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1/20/75

COMMITTEE REPORT

FINANCE
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HOUSE

Mr. Speaker:

Date 1-28-75

The Committee on Resources ~~NRSE~~ has had House Bill 5

under consideration. A Majority of the members of the Committee

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() recommends it DO PASS WITH ATTACHED AMENDMENT(S)

recommends it BE REPLACED WITH CS FOR HR 5 ^(new title) AND THAT

CS FOR HR 5 DO PASS

() "and" recommends it BE REFERRED TO THE _____

COMMITTEE

() reports it back WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

() "other" Committee Report Attached

Members signing the Majority report:

John A. Anderson Alvan T. Esterhuysen
_____ Clifford Huntington
Mike Harshberger Leslie Swanson
McGowan _____

Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

_____ recommends:
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John A. Anderson Chairman

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Chairman

Original sponsor: Swanson

Offered: 3/28/75
Referred: Finance

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BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 5

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

NINTH Legislature . . . FIRST Session

HOUSE . . . BILL NO. . . 5

By SWANSON

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Undercover fish and game enforcement.

Introduced in the House . . . 1/20 . . . , 19 . . 75

HISTORY IN THE HOUSE

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Jan 20

Read first time and referred to Committee on Resources and Finance

Reported back with recommendation that

Read second time and

Read third time and

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Reconsideration

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CHIEF CLERK OF THE HOUSE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

HISTORY IN THE HOUSE

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Received from Senate

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Sent to Governor

By Governor

Filed with Lt. Governor

Chapter No.

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The Legislature of the State of Alaska
FISCAL NOTE

First Session - Ninth Legislature

I. REQUEST
 Bill No. _____ House Bill No. 5
 Title: _____ Undercover Unit Fish and Wildlife Protection
 Requested by: _____ Date: 3/27/75
 Return Date Requested: 3/28/75
 Agency: Public Safety Program: Fish & Game Resources (41)

II. FISCAL DETAIL
 Budget Request Unit(s) Affected: 04.41.05.01.01
 A. EXPENDITURES: (Thousands of dollars)

OBJECT	FY 75	FY 76	FY 77	FY 78	FY 79	FY 80
100 PERSONAL SERVICES		50.9	57.5	99.2	114.1	175.0
200 TRAVEL		11.0	11.6	18.3	19.2	26.7
300 CONTRACTUAL		37.0	46.7	68.0	74.8	100.0
400 COMMODITIES		2.0	1.0	2.0	1.5	2.5
500 EQUIPMENT				20.0		20.0
600 LAND & STRUCTURES						
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.						
TOTAL		100.0	110.8	207.5	209.6	324.2

B. FUNDING: (Thousands of dollars)

GENERAL FUND		100.0	110.8	207.5	209.6	324.2
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						

C. POSITIONS:

PERMANENT/TEMPORARY	/	2 /	2 /	3 /	3 /	4 /
MAN MONTHS (P./T.)	/	24 /	24 /	36 /	36 /	48 /

III. ANALYSIS (See Fiscal Note Preparation Instructions, Section III)

See attached sheet.

IV. ATTACHMENTS
 Summary

V. DATE: 3/27/75 PREPARED BY: Vona L. Hall, Fiscal Officer
 Department of Public Safety

Original: Legislative Finance
 cc: Budget and Management
 Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)

HR 5

STATE OF ALASKA

JAY S. HAMMOND, Governor

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

DIVISION OF FISH AND WILDLIFE PROTECTION

Pouch N
Juneau, Alaska 99811

March 27, 1975

Honorable Nels A. Anderson, Jr.
Chairman
House Resource Committee
Room 106, 109 Capitol
Juneau, Alaska 99801

Dear Representative Anderson:

Previous discussion with you and with members of your committee have adequately clarified and conveyed the thoughts and interpretation of the committee toward the intent of House Bill No. 5. It is the desire of the Division of Fish and Wildlife to conform with the opinion and intent of the committee, and I suggest the following program to conform with these previous discussions.

There presently exists within the Division of Fish and Wildlife, Department of Public Safety, an investigative unit comprised of three officers charged with responsibility to methodically pursue and prepare for court prosecution, evidence of unlawful activity in fish and wildlife resources. An addition to this existing unit of two full time positions would be provided by special appropriation.

The two investigator incumbents would be specifically charged with the responsibility of devoting full attention to the unlawful commercial utilization of fish and game resources with the goal of bringing the offenders before the courts in criminal actions. The appropriation would provide the potential to accomplish a style of undercover enforcement in fish and wildlife proven to be successful in such areas as narcotics and consumer fraud.

An outline of projected costs for the initial program is attached. Funds appropriated for the specific purpose of this program would be assigned an individual code, and funds expended would be accountable for review. A report of activity and expenditure would be made available for legislative review.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD L. BURTON
COMMISSIONER

Fred M. Woldstad
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<u>Position</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Annual</u>
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		36,000
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		42,645
Benefits @ 18%		<u>7,355</u>
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