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Contacted Sen. Ray - rec'd letter from Jim Baldwin

" " Sen. CRA - no back up

" " Sen. Fin - they said the bill was waived from that committee.

3/30 Request fiscal from DCRA - Rod Mowant

3/30 Request fiscal from Revenue - Bob Stevenson

3/30-AAFC - Harry Goldbar - 276-5599 - ^{spoke to} Mark Cameron

- Yes - there would be fiscal impact - they are preparing fiscal note.

4-1 Mark Cameron - AAFC - Branch Mgr. @ FNB in Harris -

Orig. 10-15 more loans in next year = \$1 mill.

not sufficient to require fiscal impact

CRA - may have different definition of rural -

- find status of transfer of AAFC to CRA - Carl Nelson w/ Mackins

4-1 Will receive fiscal note from Rev by Wed. mtg 4/7/82
per (Denna Cline)

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February 11, 1982

Hon. Bill Ray
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Re: Draft bill re residential loans
administered by regional Native
housing authorities

Dear Senator Ray:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation of February 10, 1982, I am forwarding to you a bill which would make Haines and Skagway rural communities under AS 18.55.997. This amendment recognizes that the road connection between Haines and Skagway is somewhat different than the road connection between other rural communities located in areas of the state other than the southeast panhandle. The Haines and Skagway roads are impassable much of the winter and pass through Canada for a substantial distance. These factors may warrant a change in the law as it relates to southeastern rural communities. I will let you and the legislature be the judge of that. You may be interested to learn of the following population determinations compiled by the Department of Community and Regional Affairs for Southeast Alaska communities:

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| Haines | 1,017 |
| Hoonah | 799 |
| Petersburg | 3,001 |
| Skagway | 819 |
| Wrangell | 2,345 |

I have spoken with Harry Goldbar of the Alaska Housing Finance Authority concerning this matter and he has stated that he is anxious to assist you in resolving this and other problems with the definition of the term "rural" in AS 18.

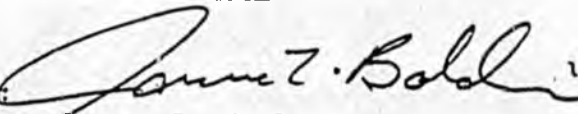
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Please call if I can assist you further.

Sincerely yours,

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