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1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE  
2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 61 (Resources)  
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
4 FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the renewal of permits or con-  
7 tracts for the use of mental health land of the  
8 state; and providing for an effective date."

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

10 \* Section 1. Section 2(d), ch. 132, SLA 1986, is amended to read:

11 (d) The commissioner of natural resources is responsible for the  
12 management of the mental health land of the state as a public trust  
13 under P.L. 84-830, 70 Stat. 709. Except as provided in [(e) OF] this  
14 section, the commissioner of natural resources may not sell, lease, or  
15 exchange mental health trust land of the state or an interest in the  
16 mental health trust land of the state without the prior approval of  
17 the commission. In reviewing a proposal for the sale, lease, or ex-  
18 change of mental health trust land from the commissioner of natural  
19 resources, the commission may approve the proposal of the commissioner  
20 on its determination that the proposal is consistent with the terms of  
21 the trust established by the Alaska Mental Health Enabling Act.

22 \* Sec. 2. Section 2, ch. 132, SLA 1986, is amended by adding new sub-  
23 sections to read:

24 (g) If a person files a timely application for the renewal of a  
25 permit under AS 38.05.850 for the use of mental health land of the  
26 state and the commission fails to reject it before the termination of  
27 the permit, the commissioner may extend the permit until the commis-  
28 sion has acted on the application for the renewal.

29 (h) If a person files a timely application for the renewal of a

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1 contract under AS 38.05.110 for the use of the mental health land of  
2 the state and the commission fails to reject it before the termination  
3 of the contract, the commissioner may extend the contract until the  
4 commission has acted on the application for the renewal.

5 \* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).