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House of Representatives  
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*To Finance*

To: Speaker Joe Hayes  
From: Terry Martin, Chairman *TM*  
Labor & Commerce Committee  
Date: February 25, 1982  
Subject: Executive Order 52

This committee has reviewed Executive Order 52. We find this order to be of benefit to the administration.

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Contact me if you have any questions.

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STATE OF ALASKA  
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January 11, 1982

The Honorable Joe L. Hayes  
Speaker of the House  
Alaska State Legislature  
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Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Under the authority of art. III, sec. 23, of the Alaska Constitution, I am transmitting an executive order consolidating two existing divisions of the Department of Labor into the new Division of Labor Standards and Safety.

The divisions to be combined are the Division of Wage and Hour and the Division of Occupational Safety and Health. A large portion of the budget of the Division of Occupational Safety and Health was deleted in the last session, necessitating personnel cutbacks. The consolidation will allow program functions to continue by merging various inspection and investigative functions assigned to the Department of Labor.

Sincerely,

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THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
TWELFTH LEGISLATURE  
FISCAL NOTE

I. REQUEST  
Bill/Resolution No. Executive Order #52  
Title Division of Labor Standards & Safety  
Requested by Governor Date 12.15.81

II. FISCAL DETAIL  
Agency Affected Labor  
Program Category Affected Public Protection  
BRU, Program, or Subprogram(s) Affected Occupational Safety & Health/Wage & Hour  
(Note: If more than one budget component is affected, separate line-item amounts and funding for each component in the analysis section.)

EXPENDITURES (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY 82	FY 83	FY 84	FY 85	FY 86	FY 87
100 PERSONAL SERVICES						
200 TRAVEL						
300 CONTRACTUAL						
400 COMMODITIES						
500 EQUIPMENT						
600 LAND & STRUCTURES						
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.						
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0	0

FUNDING (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	0	0	0	0	0	0
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER (Specify Fund Source)						

POSITIONS

FULL TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
PART TIME						
TEMPORARY						

III. ANALYSIS (See Fiscal Note Preparation Instructions, Section III)

No fiscal impact  
NOTE: The FCC budget cuts for Occupational Safety & Health required a significant change in the operation of this program.

IV. DATE 12/15/81 PREPARED BY Judy G. Knight, Special Assistant  
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Original: Legislative Finance  
cc: Budget and Management  
Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)



1/12/82  
Referred: Labor & Commerce and  
Finance

IN THE HOUSE

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 52

Under the authority of art. III, sec. 23, of the Alaska Constitution, and in accordance with AS 24.30.130(b), I order the following:

\* Section 1. FINDINGS. As governor, I find that it would be in the best interests of efficient administration to merge the statutory responsibilities of the Wage and Hour Division and the Division of Occupational Safety and Health within the Department of Labor.

\* Sec. 2. AS 18.60.055 is amended to read:

Sec. 18.60.055. DIVISION OF LABOR STANDARDS AND SAFETY [OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH]. As established by AS 23.10.075, there [THERE] is [ESTABLISHED] in the department a division of labor standards and safety [OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH TO BE ADMINISTERED BY A DIRECTOR RESPONSIBLE TO THE COMMISSIONER]. Minimum qualifications must [SHALL] be established for employees of the department acting as safety inspectors under AS 18.60.010 -- 18.60.105. These qualifications must [SHALL] include, as a minimum requirement, at least five years general work experience in the field they are assigned to inspect. Training in safety principles, codes and standards may be substituted for such work experience up to a maximum of three years.

\* Sec. 3. AS 18.60.058 is amended to read:

Sec. 18.60.058. REPORTING OF INJURIES AND ILLNESSES. [(a)] In the event of an employment accident which is fatal to one or more employees or which results in the overnight hospitalization of one or more employees, the [THEIR] employer shall report the accident by telephone, telegram, radio, or in person to the nearest office of the division of labor standards and safety [OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH]. The report must relate the circumstances of the accident, the number of fatalities, and the extent of any injuries. The report must be made immediately but in no event later than 24 hours after receipt by the employer of infor-

1 nation that the accident has occurred. In the event of an employment  
2 accident which is fatal to one or more employees or which results in the  
3 overnight hospitalization of two or more employees, no equipment, mater-  
4 ial, or product related to the injury or fatality may be moved or al-  
5 tered until clearance is given by the department, except when compliance  
6 with this requirement would interfere for an unreasonable length of time  
7 with work or create additional hazards. If equipment, material, or pro-  
8 ducts must be moved or altered before department clearance, the employer  
9 shall submit a detailed investigative report of the accident to the  
10 division.

11 \* Sec. 4. AS 23.10.075 is repealed and reenacted to read:

12 Sec. 23.10.075. LABOR STANDARDS AND SAFETY DIVISION. There is  
13 established in the department the division of labor standards and safe-  
14 ty. The director of the division is responsible to the commissioner.  
15 The director shall administer AS 18.<sup>60</sup>06.010 -- 18.60.150 and AS 23.10.050  
16 -- 23.10.150.

17 \* Sec. 5. This Order takes effect March 12, 1982.

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20 DATED: January 11, 1982

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