

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 188 (STATE AFFAIRS)
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Offered: 4/12/91

Referred: Finance

Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES FOSTER, Ivan, Gruenberg, Choquette, C.Davis, Sharp, Moyer, Kubina, Ulmer, R.Phillips, Carney, M.A.Miller, Hudson, Zawacki, Parnell, Gonzales, Baker, Donley, Larson, Taylor, Jacko, Mackie

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the issuance of citations and medallions to members of the armed
2 forces serving in the conflict with Iraq; and providing for an effective date."

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

4 * Section 1. MEDALLIONS AND CITATIONS. (a) The Department of Military and Veterans'
5 Affairs shall award a medallion and issue a citation to the following persons who served in the armed
6 forces of the United States during the conflict with Iraq:

7 (1) Alaska residents as determined by the department by regulation;

8 (2) persons permanently stationed in Alaska immediately before service in the conflict.

9 (b) An individual is not eligible for a medallion and citation unless the individual served on
10 active duty in the Persian Gulf and nearby areas, including the Mediterranean, Turkey, and Israel, in
11 response to the conflict.

12 (c) The department shall contract or otherwise arrange for the minting of the medallions from
13 .999 fine silver in a weight determined by the adjutant general of the department.

14 (d) The design for the medallion shall be determined in a competition conducted by the

1 department from among Alaska residents. The department shall award \$1,000 to the winner.

2 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).