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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

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CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 512 (State Affairs)

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to appointments to the boards of
7 fisheries and game."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 16.05.221 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 16.05.221. BOARDS OF FISHERIES AND GAME. (a) For purposes
11 of the conservation and development of the fishery resources of the
12 state, there is created the Board of Fisheries composed of seven
13 members appointed by the governor, subject to confirmation by a major-
14 ity of the members of the legislature in joint session. At least 30
15 days before making an appointment to the Board of Fisheries, the
16 governor shall publish the names of the proposed appointees in news-
17 papers in all sections of the state and shall accept public comment on
18 the fitness of the proposed appointees to sit on the Board of Fisher-
19 ies. The appointed members shall be residents of the state and shall
20 be appointed without regard to political affiliation or geographical
21 location of residence. The commissioner is not a member of the Board
22 of Fisheries, but shall be ex officio secretary.

23 (b) For purposes of the conservation and development of the game
24 resources of the state, there is created a Board of Game composed of
25 seven members appointed by the governor, subject to confirmation by a
26 majority of the members of the legislature in joint session. At least
27 30 days before making an appointment to the Board of Game, the gover-
28 nor shall publish the names of the proposed appointees in newspapers
29 in all sections of the state and shall accept public comment on the

1 fitness of the proposed appointees to sit on the Board of Game. The
2 appointed members shall be residents of the state, and shall be
3 appointed without regard to political affiliation or geographical
4 location of residence. The commissioner is not a member of the Board
5 of Game, but shall be ex officio secretary.