

"An Act appropriating to the Office of the Governor for preliminary planning for an international conference of oil and gas development impacted; effective date."

COMMITTEE REPORT

2/27/76

HOUSE

Mr. Speaker:

Date March 25 1976

The Committee on FINANCE has had HB 707

under consideration. A Majority of the members of the Committee

recommends it DO PASS

recommends it DO NOT PASS

recommends it DO PASS WITH ATTACHED AMENDMENT(S)

recommends it BE REPLACED WITH CS FOR HB 707 AND THAT

CS FOR HB 707 DO PASS

"and" recommends it BE REFERRED TO THE _____

COMMITTEE

reports it back WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

"other"

Members signing the Majority report:

<u>J. Buchholtz</u>	<u>J. ...</u>	_____
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<u>...</u>	<u>J. Malone</u>	_____

Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

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J. Malone Chairman

HOUSE JOURNAL

CSHB 707

The House Finance Committee adopts the House Commerce Committee report. In addition, it should be noted that the purpose of the appropriation is to provide financial support only for the planning of the international conference, and that no further general fund contributions are contemplated.

The Committee believes that the organization chosen by the Governor should immediately define with ~~more~~ clarity the areas of discussion which are to be covered by the conference, and then take steps to contact the appropriate officials or other persons in the states and nations which will be represented at the conference so that the purpose will be understood by the participants.

It is the opinion of the Committee that the holding of the international conference will be of substantial benefit to Alaska, not only in terms of good will and understanding, but also in terms of practical suggestions for future state policy.

Rep. Hugh Malone, Chairman
House Finance Committee

Introduced: 2/10/76
Referred: Commerce and
Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY FISCHER

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 707

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act appropriating to the office of the governor for
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8 oil and gas development impacted; and providing for an
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10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

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12 the office of the governor (policy, development and planning) to be made avail-
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14 history of service in the state to accomplish the preliminary work for an
15 international conference representative of oil producing states of the Union
16 and foreign countries. The conference is to examine existing and recommended
17 public policies appropriate to regions experiencing an accelerated surge of
18 oil and gas development. The appropriated money and the matching money are
19 to be used to make preliminary plans and secure private and foundation funds
20 necessary to the holding of the international conference in Alaska.

21 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
22 070(c).

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Original sponsor: Finance Committee

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BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

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* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-070(c).

HOUSE COMMERCE COMMITTEE REPORT

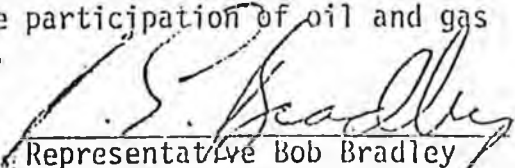
House Bill No. 707 appropriates \$50,000 to the Office of the Governor (Division of Policy Development & Planning) for the preliminary planning for an international conference of oil producing jurisdictions to "examine existing and recommended public policies appropriate to regions experiencing an accelerated surge of oil and gas development." The appropriated money is to be matched by an Alaska private or non-profit group on a 75-25 basis in order to accomplish the necessary preliminary planning and to secure private and foundation funds necessary for holding the actual conference.

The Commerce Committee supports the appropriation and effort provided for in House Bill No. 707. The Committee hopes that legislative action will be expeditious and that the Governor, within ten days after the effective date of the act, will designate the qualified sponsoring organization so that work on the conference planning can get underway as soon as possible.

It is the view of the committee that the sponsoring organization selected should be one that:

- (1) is organized under the state or federal tax laws so as to categorize it as an educational or service type of organization which is qualified for a tax exempt status and authorized to receive foundation and other contributions;
- (2) has a record of commitment and effort in promoting international understanding and exchange of information; and
- (3) does not now or has not in recent years endorsed, promoted or opposed oil and gas related developments in Alaska.

It is also the position of the Committee that the sponsoring organization present to the Governor, within 45 days of its designation, a preliminary plan for a balance program for the proposed international conference which will promise to attract the support of Alaskans, the private foundations whose financial support will be requested, and the participation of oil and gas producing jurisdictions concerned.


Representative Bob Bradley
Chairman, House Commerce Committee

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Offered: 4/16/76
Referred: Rules

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Offered 5/7/76
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BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

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COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

5/7/76

Mr. President:

Date _____

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Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

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_____ Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT

Finance

4/26/76

SENATE

Mr. President:

Date May 6, 1976

The Committee on State Affairs has had CSHB 707 appropriating to the Office of the Gov. for Preliminary planning..int'l conf. or under consideration. A Majority of the members of the Committee oil

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same title

(X) "and" recommends it BE REFERRED TO THE Finance COMMITTEE

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Members signing the Majority report:

John Hoover _____

M. Elwood _____

Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

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John Hoover Chairman

Original sponsor: Fischer

Offered 5/7/76

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ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

NINTH Legislature SECOND Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 707

By FISCHER

"An Act appropriating to the Office of the Governor for preliminary planning for an international conference of oil and gas development impacted; and providing for an effective date."

International conf/oil & gas dev.

Introduced in the House ... 2/10, 1975

HISTORY IN THE HOUSE

19 76	Feb 10	Read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Finance												
Feb 27		Reported back with recommendation that <i>Com of 20 Fin</i>												
Apr 16		<i>in place of CS. 700 title of Rules</i>												
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HISTORY IN THE SENATE

19 76	12	Read first time and referred to Committee on <i>State Affairs; Finance</i>												
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HISTORY IN THE HOUSE

19		Received from Senate
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	 By Governor
		Filed with Lt. Governor
		Chapter No.

THE CONFERENCE IS TO EXAMINE EXISTING AND RECOMMENDED PUBLIC POLICIES APPROPRIATE TO REGIONS EXPERIENCING AN EXHILARATED SURGE OF OIL AND GAS DEVELOPMENT. OUR COMMUNITY OF INTEREST IN THIS RESPECT IS WITH NORWAY, SCOTLAND (BRITAIN), SAUDI ARABIA, IRAN, ALGERIA, ETC., AMONG THE NATIONS, AND TEXAS AND LOUISIANA AMONG THE STATES, AND POSSIBLY SOME OIL-RICH MUNICIPALITIES IN CALIFORNIA - AND THESE STATES MAY HAVE IMPORTANT INPUT. ALL OF THESE REGIONS HAVE ADOPTED DISTINCTIVE APPROACHES TO OIL AND GAS DEVELOPMENT ISSUES AND HAVE VARYING EXPERIENCES FROM THEM. SOME OF THEM WOULD LIKE TO HEAR HOW OTHERS HAVE DONE IT. WE WOULD LIKE TO HEAR HOW ALL OF THEM HAVE DONE IT. I THINK THAT IT IS PRETTY OBVIOUS THAT THE LEVEL OF PUBLIC UNDERSTANDING OF MATTERS OF TREMENDOUS IMPORT TO THE STATE IS PRACTICALLY NIL. WE CANNOT AFFORD TO TRADE INDEFINITELY IN CLICHES ABOUT OIL OR THE ENVIRONMENT, IN FACT THIS TYPE OF CONFERENCE SHOULD HAVE BEEN SET UP YEARS AGO.

THERE ARE A NUMBER OF THINGS THIS CONFERENCE IS NOT. IT IS NOT ALASKA TRYING TO JOIN OPEC. IT IS NOT AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THE WORLD'S ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS. IT IS NOT A WORLD ENERGY CONFERENCE. THE FOCUS IS NOT ON INTERNATIONAL POLICIES, BUT RATHER POLICIES RELATING TO LOCALIZED SITUATIONS . . . THE IMPACT OF DEVELOPMENT ON PEOPLE WHO LIVE IN PROXIMITY TO THESE RESOURCES, ON THEIR LIFE STYLES, THEIR ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL WELFARE.

IT IS MY HOPE THAT THIS CONFERENCE WILL FOCUS ON THE HUMAN DIMENSIONS. THAT IT WILL EXAMINE MANAGEMENT POLICY, WHETHER GOVERNMENTAL OR PRIVATE, WHICH AFFECTS THE HAPPINESS OF THE INDIVIDUAL, WHO BY CHOICE OR BY ACCIDENT OF GEOGRAPHY FINDS HIS LIFE SUDDENLY CONTROLLED BY THE DYNAMICS OF THE OIL DEVELOPMENT PROCESS. WE HOPE TO FOCUS ON THE FRONTIER WHOSE CHANGE IS RAPID AND EXTREME. THE CONCERN IS FOR IMPACT IN AREAS NOT PREVIOUSLY EXPERIENCING OIL DEVELOPMENT ON A GREAT MAGNITUDE. WE HOPE TO DRAW ON THE EXPERIENCE OF AREAS WHICH HAVE BEEN FORCED TO RESPOND TO THESE ISSUES, OR HAVE BEEN OVERRUN

BY THEM, FOR BETTER OR WORSE DURING THE LAST HALF CENTURY. THE CHAIRMAN'S REPORT LAYS OUT THE TYPE OF PRIVATE OR NON-PROFIT GROUP TO HANDLE THE INITIAL CONFERENCE. THE SPONSORING ORGANIZATION MUST BE ONE THAT: 1) IS ORGANIZED UNDER THE STATE OR FEDERAL TAX LAWS SO AS TO CATEGORIZE IT AS AN EDUCATIONAL OR SERVICE TYPE OF ORGANIZATION WHICH IS QUALIFIED FOR A TAX EXEMP STATUS AND AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE FOUNDATION AND OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS; 2) HAS A RECORD OF COMMITMENT AND EFFORT IN PROMOTING INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING AND EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION; AND 3) DOES NOT NOW OR HAS NOT IN RECENT YEARS ENDORSES, PROMOTED, OR OPPOSED OIL AND GAS RELATED DEVELOPMENTS IN ALASKA.

I HAVE BEEN IN CONTACT WITH THE WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL, WHICH FITS THE ABOVE QUALIFICATIONS. RECENTLY THE COUNCIL ADOPTED A RESOLUTION ENDORSING HOUSE BILL 707 AND HAS MADE A TENTATIVE COMMITMENT OF MOST OF THE FUNDS NECESSARY TO MATCH. THE COUNCIL WILL CONDUCT A FUND RAISING CAMPAIGN IN THE ALASKA COMMUNITY FOR THE BALANCE. FUNDS FOR THIS MATCH WILL NOT BE SOLICITED FROM OIL COMPANIES. THE COUNCIL ALSO RECOGNIZES THE BROAD RANGE OF INTEREST INVOLVED AND WILL CONSULT REGULARLY CONCERNING ITS PLANS AND PROGRESS WITH LOCAL AND NATIONAL SCHOLARS, INSTITUTES SUCH AS THE BROOKINGS INSTITUTE, THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCE, ALASKAN LEGISLATIVE LEADERS IN BOTH PARTIES, CITIZENS OF VARYING REGIONS OF THE STATE, THE EXECUTIVE OFFICES OF THE STATE, THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT, AMONG OTHERS. THE COUNCIL ALSO RECOGNIZES THE NECESSITY OF PRESERVING A PROJECT ATMOSPHERE ABOVE PARTISANSHIP, ABOVE THE CONSTRAINTS OF ANY IDEOLOGY OR PHILOSOPHY, FREE OF THE SUSPICION THAT IT IS RUN BY OR FOR ANY INTEREST GROUP. THE COUNCIL IS STIMULATED TO THIS TASK OUT OF RECOGNITION THAT THE CITIZENS OF ALASKA HAVE BECOME TRUSTEES TO ONE OF THE GREAT UNTAPPED RESERVOIRS OF ENERGY RESOURCES IN THE WORLD. EACH ALASKAN HAS A GREAT PERSONAL STAKE IN THIS SPECIAL FUTURE, YET WE ARE ILL-EQUIPPED BY EDUCATION TO MEET THE RESPONSIBILITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES BEFORE US. A WORLD CONFERENCE ON THE DYNAMICS OF THE PETROCENTRIC FRONTIER WILL BRING ALASKANS OF AGE. IT WILL PROVIDE THE PUBLIC EDUCATION BASE WHICH IS ESSENTIAL TO THE SUCCESSFUL MANAGEMENT OF A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY.

HOUSE JOURNAL

ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

JUNEAU, ALASKA

Friday

February 27, 1976

Forty-Seventh Day

Pursuant to adjournment, the House was called to order by Speaker Bradner at 10:10 a.m.

Roll call showed all members present except Representatives H. Beirne and Huntington. Mr. Huntington had previously been excused from a call of the House today. Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that Representative H. Beirne be excused on official state business. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that Mr. Brown be excused from a call of the House from 10:30 a.m. today for the balance of the day. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Pastor Gene Foshee of the First Baptist Church. Mr. Gruening moved and asked unanimous consent that today's prayer be spread on the journal. There being no objection, the prayer appears as follows:

"Dear Lord, we offer our gratitude for Your activity of this week. You have made a Holy acknowledgement of Your presence. Now, we come closer to the hours that we can be with our families and communities throughout Alaska.

For them, too, we acknowledge with a deep sense of gratitude. For their care in our needs, when we felt too rushed to care. For their patience in our preoccupation, and their loving us when we did not love ourselves as we should. With them, we pray for rest in mind and body before another work week. In Jesus' name. Amen."

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 46th day be approved as certified. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

A message dated February 26, 1976 was read stating that the

CSSS Senate has passed COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITU-
 HB TUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 64 (relating to the public
 64 employees' retirement system; effective date) with the
 following amendment:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR COMMITTEE
 SUBSTITUTE FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITU TUTE FOR HOUSE
 BILL NO. 64 (same title)

and so, SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR COMMITTEE SUBSTITU-
 TUTE FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 64 is
 transmitted herewith for consideration.

Mr. Miller moved that the House concur in the Senate amend-
 ment to COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR
 HOUSE BILL NO. 64 and asked that the motion be defeated.

The question being: "Shall the House concur in the Senate
 amendment to COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE
 FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 64?" On voice vote, the House failed to
 concur.

The Speaker appointed the following members to a conference
 committee, with powers of free conference, on the above
 bill:

Representative Miller, Chairman

Representative Kelley

Representative Eliason

The Chief Clerk was instructed to so notify the Senate and
 respectfully request it to recede from its amendment.

A message dated February 26, 1976 was read stating the
 Senate has passed the following resolution and bills and
 the same are transmitted for consideration:

FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

SCR SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75 amended by Croft
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 am Relating to the development of a children's
 code.

was read the first time and referred to the Health, Educa-
 tion and Social Services Committee.

FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF SENATE BILLS

CSSB COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 460 by the State
 480 Affairs Committee, entitled:

"An Act relating to the retirement of elected
 public officers."

was read the first time and referred to the Committees on
 Judiciary and Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 494 by the Rules Committee by request of the Governor, entitled:

SB
494

"An Act providing for the temporary suspension of certain civil liabilities of National Guardsmen called into active service for the state."

was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 499 amended by the State Affairs Committee, entitled:

SB
499
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"An Act relating to the method of compensating state officers and employees; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Finance.

SENATE BILL NO. 596 by Ziegler by request, entitled:

SB
596

"An Act relating to larceny and embezzlement."

was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

SENATE BILL NO. 664 by Miller, Colletta, Croft, Ferguson, Huber, Ray and Ziegler, entitled:

SB
664

"An Act relating to the making of reparations to the taxpayer for late payment of tax refunds."

was read the first time and referred to the Committees on State Affairs and Finance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Finance Committee has had SENATE BILL NO. 476 amended (Alaska longevity bonus; effective date) under consideration and a majority of the members of the Committee recommends it be replaced with HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 476 (same title) and that it do pass. The report was signed by Mr. Malone, Chairman, and concurred in by Malone, Buchholdt, Duncan, Naughton, Guy, Haugen, Gruening and Cowper.

SB
476
am

SENATE BILL NO. 476 amended was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 605 The Finance Committee has had HOUSE BILL NO. 605 (relating to tax exempt obligations) under consideration and a majority of the members of the Committee recommends it be replaced with COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 605:

"An Act relating to tax exempt obligations; and providing for an effective date."

and that it do pass. The report was signed by Mr. Malone, Chairman, and concurred in by Malone, Buchholdt, Duncan, Itta, Guy, Gruening and Cowper. Not concurring was Haugen who recommends do not pass.

HOUSE BILL NO. 605 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 640 The Labor and Management Committee has had HOUSE BILL NO. 640 (relating to the transportation of employees) under consideration and a majority of the members of the Committee recommends it be replaced with COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 640 (same title) and that it do pass. The report was signed by Mr. Smith, Chairman, and concurred in by Kelley, Urion and Smith.

HOUSE BILL NO. 640 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 673 The Finance Committee has had HOUSE BILL NO. 673 (making a special appropriation to the Department of Community and Regional Affairs for the Telecommunications Committee composed of individuals representative of the regional non-profit associations; effective date) under consideration and a majority of the members of the Committee recommends it do pass. The report was signed by Mr. Malone, Chairman, and concurred in by Malone, Cowper, Naughton, Duncan, Buchholdt, Gruening and Itta. Not concurring was Haugen, who has no recommendation.

HOUSE BILL NO. 673 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 707 The Commerce Committee has had HOUSE BILL NO. 707 (appropriating to the Office of the Governor, preliminary planning for an international conference of oil and gas development impacted; effective date) under consideration and a majority of the members of the Committee recommends it do pass. The report was signed by Mr. Bradley, Chairman, and concurred in by Bradley, Wallis, Kelley, Fischer, McKinnon, Freeman and Rhode.

HOUSE BILL NO. 707 was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Commerce Committee Chairman's report on the above bill appears as follows:

HOUSE COMMERCE COMMITTEE REPORT

HB
707

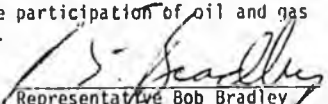
House Bill No. 707 appropriates \$50,000 to the Office of the Governor (Division of Policy Development & Planning) for the preliminary planning for an international conference of oil producing jurisdictions to "examine existing and recommended public policies appropriate to regions experiencing an accelerated surge of oil and gas development." The appropriated money is to be matched by an Alaska private or non-profit group on a 75-25 basis in order to accomplish the necessary preliminary planning and to secure private and foundation funds necessary for holding the actual conference.

The Commerce Committee supports the appropriation and effort provided for in House Bill No. 707. The Committee hopes that legislative action will be expeditious and that the Governor, within ten days after the effective date of the act, will designate the qualified sponsoring organization so that work on the conference planning can get underway as soon as possible.

It is the view of the committee that the sponsoring organization selected should be one that:

- (1) is organized under the state or federal tax laws so as to categorize it as an educational or service type of organization which is qualified for a tax exempt status and authorized to receive foundation and other contributions;
- (2) has a record of commitment and effort in promoting international understanding and exchange of information; and
- (3) does not now or has not in recent years endorsed, promoted or opposed oil and gas related developments in Alaska.

It is also the position of the Committee that the sponsoring organization present to the Governor, within 45 days of its designation, a preliminary plan for a balance program for the proposed international conference which will promise to attract the support of Alaskans, the private foundations whose financial support will be requested, and the participation of oil and gas producing jurisdictions concerned.


Representative Bob Bradley
Chairman, House Commerce Committee

The Select Committee on Education has had HOUSE BILL NO. HB 713 (student represent on the Board of Regents of the University of Alaska; effective date) under consideration and a majority of the members of the Committee recommends it do pass. The report was signed by Mr. Farr, Chairman, and concurred in by Hackney, Sullivan, Ostrosky, Swanson and H. Belrne. 713

HOUSE BILL NO. 713 was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

HB The Select Committee on Education has had HOUSE BILL NO.
740 (hiring of Alaska residents as school teachers) under
consideration and four of the members of the Committee
recommend it do pass. The report was signed by Mr. Parr,
Chairman, and concurred in by Ostrosky, Swanson, Osterback
and Parr. Not concurring were H. Beirne and Sullivan who
have no recommendation.

HOUSE BILL NO. 740 was referred to the Finance Committee.

HE The Commerce Committee has had HOUSE BILL NO. 802 (relating
802 to regulation of Taxicabs) under consideration and a major-
ity of the members of the Committee reports it back with
individual recommendations. The report was signed by Mr.
Bradley, Chairman. Bradley and McKinnon recommend do pass;
Wallis and Rudd have no recommendation; and Kelley, Fischer,
Urion, Freeman and Rhode recommend do not pass.

HOUSE BILL NO 802 was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES

HCS "The Conference Committee (with powers of free conference)
SB which has had SENATE BILL NO. 138 and HOUSE COMMITTEE
138 SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 138 amended by the House
am H (zoning in state parks) under consideration, recommends
that

FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE
COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 138
be adopted.

Senate members

House members

/s/ Patrick Rodey
Senator Rodey, Chairman

/s/ Samuel Cotten
Rep. Cotten, Chairman

/s/ J. Kerttula
Senator Kerttula

/s/ Specking - do not pass
Rep. Specking

/s/ J. Orsini - do not
Senator Orsini concur

/s/ Ted Smith
Rep. Smith"

Mr. Miller stated that he would bring this matter up under
Unfinished Business.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF HOUSE BILLS

HB HOUSE BILL NO. 846 by the Rules Committee by request of
846 the Governor, entitled:

"An Act creating the Fisheries Economic
Impact Council."

was introduced, read the first time and referred to the
Committees on Resources and Finance.

The Governor's letter on the above bill appears as follows:

"February 27, 1976

The Honorable Mike Bradner
Speaker of the House
Alaska State Legislature
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Speaker:

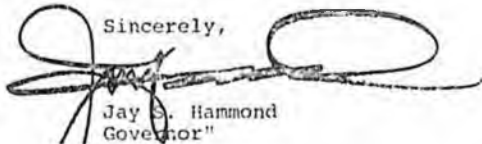
In accordance with AS 24.30.060(b) and the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, I am transmitting a bill creating a five-member Fisheries Economic Impact Council. The council would be comprised of the commissioner of commerce and economic development, the commissioner of fish and game and three other persons appointed by the governor.

The bill establishes a council to advise the governor of probable fisheries failure and economic measures which may be taken to help alleviate the effects on the area hit by a fisheries failure. Upon a finding of a fisheries failure, the governor would be empowered to declare, by proclamation, an area economically impacted by a fisheries failure. The governor could then request in his budget submission to the legislature an accelerated program for capitol projects in the affected area.

The bill also provides that the awards of contracts in an affected area would be conditioned upon employment and contractor preferences for those residing in the affected area. A waiver of certain bond and competitive bid requirements for public works, highway and trail projects in an affected area is also provided to insure that contractors in the financially distressed area could compete for the work.

The bill provides a mechanism to constructively respond to the effects of a fisheries failure and hopefully reduce its harmful economic effects.

Sincerely,



Jay S. Hammond
Governor"

CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that HOUSE BILL NO. 574 (liability for the provision of health-care services; changing the Alaska Supreme Court's Rules of Civil Procedure; effective date) be considered as the first item on today's calendar. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HB
574

HOUSE BILL NO. 574 was read the second time with the Judiciary Committee report (page 400 of the Journal).

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 574 be adopted in lieu of HOUSE BILL NO. 574. There being no objection, it was adopted.

Amendment No. 1 by Rudd:

Page 1, lines 7 and 8: Delete "changing the Alaska Supreme Court's Rules of Civil Procedure;"

Page 10, line 10 through page 13, line 2: Delete all material and renumber remaining sections accordingly.

Page 15, line 24: Delete "(1)"

Page 16, lines 4 and 5: Delete all material.

Page 31, lines 7 - 9: Delete all material and renumber remaining sections accordingly.

Mrs. Rudd moved and asked unanimous consent that amendment No. 1 be adopted.

Mr. Gardiner objected.

The question being: "Shall amendment No. 1 be adopted?" A roll call was requested and appears as follows:

Yeas: 5 Brown, Kelley, McKinnon, Parker, Rudd.

Nays: 34 Anderson, H. Beirne, M. Beirne, Bradley, Bradner, Buchholdt, Cotten, Cowper, Davis, Duncan, Eliason, Fischer, Freeman, Gardiner, Gruening, Guy, Hackney, Haugen, Hershberger, Itta, Malone, Miller, Naughton, Ose, Osterback, Ostrosky, Parr, Rhode, Smith, Specking, Sullivan, Swanson, Urion, Wallis.

Excused: 1 Huntington.

And so, amendment No. 1 was not adopted.

Amendment No. 2 by Rudd:

Page 10, line 29: Delete "less"; insert "more"

Mrs. Rudd moved and asked unanimous consent that amendment No. 2 be adopted.

Mr. Miller objected and withdrew his objection.

There being no further objection, amendment No. 2 was adopted.

CSHB
574
am

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 574 amended be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered, and the bill was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 574 amended pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

Yeas: 39 Anderson, H. Beirne, M. Beirne, Bradley, Bradner, Brown, Buchholdt, Cotten, Cowper, Davis, Duncan, Eliason, Fischer, Freeman, Gardiner, Gruening, Guy, Hackney, Haugen, Hershberger, Itta, Kelley, McKinnon, Malone, Miller, Naughton, Ose, Osterback, Ostrosky, Parker, Parr, Rhode, Rudd, Smith, Specking, Sullivan, Swanson, Urion, Wallis.

Nays: 0

Excused: 1 Huntington.

And so, COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 574 amended passed the House.

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the above bill be considered the roll call on changing the Alaska Supreme Court's Rules of Civil Procedure. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the above bill be considered the roll call on the effective date clause, Section 27. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 574 amended was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 525 (motor vehicle registration; effective date) which had been held over until today's calendar (page 422 of the Journal) was read the second time with the State Affairs Committee report (page 349 of the Journal),

HB
525

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 525 (same title) be adopted CSHB in lieu of HOUSE BILL NO. 525. There being no objection, 525 it was adopted.

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 525 be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered, and the bill was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 525 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

Yeas: 38 Anderson, H. Beirne, M. Beirne, Bradley, Bradner, Buchholdt, Cotten, Cowper, Davis, Duncan, Eliason, Fischer, Freeman, Gardiner, Gruening, Guy, Hackney, Raugen, Hershberger, Itta, Kelley, McKinnon, Malone, Miller, Naughton, Ose, Osterback, Ostrosky, Parker, Parr, Rhode, Rudd, Smith, Specking, Sullivan, Swanson, Urion, Wallis.

Nays: 0

Excused: 2 Brown, Huntington.

And so, COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 525 passed the House.

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the above bill be considered the roll call on the effective date clause. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 525 was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

HCR 92 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 92 (directing the Legislative Council to study the feasibility of establishing a state workmen's compensation insurance fund) was read the second time with the Labor and Management Committee's report (page 408 of the Journal).

Amendment No. 1 by the Labor and Management Committee:

Page 1, line 17: Delete "have been"; Insert "may be"

line 27: Delete "Second"; insert "First"

line 27: Delete "Ninth"; insert "Tenth"

Mr. Smith moved and asked unanimous consent that amendment No. 1 be adopted. There being no objection, amendment No. 1 was adopted.

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The question being: "Shall HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 92 amended pass the House?" On voice vote, it passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SENATE BILL NO. 353 amended (exportation of game) which had been held over until today's calendar (page 422 of the Journal) was read the second time with the Resources Committee report (page 1037 of the 1975 Journal) and the Rules Committee report (page 416 of the Journal).

SE
353
AM

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 353 (Rules) (exportation of game; effective date) be adopted in lieu of SENATE BILL NO. 353 amended. There being no objection, it was adopted.

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SE
353
(Rules)

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 353 (Rules) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered and the bill was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 353 (Rules) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

Yeas: 37 Anderson, H. Beirne, M. Beirne, Bradley, Bradner, Buchholdt, Cotten, Cowper, Davis, Duncan, Eliason, Eisener, Freeman, Gardiner, Gruening, Guy, Hauren, Herschberger, Itta, Kelley, McKinnon, Malone, Miller, Naughton, Gse, Osterback, Ostrosky, Parker, Farr, Rhode, Budd, Smith, Specking, Sullivan, Swanson, Urion, Wallis.

Nays: 0

Excused: 3 Brown, Hackney, Huntington.

And so, HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 353 (Rules) passed the House.

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the above bill be considered the roll call on the effective date clause. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HCS HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 353 (Rules)
 SB was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.
 353
 (Rules)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

HCS The Free Conference Committee report on SENATE BILL NO.
 SB 138 (zoning in state parks) and HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
 138 FOR SENATE BILL NO. 138 amended by the House (same title)
 am H (page 430 of the journal) was before the House at this
 time.

Mr. Miller moved that the House adopt the free conference committee report on SENATE BILL NO. 138 and HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 138 amended by the House.

Mr. Specking objected.

The question being: "Shall the House adopt the free conference committee report on the above bills?" A roll call was requested and appears as follows:

Yeas:	16	Bradner, Buchholdt, Davis, Eliason, Gardiner, Gruening, Hershberger, McKinnon, Malone, Miller, Naughton, Ostrosky, Parker, Parr, Rudd, Smith.
Nays:	21	Anderson, H. Beirne, M. Beirne, Bradley, Cotten, Cowper, Duncan, Fischer, Freeman, Guy, Haugen, Itta, Kelley, Ose, Osterback, Rhode, Specking, Sullivan, Swanson, Urion, Wallis.
Excused:	3	Brown, Hackney, Huntington.

And so, the report was not adopted.

The Chief Clerk was instructed to so notify the Senate.

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 617 Mr. Parr moved and asked unanimous consent that HOUSE BILL NO. 617 (general obligation bonds, \$15,000,000, capital improvements, University of Alaska; effective date) be taken from the Finance Committee and returned to the Select Committee on Education. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

ENGROSSMENT

The following resolution and bills were engrossed, signed by the Speaker and the Chief Clerk and transmitted to the Senate for its consideration:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 92 amended	HCR 92 am
COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 525	CSEB 525
COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 574 amended	CSEB 574 am
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 353 (Rules)	HCS SB 353 (Rules)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Judiciary w/H. Commerce on SB 483 HB 785,630,833,839 HB 784	Capitol 124	1:15 p.m., Feb. 27 1:15 p.m., Feb. 27 1:30 p.m., Mar. 1
State Affairs HB 544,741	Capitol 123-A	1:30 p.m., Feb. 27
HESS HB 367,592,635,772, SB 554	Capitol 112	3:00 p.m., Feb. 27
Finance HB 650,743,619,620	Capitol 411	10:00 a.m., Feb. 28
Commerce HB 825,829	Court 628	8:00 a.m., Mar. 1
Resources HB 726	Capitol 118	8:00 a.m., Mar. 1
C&RA HB 805,806	Capitol 123-A	9:00 a.m., Mar. 1
ANB-ANS reception for legislators	ANB Hall	7:30 p.m., Feb. 27

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Miller moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:00 a.m., March 1, 1976. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 11:29 a.m.

Irene Cashen
Chief Clerk

February 1976

THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
FISCAL NOTE

Second Session - Ninth Legislature

I. REQUEST

Bill No. HB 707

Title: Appropriation for Preliminary Planning for Int'l Conference on Oil and Gas

Requested by: Fischer Date: 2/10/76

Return Date Requested: _____

Agency: Office of the Governor Program: Policy Development & Planning

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Budget Request Unit(s) Affected: _____

A. EXPENDITURES: (Thousands of dollars)

OBJECT	FY 76	FY 77	FY 78	FY 79	FY 80	FY 81
100 PERSONAL SERVICES	0	0	/	/	/	/
200 TRAVEL	0	0	/	/	/	/
300 CONTRACTUAL	10.0	40.0	/	/	/	/
400 COMMODITIES	0	0	/	/	/	/
500 EQUIPMENT	0	0	/	/	/	/
600 LAND & STRUCTURES	0	0	/	/	/	/
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.	0	0	/	/	/	/
TOTAL	10.0	40.0	/	/	/	/

B. FUNDING: (Thousands of dollars)

GENERAL FUND	10.0	40.0	/	/	/	/
FEDERAL FUNDS	0	0	/	/	/	/
OTHER	0	0	/	/	/	/

C. POSITIONS:

PERMANENT/TEMPORARY	/	/	/	/	/	/
MAN MONTHS (P./T.)	/	/	/	/	/	/

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

Assumptions: Appropriation available by 1 June 1976. Start-up costs only in FY 76. Conference to be held in FY77. All expenditures completed in FY77. All overhead and in-kind costs incurred by Division to be absorbed by existing budgets; entire appropriation as per HB707 to be available for private or non-profit group on 75:25 matching basis.

Program Summary: As per HB707. The CF monies appropriated to the Division will be used to contract for conference planning and fund-raising. Contractor to match CF on 75:25 basis.

IV. ATTACHMENTS

None

V. DATE: February 17, 1976 PREPARED BY: Robert B. Williams

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

MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

FEB 13 1976

TO: Office of the Governor
Marian Endicott

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DATE: 11 Feb 76

FROM: Jim Rhode
AA to Rep. Malone, Chairman
House Finance Committee

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note Requests

This is to request fiscal notes for the following bills (with one copy for us and, where applicable, one copy for the prime sponsor).

HB 707

To DPDP
2-13-76
John Redmond
MRE

16 international conference representatives of the
 17 and foreign countries. The conference is to examine existing and recommended
 18 public policies appropriate to regions experiencing an accelerated surge of
 19 oil and gas development. The appropriated money and the matching money are
 20 to be used to make preliminary plans and secure private and foundation funds
 21 necessary to the holding of the international conference in Alaska.
 22 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
 23 070(c).
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