

"An Act relating to review of construction projects under the permit  
system administered by the Department of Public Safety and  
Community Services."

# COMMITTEE REPORT

## HOUSE

Mr. Speaker: Date 1/28/80

The Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY has had SB 180

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 \_\_\_\_\_ AND THAT  
CS FOR \_\_\_\_\_ DO PASS
- "and" recommends it BE REFERRED TO THE \_\_\_\_\_  
COMMITTEE
- reports it back WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION
- "other"

Members signing the Majority report:

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Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends:

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends:

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends:

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends:

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends:

[Signature] Chairman

AMENDMENT # 1

OFFERED IN THE HOUSE:

By: HESS COMMITTEE

To: \_\_\_\_\_ HOUSE BILL No. \_\_\_\_\_

SENATE BILL No. SB 220

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After the word System, add "or the Dept. of Public Works,"

Introduced: 3/3/75  
Referred: Health, Education  
and Social Services

1 IN THE SENATE

BY HOWMAN

2 SENATE BILL NO. 220

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to review of construction projects  
7 under the rural school construction bond issue by  
8 the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee; and  
9 providing for an effective date."

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

11 \* Section 1. Chapter 142, sec. 5(c), SLA 1974 is amended to read:

12 (c) Transfer of appropriations between capital projects funded  
13 from the "1974 Rural School Construction Fund" requires the approval  
14 of the governor and the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee. ~~Before~~  
15 the Department of Education or the Alaska State-Operated School  
16 System go to bid for construction of a project under this act, the  
17 construction site, schematic plans, and construction schedule shall  
18 be reviewed and approved by the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee  
19 which may in turn establish progress reporting requirements for any  
20 or all construction projects.

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

COMMITTEE REPORT ON SB 220

The Senate Hess Committee has passed SB 220 out of committee with a 'do pass' recommendation. It is the intent of this bill to give the legislature more control over the process of rural school construction.

It is not the intent to slow down the construction process only to insure that legislative intent is followed and public money is well spent.

In the past, there appears to have been subversion of legislative intent and significant misuse of public funds. According to SOS testimony, between 15 and 20 % of the \$40,000,000 Rural School Construction Bond(\$6,000,000 - \$8,000,000) may be wasted, thus reducing the number of square feet of classroom space intended by the Legislature.

The bill will provide for constant legislative review of construction authorized by the 1974 Rural School Bond Bill. (SLA 74, Chapter 142)

  
George H. Hohman, Chairman