

SCCR

75 Am

COMMITTEE REPORT

HOUSE

Mr. Speaker:

Date Feb 21 1970

The Committee on _____ has had _____

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:

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ Chairman



Alaska State Legislature

House

HOUSE HESS COMMITTEE MEETING

JUNEAU ALASKA

APRIL 14, 1976

Present: Parr Ostrosky Sullivan Swanson
 Hackney Beirne Ose Osterback

Testifying: Betsy McGuire, Office of Child Advocacy
 Genie Chance,

SCR 75 - Development of a Childrens Code

Betsy presented the reasons and need for the development of this code.

Parr, concerned about line 27, which refers to Ak. Family Law. Does this deal with Children & Family Law??? If so the name of the act does not reflect that.

Hackney - why are we contracting with an attorney (fiscal note 77,000) to do this job when we have attorneys already on contract in legislative affairs?

Genie, because the attorney that has worked on this bill all year with O.C.A. developing the children's code will no longer be with legislative affairs and we would like to keep him on. Andy Brown

Committee decided to change "children's code" to "family law code" on line 5. Have it redrafted as a Committee substitute.

Do pass out.

HB 665 - Statewide Coordination of Health Planning

This bill has been heard before, we are dealing with a C.S.. Discussion among committee members and Lois Jurd and Jan Gates about provisions of this latest draft.

Amend- P5 Line 12, after \$1,000 delete "or" , add "the"
P. 5 Line 13, delete "sec. 7161" add, "sec. 81 (e). will have the committee substitute redrafted rather than make amendments to this.

Move out with individual recommendations.

THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
FISCAL NOTE

Second Session - Ninth Legislature

I. REQUEST
 Bill No. SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 75
 Title: "RELATING TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF A CHILDREN'S CODE"
 Requested by: _____ Date: February 24, 1976
 Return Date Requested: _____
 Agency: LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS AGENCY Program: _____

II. FISCAL DETAIL
 Budget Request Unit(s) Affected: LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS AGENCY

A. EXPENDITURES: (Thousands of dollars)

OBJECT	FY 76	FY 77	FY 78	FY 79	FY 80	FY 81
100 PERSONAL SERVICES		0				
200 TRAVEL		3.5				
300 CONTRACTUAL		23.5				
400 COMMODITIES		0				
500 EQUIPMENT		0				
600 LAND & STRUCTURES		0				
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.		0				
TOTAL		27.0				

B. FUNDING: (Thousands of dollars)

GENERAL FUND		27.0				
FEDERAL FUNDS		0				
OTHER		0				

C. POSITIONS:

PERMANENT/TEMPORARY	/	0 / 0	/	/	/	/
MAN MONTHS (P./T.)	/	0 / 0	/	/	/	/

III. ANALYSIS (See Fiscal Note Preparation Instructions, Section III)
 SEE ATTACHED BUDGET FOR FY 77.

IV. ATTACHMENTS

V. DATE: February 24, 1976 PREPARED BY: LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS AGENCY

Original: Legislative Finance
 cc: Budget and Management
 Prime Sponsor (First legislator named)

PROJECTED BUDGET FOR
CHILDREN'S CODE PROJECT
FOR FY 77

Attorney's Contract

\$23,544

This contract would supply necessary legal services and research for the project. Coordinates efforts to review existing law relating to children and family in general. Recommends necessary revisions to harmonize conflicts, supply omission, and clarify law.

\$10,800	FY 76 salary for 6 months of service
x2	(6 month periods)
\$21,600	TOTAL cost FY 76
1,944	9% salary increase
<u>\$23,544</u>	TOTAL cost for FY 77 for 12 months service

Travel

\$3,460.80

Extensive travel required to research and receive input on children laws. Attends monthly meetings of Children's Code Task Force to discuss problems and receive recommendations on revisions.

\$1,840.80	Travel (12 at \$153.40)
\$1,620.00	Per Diem (36 at \$45.00)

TOTAL \$27,004.80

STATEMENT TO HOUSE HESS COMMITTEE ON SENATE RESOLUTION 75 RELATING TO THE
DEVELOPMENT OF A CHILDREN'S CODE

APRIL 14, 1976

MY NAME IS BETSEY MCGUIRE; I AM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF CHILD
ADVOCACY AND WAS APPOINTED CHAIRPERSON OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL'S TASK FORCE
ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF A CHILDREN'S CODE.

THIS EFFORT IS A RESULT OF 2 CONFERENCES SPONSORED BY THE OFFICE OF CHILD
ADVOCACY IN 1974 ON THE CHILD AND THE LAW AT WHICH TIME THE OVERWHELMING
RECOMMENDATION WAS THAT A CHILDREN'S CODE SHOULD BE DEVELOPED IN ALASKA.
THROUGH THE COOPERATIVE EFFORT OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, THE OFFICE OF THE
GOVERNOR AND OUR OFFICE, THE TASK FORCE WAS APPOINTED AND MET ON A REGULAR
BASIS ALL FAIL TO PRIORITIZE THEIR CONCERNS AND DEVELOP SENATE BILL 572.

WITH THE LEGAL EXPERTISE OF OUR ATTORNEY, ANDREW BROWN, A THOROUGH EXAMINATION
OF ALASKA'S STATUTES CONCERNING CHILDREN, AS WELL AS THOSE OF OTHER STATES
WAS MADE.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION, ATTACHED IS A LIST OF THE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE
COUNCIL'S TASK FORCE WHICH REPRESENTS A BROAD SPECTRUM OF URBAN AND RURAL
PEOPLE AS WELL AS LAY AND PROFESSIONAL INDIVIDUALS AND GROUPS.

THE CHILDREN'S CODE ALSO HAS THE ACTIVE SUPPORT OF THE ALASKA LEAGUE OF WOMEN
VOTERS AND THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS, ALASKA BRANCH.

WE WISH TO BE ABLE TO CONTINUE THIS EFFORT AND COMPLETE THE TASK.

BWMc

4/14/76

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PLEASE ACT FAVORABLY ON SCR 75 DEVELOPMENT OF CHILDRENS

CODE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

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