

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

4/2/76

Mr. President:

Date 5/7/76

The Committee on Finance has had CSHB 795 am relating to status of women in Alaska 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)
- (X) recommends it BE REPLACED WITH CS FOR CSHB 795 AND THAT CS FOR CSHB 795 DO PASS WITH CEASED OF INTENT
- () "and" recommends it BE REFERRED TO THE _____ COMMITTEE
- () reports it back WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION
- () "other"

Members signing the Majority report:

Bill Kay _____

John Kead _____

David Brown _____

Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

Richard Kead recommends: Bill Kay

John Kead recommends: " "

R. Kead recommends: " "

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Bill Kay Chairman

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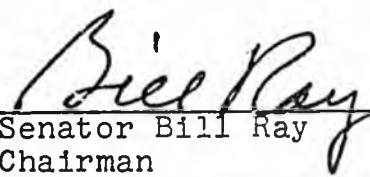
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LETTER OF INTENT

FOR SCS CSHB 795

It is the intent of the Senate Finance Committee that not more than \$25,000 shall be appropriated for the preliminary investigation into the status of women in Alaskan society to the State Commission on Human Rights.



Senator Bill Ray
Chairman
Senate Finance Committee

I. REQUEST
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 Requested by: Representative Rudd Date: 03/16/76
 Return Date Requested: 03/16/76
 Agency: Office of the Governor Program: Human Rights Commission

II. FISCAL DETAIL
 Budget Request Unit(s) Affected: 01.67.01.01.00

A. EXPENDITURES: (Thousands of dollars)

OBJECT	FY 76	FY 77	FY 78	FY 79	FY 80	FY 81
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200 TRAVEL		5.0				
300 CONTRACTUAL		74.4				
400 COMMODITIES		3.2				
500 EQUIPMENT		0.7				
600 LAND & STRUCTURES		-0-				
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.		-0-				
TOTAL		101.3				

B. FUNDING: (Thousands of dollars)

GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						

C. POSITIONS:

PERMANENT/TEMPORARY	/1.0	/	/	/	/	/
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