

HB

431

"An Act making a special appropriation to the Department of Health and Social Services; and providing for an effective date.

# COMMITTEE REPORT

4/16/75

HOUSE

FINANCE

Mr. Speaker:

Date 4/29/75

The Committee on HESS has had SSHB 431

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:

Susan Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_

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Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

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

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

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

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

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

Susan Sullivan Chairman

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OFFERED IN THE HOUSE:

By: HESS COMMITTEE

To: \_\_\_\_\_ HOUSE BILL No. SSHE 431

SENATE BILL No. \_\_\_\_\_

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LINE: 11

Delete period at the end of the sentence and add " for use by local agencies providing child abuse counseling and for the facilitation of local programs."



JUNEAU ALASKA

Alaska State Legislature  
House

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HESS COMMITTEE MEETING

April 29, 1975

Members Present:

Beirne                      Parr  
Davis                        Sullivan  
Osterback                 Swanson  
Ostrosky

Chairman Sullivan called the meeting to order at 3:00pm. The first order of business was HB 432.

SSHB 432

Marcia Hubbard. Purpose of the bill 1) assist to local groups and 2) State Child protection Statutes in conformity with the Federal regulations.

Mrs. Peck Social Worker

Expressed concer. Worked in the area for 5 years and am aware of the great need for more funding. \$100,000 is very small amount and it should be more like \$200,000.

Beirne How would you see the money flowing into this district?

Peck We have some very good people in the community who are quite capable of working with others and solving many of the local problems in this area. Rural Cap, etc. could do a tremendous job working on a preventive basis with this problem. There should be an effort to train people already in this field. Money spent for training and coordination. There is nothing actually being done in this area other than referrals to the Dept. Juneau and outlining areas are experiencing many problems in the child abuse area.

Davis How would this money be disbursed throughout the State?

Sullivan Hopefully to be used and matched by Federal funds, the money would be disbursed around the State.

Davis Who would administer this program?

Sullivan The Dept. of H&SS and the Office of Child Advocacy would pass on the grants.

Beirne \$100,000 could be used just as well as a million dollars of bureaucratic spending, if it is disbursed correctly.

Sullivan It would go into a fund only for the purpose we've mentioned and it would be allocated by the Office of Child Advocacy to the different areas throughout the State.

Parr Offered an amendment to Line 11 (HB 431) specify granting to community agencies.

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Beirne (HB 431) Line 11, add 'and facilities and programs' at the end of the sentence.

Mr. Peters No major objection to raising the age or expanding the type of injuries inflicted. Perhaps on Pg 1 line 25, should clear that it not be required unless they're going into court.

Sullivan I will request that HB 432 go to Judiciary as it has no further referrals at this time.

Swanson Line 27 amend it to read 'not less than \$100 and not more than \$5,000.

Swanson Offered amendment

Pg. 2 Line 14 strike word 'professional'.

Beirne Second

Chairman Hearing no objection, so ordered.

Parr Offered amendment in Line 11. delete (,) and continue sentence (see file)

Beirne seconded.

Chairman Hearing no objection, so ordered.

Beirne Move SSHB 432 out as amended with a 'do pass'-

Davis Objection, move out with individual recommendation.

Parr Seconded

Chairman So ordered, bill passes the Committee.

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Beirne Move out with individual recommendation.

Parr Seconded

Chairman Hearing no objection, so ordered.

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HB 363

Beirne The purpose of the bill is that it would provide medical insurance for retired teachers until they're eligible for medicade.

Bob Gates Would act past 65 as supplement to medicade until death.

Beirne Motion to move bill out with individual recommendation.

Ostrowsky Seconded

Chairman No objection, so ordered.

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HB 143

Stu Hall Explained purpose of amendments that he proposed.

Beirne Move amendment #1  
No objection, so ordered.

Ostrosky Move amendment #2  
no objection, so ordered

Beirne Move amendment #3  
no objection, so ordered.

Ostrosky Move amendment #4  
no objection, so ordered.

Beirne Move amendment #5  
no objection, so ordered.

Beirne Move adoption of all amendments into a Committee Substitute.

Ostrosky Seconded

Chairman Hearing no objection, so ordered.

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HB 144

Parr Purpose of the CS is to incorporate SB 239

Ekvall Policy council should have power to 1) suggest directors and confirm,  
2) review and approve budget 3) and other powers as delineated in AFN position paper.

Beirne Perhaps we can move this out and after meetings next week, propose changes  
can get brought up before House Finance or Senate Committee.  
Move out as CS to be amended and drawn up by Stu Hall

Chairman Hearing no objection, so ordered.