

**CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 380 (STATE AFFAIRS)
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION**

BY THE SENATE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

**Offered: 2/12/92
Referred: Finance**

Sponsor(s): SENATORS CRAFT, Rodey, Uehling

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 who sacrificed their lives in the conflict;
8 (2) other Alaskans as determined by the department;
9 (3) persons permanently stationed in Alaska immediately before service in the conflict.

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

13 (c) Except as otherwise provided by (d) of this section, the department shall contract or
14 otherwise arrange for the design and minting of the medallions for the persons identified under (a) of

1 this section.

2 (d) The design of the medallions shall be determined in a competition conducted by the
3 department from among state residents. The department shall award \$1,000 to the winner of the
4 competition.

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