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THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWELFTH LEGISLATURE

FISCAL NOTE

I. REQUEST

Bill/Resolution No. SB 214
~~An Act making a supplemental appropriation to the Dept. of Com. & Econ. Dev.~~
 Title for the mining loan fund.
 Requested by Bennett, Fahrenkamp & Parr Date 2-25-81

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Agency Affected Commerce & Economic Development
 Program Category Affected Development
 BRU, Program, or Subprogram(s) Affected Division of Business Loans
 (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 81	FY 82	FY 83	FY 84	FY 85	FY 86
100 PERSONAL SERVICES						
200 TRAVEL						
300 CONTRACTUAL						
400 COMMODITIES						
500 EQUIPMENT						
600 LAND & STRUCTURES						
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.						
TOTAL	-0-					

FUNDING (Thousands of Dollars)

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

POSITIONS

FULL TIME						
PART TIME						
TEMPORARY						

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

The additional loans to be made with the \$10,000,000 appropriation can be processed and serviced by the existing staff.

IV. DATE February 27, 1981 PREPARED BY Sharon Traylor, Director
 AGENCY Div. of Business Loans, Dept. of Com. & Econ. Dev.
 PHONE 465-2510
 Original: Legislative Finance
 cc: Budget and Management

Sharon Traylor



JUNEAU ALASKA

Alaska State Legislature House

MEMORANDUM

TO: Rep. Gardiner, Rep. Zharoff
Co-Chairmen, House Resources Committee

FROM: Rep. Bettisworth

DATE: May 13, 1981

RE: SB 214, Mining Loan Fund

Dear Sirs,

I wish to respectfully request that SB 214, heard a few weeks ago, be brought up for passage again. We need to pass this Bill now. The mining season is almost underway and loan funds to date are not available. It is not unlike the need for seed or fertilizer to begin the agricultural season. Both agricultural and mining are dependent on this seasonal timing process. There are a number of loans pending because of this Bill. The money is needed NOW to begin mining. People are becoming frantic at the possibility of not getting these funds in time.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R Bettisworth".

Bob Bettisworth

RB/11

Comments on Mining Bill

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MSG 81-00014477 FRTY 1 04/28/81 17:20:09 ORIG: LF01 IN= 0009 OUT= 0122
FROM: MAXINE/FAIRBANKS TO: JUNO INFO PAGE 0004
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: POM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: R. W. TAYLOR, SR 51482, FAIRBANKS 99701 PH. 452-4690

RE: SB 214

I STRONGLY URGE YOU TO MOVE SB 214 FROM COMMITTEE WITH A DO PASS
RECOMMENDATION, AND MAKE EVERY ATTEMPT POSSIBLE TO GET THE BILL
THRU THE LEGISLATURE AND TO THE GOVERNOR RAPIDLY SO THE FUNDS
WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THE MINERS AT THE START OF THE SEASON.

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FROM: MAXINE/FAIRBANKS TO: JUNO INFO
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: POM PAGE 0022

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: RAY KOHLER, 665 - 10TH APT 312, FAIRBANKS 99701 PH. 456-4926

RE: SB 214

REQUEST YOU SCHEDULE ABOVE BILL FOR CONSIDERATION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

-----EOM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: MARVIN ANDRESEN, BOX 1912, FAIRBANKS 99707 PH. 452-5303

RE: SB 214

I URGE SCHEDULING THIS BILL FOR CONSIDERATION ASAP AND URGE
DO PASS. I AM A MINER.

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TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF
FR: PATRICIA SCHOENBERGER, BOX 2295, FAIRBANKS 99707 PH. 456-1632

RE: SB 214

MINERS NEED MONEY NOW. PLEASE PASS SB 214.

-----EOM

TO: REP'S ZHAROFF, GARDINER

FR: JIM O'SULLIVAN, 2584 RIVERVIEW DR., FAIRBANKS 99701 PH. 456-1872

RE: SB 214

URGENT SB 214 RECEIVE YOUR UNQUALIFIED SUPPORT IN ORDER THAT MINING GO FORWARD WITHOUT EQUITY COST TO MINERS.

-----EOM

TO: REP'S ZHAROFF, GARDINER

FR: CLYDE SHERMAN, 527 - 4TH AVE., FAIRBANKS 99701 PH. 456-4124

RE: SB 214

I AM RECOMMENDING THAT YOU APPROVE SB 214 FOR APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR MINERS. IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT THIS FUND BE AVAILABLE EARLY THIS SPRING.

-----EOM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: SYBIL RAMSEY, 1300 DENALI WAY, FAIRBANKS 99701 PH. 452-5088

RE: SB 214

~~RECOMMEND IMMEDIATE PASSAGE OF SB214. THANKS~~

-----EOM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: DAVE ROGERS, BOX 1230, FAIRBANKS 99707 PH. 479-5973

RE: SB 214

MINING IS VITAL TO ALASKA'S ECONOMY MONEY IS NEEDED NOW AS THE SEASON STARTS. I UNDERSTAND BETTISWORTH & BENNETT HAVE THE VOTES FOR PASSAGE. YET YOU ARE FORSTALLING BY HOLDING IN COMMITTEE

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: JERRY SIEDSCHLAG, SR BOX 51260, FAIRBANKS 99701 PH. 488-2332

RE: SB 214

URGE PASSAGE OF SB 214 IMMEDIATELY. THANKS

-----EOM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: ANNA GROFF, B & A REALTORS, BOX 927, FBX 99707 PH. 452-1811

RE: SB 214

MINERS NEED MONEY NOW. DO PASS ABOVE BILL. MINERAL DEVELOPMENT IS IMPORTANT TO STATE OF ALASKA AND PEOPLE OF ALASKA.

-----EOM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: R. W. GROFF, BOX 927, FAIRBANKS 99707 PH. 452-1811

RE: SB 214

MINERAL DEVELOPMENT IS OF EXTREME IMPORTANCE TO THE STATE OF ALASKA. PLEASE VOTE DO PASS ON THE SB 214.

-----EOM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: MAXINE STANLEY, BOX 2351, FAIRBANKS 99707 PH. 455-6078

RE: SB 214

URGE YOUR SUPPORT OF THE ABOVE BILL. WANT IT PASSED.

-----EOM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: LARRY KELLY, 221 BENTLEY DR E. FBX 99701 PH. 456-5088

RE: SB 214

I STRONGLY URGE YOU TO CONSIDER AND PASS SB214 ASAP. THE FUNDS
----- THE BEGINNING OF THIS MINING SEASON.

TARGET: LONZ 2000
TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: RICHARD W BLEVENS, BOX 2590, FAIRBANKS 99707 PH. 452-4441

RE: SB 214

THE REVIVAL OF THE MINING INDUSTRY HAS PROMPTED A GREAT NEED FOR INVESTMENT ON START UP FINANCING AT INTEREST RATES OTHER THAN THOSE AVAILABLE THROUGH HIGH INTEREST BANKING FIRMS.

I RECOMMEND YOUR SERIOUS CONSIDERATION TOWARD A DO PASS VOTE ON SB 214 NOW BEFORE YOUR COMMITTEE.

-----EOM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: THOMAS MIKLAUTSCH, BOX 1, FAIRBANKS 99707 PH. 456-8679

RE: SB 214

I FAVOR PASSAGE OF SB 214 IN BEHALF OF MINERS. PLEASE SCHEDULE FOR COMMITTEE HEARINGS SO THAT IT MAY MOVE ON TO ACTION ON THE FLOOR.

-----EOM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: KAREN L CEDZO, BOX 603 '6, FAIRBANKS 99706 PH. 477-3632

RE: SB 214

I URGE ACTION AND PASSAGE OF SB 214.

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TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: JAMES MATTHEWS, SR 31455, FAIRBANKS 99701 PH. 452-3537

RE: SB 214

STRONGLY ENCOURAGE SUPPORT OF SB 214 AND GENERAL CONSTITUTIONAL LIMITS ON ALASKA BUDGET GROWTH.

-----EOM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: SYLVIA KING, 1424 UNIVERSITY AVE. FAIRBANKS 99701 PH. 477-4215

RE: SB 214

URGE PASSAGE OF THIS BILL--VERY--SOON SO THE MINERS CAN HAVE USE

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FROM: MAXINE/FAIRBANKS TO: JUND INFO
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: FDM PAGE 0003

TO: REP GARDINER, ZHAROFF
FR: PAUL BARRETT, 1919 LATHROP #19, FAIRBANKS 99701 PH. 452-2211
RE: SR 214

I DON'T THINK THE STATE HAS ANY BUSINESS FINANCING GOLD MINES.
COMMERCIAL LENDERS DO NOT, AND NEITHER SHOULD THE PUBLIC FUNDS.

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FROM: MAXINE/FAIRBANKS TO: JUNO INFO
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: POM PAGE 0005

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: RAY & MARY MARLEY, 213 CUSHMAN ST., (FAIRBANKS) 99701, PH. 452-3724

RE: SB 214

REQUEST YOU MAKE FUNDS AVAILABLE TO MINERS NOW SO THEY MAY PROCEED
IN A TIMELY FASHION.

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MSG 81-00014477 PRTY 1 04/26/81 17:20:09 ORIG: LF01 IN= 0009 OUT= 0122
FROM: MAXINE/FAIRBANKS TO: JUNO INFO
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: POM PAGE 0002

TO: REF'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF
FR: EARL H BEISTLINE, BOX 80148, FAIRBANKS 99708 PH. 479-2843
RE: SB 214

URGE PASSAGE OF SB 214 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE FOR ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES AND HENCE BENEFITING THE
ECONOMY OF THE COMMUNITY AND STATE.

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FROM: MAXINE/FAIRBANKS TO: JUNO INFO PAGE 0006
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: POM

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: BILL TOWSLEY, 521 GLACIER, FAIRBANKS 99701 PH. 452-3728

RE: SB 214

MINERS DO NOT ORDINARILY HAVE COLLATERAL OTHER THAN THEIR CLAIMS AND
THE HERITAGE OF HARD WORK. ESTABLISHMENT OF LOAN FUNDS THRU SB 214
WOULD ASSIST GREATLY TOWARD ACTIVE PRODUCTION.

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FROM: MAXINE/FAIRBANKS TO: JUNO INFO
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: POM PAGE 0007

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF
FR: BOB THOMAS, 212 WEDGEWOOD DR. SUITE C, FAIRBANKS 99701 PH.456-1967
RE: SB 214

WE LEND OUR SUPPORT TO SB 214 SINCE IT WILL PROVIDE A NEEDED SOURCE OF FUNDING TO HELP THE SMALL (TYPICALLY LOCAL ALASKAN) MINER IN CARRYING ON A LIVELYHOOD. WE SUPPORT THIS AS A LOAN NOT GRANT AND TREATED AS A INVESTMENT IN ALASKA'S FUTURE AND THE FUTURE OF THE INDIVIDUAL ALASKAN. PLEASE GET THE LEGISLATION MOVING IN TIME TO BE USEFUL FOR THE MINING SEASON.

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FROM: MAXINE/FAIRBANKS TO: JUNO INFO
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: POM PAGE 0008

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF

FR: DON O'CONNOR, BOX 60008, FAIRBANKS 99706 PH. 452-4711

RE: SB 214

I RECOMMEND A DO-PASS ON THIS BILL URGENTLY DUE TO THE SHORT SEASON AND THE NEEDS OF THE MINERS TO FINANCE THEIR INITIAL START UPS.

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FROM: MAXINE/FAIRBANKS TO: JUNO INFO
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: FOM PAGE 0009

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF
FR: WAYNE CRAFTON, 160 STEESE HWY, (FAIRBANKS) 99701 PH. 452-4747
RE: SR 214

MINING IS AS IMPORTANT TO THE STATE AS ANY OTHER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
I STRONGLY URGE THE SPEEDY PASSAGE OF THIS BILL.

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FROM: MAXINE/FAIRBANKS TO: JUNO INFO PAGE 0001
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: POM

THE FOLLOWING MESSAGES DO NOT NEED A REPLY. THANK YOU.

TO: REP'S GARDINER, ZHAROFF
FR: TOM OWEN, BOX 770, FAIRBANKS 99707 PH. 452-8101
RE: SB 214

I URGE YOU TO SCHEDULE SB214 FOR CONSIDERATION BY YOUR RESOURCES
COMMITTEE, AND STRONGLY RECOMMEND A DO PASS. THIS BILL IS VITAL
TO THE MINERS AND THEY NEED THE FUNDS NOW.

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MSG 81-00014065 PRTY 1 04/24/81 17:30:42 ORIG: LF01 IN= 0018 OUT= 0104
FROM: ANNIE IN FAIRBANKS TO: JUNEAU INFO.
TARGET: LJH2 SUBJ: POM PAGE 0001

TO: REFS. ZHAROFF, GARDINER, CHUCKWUK, BARNES, BETTISWORTH, GRUSSENDORF,
HALFORD, HURLBERT, SMITH, SUTCLIFFE, AND VASKA

FROM: RODNEY A. BLAKESTAD, BOX 80747, FAIRBANKS 99708 479-3670

RE: SB 214

THE 1981 MINING SEASON IS ALMOST UPON US AND SEVERAL ALASKAN COMPANIES
AND INDIVIDUALS HAVE APPLICATIONS PENDING FOR THE MINING LOAN FUND. YOUR
EXPEDITIOUS PASSAGE OF THIS SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION WOULD BE
APPRECIATED AS WE HAVE A VERY SHORT SEASON WITH WHICH TO OPERATE.