Range (AS 16.20.300) to provide alternate winter range and diversionary

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crops and forage for bison. The appropriation made by this section is

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contingent upon the signing of a cooperative bison management agreement

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between the Department of Fish and Game, the Alaska Agricultural Action

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Council (AS 44.33.450), and the United States Army commander at Fort Greely.

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* Sec. 3. The unexpended and unobligated portions of the appropriations

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made by this Act lapse into the general fund June 30, 1982.

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* Sec. 4. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-

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