

SSHB

432

COMMITTEE REPORT

4/30/75

HOUSE

FINANCE

Mr. Speaker:

Date 5/15/75

The Committee on JUDICIARY has had SSHP 432

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 SS HC 432 AND THAT

CS FOR SS HC 432 DO PASS

() "and" recommends it BE REFERRED TO THE _____

COMMITTEE

() reports it back WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

() "other"

Members signing the Majority report:

[Signature] _____

[Signature] _____

Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

[Signature] recommends: [Signature]

[Signature] recommends: [Signature]

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

[Signature] Chairman

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From the Desk of

REPRESENTATIVE TERRY GARDINER

May 15, 1975

TO: Finance Committee

The attached was received from the Department after the Judiciary Committee had acted on this bill. Perhaps you would like to consider it in your deliberations on HB 432.

POSITION PAPER
ON
HOUSE BILL 432
(Sponsor Substitute for)

An act relating to child protection.

The Department of Health and Social Services recommends that Section 47.17.065 Counseling and Information Grants be rewritten to read as follows: (a) The department may provide funds to private or public non-profit community service agencies and hospitals in the state for professional counseling services to parents. The funds may also be used by the agencies to provide information to the community concerning the problems of child abuse and the help available in the state for abused children and their families. Funds appropriated under this section may be used as the state or local contribution for obtaining federal funds under the Child Abuse Treatment and Prevention Act (P.L. 93-247).

House Bill 432 presumes that funds will be allocated to the Department of Health and Social Services for grants. It appears to be an unnecessary step to involve the Office of Child Advocacy when House Bill 432 mandates the Department of Health and Social Services to take specific action.

There is no additional cost to the State of Alaska.

The Department supports the Bill with changes recommended above.

Recommended By: Freda M. Borchick 5-8-75
Freda M. Borchick Date
Acting Director

Approved By: Francis S.L. Williamson 5/8/75
Francis S.L. Williamson Date
Commissioner

Comments by Governor's Office:

By: _____ Date _____