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Duncan & Miller  
HB 388

Survey on SB 74

Bradley, Hohman, Kelley  
SB 262

Governor's & Fuller's Bill  
HB 243 & SB (54) *Passed*

Sec. 1-5; 26-29  
Option 4 years for 1 Teacher's  
Retirement  
Sec. 21-22; Sec. 23 Repealers  
Ditto Public Employees

For 511 Against 142  
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Member of Retirement System  
142 Non-members 510

Sec. 8 compares to Sec. 2  
except adds "after 31 Dec 39"

Sec. 9 same as Sec. 3  
Sec. 10 " " Sec. 4  
Sec. 11 " " Sec. 1  
Sec. 12 " " Sec. 21  
Sec. 13 " " Sec. 22  
Except interest from 1981  
versus 1980  
Sec. 414 " " Sec. 23

Not Covered

Sec. 8 same as Sec. 23  
Repealers

Sec. 6. State Active Duty  
Status Add employee for disab-  
ility and death benefits:  
*delete*

Not specific in survey

Sec. 2 same as Sec. 6

*Passed*

Sec. 7. Require Adjutant  
General upon appointment:  
5 yrs Alaska Guard  
Hold Federal Grade  
Complete C&G Staff and War  
College  
*Delayed State Affairs House*

For 573 Against 120

Sec. 8; 25 National Guard  
Advisory Board Established  
*Adjusted*

For 615 Against 62

Sec. 9,10,11,14,15 Adds Naval  
Militia to definition retirement  
*may not be needed*

In old Bill SB 74

Sec. 1, Sec. 2 change 69  
to 71? Balance same as  
Sec. 11

Sec. 4 same as Sec. 15

Sec. 12 & 13 Index monthly  
retirement program to Alaska  
longevity Bonus

For 629 Against 38  
Stated as an increase to  
\$125

Do not index to AS 47.45.010  
per Sec.

*delete*  
Sec. 16: Pay basic Fed Pay & Allowances plus state per diem area where state active duty performed

In old bill SB 74

Sec. 5 same as 16 Sec. HB 388

Sec. 1 just basic Fed Pay & Allowances not less than \$65.00 indexed: Note lowest state per diem is now \$60.00

*Leave in need to adjust to reflect 1954.*

*Passed*

Sec. 17 provides Alaska's Workmen's Compensation (AS 23.30) for injury or disability to and from Active duty

In old bill SB 74

Sec. 6 same as Sec. 17

Sec. 2 & 3 (Abbreviated)

*Delete from 388*

*Passed*

Sec. 18, 30 State Dept. Reenlistment Bonus Program

*delete S.B. 54*

Sec. 5 same as Sec. 18  
Sec. 7 same as Sec. 30

*Passed*

Sec. 19 Ed support 75% (Increase from 50%) Includes books add retired members

Better Benefits For 666 Against 43

Sec. 6 only adds retired members

*delete unless increase desired*

*Passed*

Sec. 20 establish Senior ROTC Program

Sec. 7 same as Sec. 20

Sec. 29 provides benefits to survivors under Sec. 26, 27, 28, 29

Sec. 15 same as Sec. 26  
Sec. 16 " " Sec. 27  
Omits survivors of persons died Sec. 29

Sec. 1 definition same Sec. 3  
Adds "regardless of whether he filed an application - etc AS 26.05.224 (d)  
Sec. 4. Earlier service covers all former guardsmen eliminates Jan 1, 69 restriction

Sec. 24 provides refund to  
those who bought in military

Omitted

For SB 74 in general 581

Against " " " 34

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QUESTION	NO	YES	FIRST BOUNTY BATTALION	SECOND BOUNTY BATTALION	THIRD BOUNTY BATTALION	DESIGNATION	TEAM	BY
1. V/L of employment?								
State Agency	43	11	5	25	1	0	4	1
City Borough	16	3	3	19	7	0	2	1
Federal	19	9	4	18	4	0	5	1
Private	75	7	6	19	1	0	2	1
Other	55	45	27	78	20	0	6	1
1. Time in Guard?								
Less Than 6 Years	217	72	10	80	16	1	13	10
7-12 Years	60	4	7	29	9	0	5	4
13-20 Years	26	5	6	32	4	0	3	0
Over 20 Years	26	3	9	37	4	0	0	0
2. Will you stay in Guard?								
Yes	156	32	23	142	31	1	20	9
No	8	2	5	15	1	0	0	2
3. Have you been advised of Guard benefits?								
Yes	302	30	10	87	19	1	13	8
No	72	4	19	65	14	0	8	3
4. Have you been advised of changes in State Guard program by Military Dept.								
Yes	244	31	9	74	20	0	10	6
No	144	5	20	79	11	1	10	5
By Others								
Yes	100	11	1	24	3	0	6	3
No	76	3	8	17	4	0	7	2
5. Do you believe that better benefits for Guardsmen would help recruitment & retention?								
Yes	360	14	29	139	28	0	21	9
No	17	0	3	16	4	0	0	2
3a - Recruitment Bonuses	236	20	22	125	23	0	15	7
3b - Federal Retirement	201	16	15	99	9	0	10	6
3c - State Retirement	223	24	13	98	17	0	12	5
3d - Other	106	6	4	32	5	0	9	6
6. Do you support the Permanent Food program (SB 11, etc.)?								
Yes	167	31	22	137	29	1	19	11
No	7	1	10	19	4	0	0	0
7. Would you favor an increase in the National Guard retirement now at \$50 per month to be tied to the longevity bonus at \$125 per month?								
Yes	312	31	31	153	33	1	18	10
No	27	1	0	4	0	0	3	0
8. Does the agency you work for belong to the State Public Employees' Retirement System or the Teachers' Retirement System?								
Yes	69	14	0	47	13	0	4	2
No	309	21	18	93	13	1	15	6
9. Would you favor being able to get credit toward these retirement systems on the basis of one year credited service for four in the Guard?								
Yes	243	29	26	133	28	1	13	9
No	83	4	5	19	5	0	4	1
10. If Yes, would you be willing to talk to your legislators about legislation to do this?								
Yes	250	34	28	132	29	1	19	10
No	30	7	0	16	2	0	0	0
11. Education aid is outlined in a current state law for those who have completed their first enlistment in Federal G.I. Bill. If funded, do you believe it could serve as a retention factor?								
Yes	347	33	27	150	31	1	19	10
No	25	1	4	7	2	0	0	1
12. Would you try to further your education if aid was available?								
Yes	319	27	30	155	33	1	20	11
No	42	5	2	3	0	0	1	0
13. From S.B. 74 introduced in 1976, please indicate your support or non-support for the following provisions.								
13a - An option is granted to convert Guard Retirement on a basis of 4 years for 1 year in either the Public or Teachers' Retirement System.								
Support	212	30	20	144	29	1	16	8
Non-Support	101	3	9	14	3	0	3	1
13b - The creation of a National Guard Advisory Board to the Governor consisting of a majority of enlisted/officer members who are not employees of the Military Department.								
Support	206	30	26	110	30	7	14	9
Non-Support	65	3	3	36	2	0	7	2
13c - The recognition of a Statewide Alaska National Guard Association consisting of enlisted, officers and interest former Guard members.								
Support	110	16	25	136	31	1	20	9
Non-Support	43	6	3	8	2	0	1	2
13d - The requirement that the next Adjutant General have a minimum of 5 years Alaska National Guard experience (about 30 states have this requirement).								
Support	280	32	20	143	30	1	18	11
Non-Support	86	2	8	11	3	0	3	0
14. I support the bill in general.								
Yes	294	33	25	134	30	0	16	11
No	26	0	2	5	0	0	1	0

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ANALYSIS OF QUESTIONNAIRES RELATING TO S.B. 74

This questionnaire was sent out to the approximately 2,900 members of the Alaska National Guard. The membership included all Guard members, including Army, Air, Naval Militia and a few retired Guard members.

The questionnaires were sent out by the Legislative Council, in groups, to the various National Guard Units in the State. It appears, due to the number of completed questionnaires returned, that the distribution methods used by the various units varied in that some units had a high response rate, while others had as few as one response.

In the future, time could be set aside for completing this type of survey, especially if it could affect the various members of the Alaska National Guard.

In spite of the foregoing, a statistically sufficient number of completed questionnaires were returned to indicate attitudes of Guardsmen toward S.B. 74 and related matters.

Following is a synopsis of the questionnaires by question:

The first question asked was not numbered.  
Place of employment?

Anchorage - 381 responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 43; City/Borough 16; Federal 192 (it appears the majority of these Federal employees are full-time technicians with the National Guard); Private Business 75 and Other 55.

Juneau - 34 responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 11; City/Borough 3; Federal 9; Private Business 7 and Other 45.

First Scout Battalion - 33 responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 5; City/Borough 3, Federal 4; Private Business 6 and Other 27.

Second Scout Battalion - 159 responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 25; City/Borough 19; Federal 18; Private Business 19 and Other 78.

Third Scout Battalion - 33 responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 1; City/Borough 7; Federal 4; Private Business 1 and Other 20.

Kodiak - 1 responded, listing place of employment as Private Business.

Fairbanks - 21 responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 4; City/Borough 1; Federal 5; Private Business 5 and Other 6.

Kenai - 9 responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 1; City/Borough 0; Federal 0; Private Business 1 and Other 1.

Sitka - 3 responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 1; City/Borough 0; Federal 0; Private Business 1 and Other 1.

Palmer - 4 responded; listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 1; City/Borough 0; Federal 1; Private Business 1 and Other 1.

Ketchikan - 8 responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 1; City/Borough 1; Federal 1; Private Business 5 and Other 0.

A number of questionnaires listed no unit or community with designation - 28 responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 7; City/Borough 1; Federal 6; Private Business 6 and Other 8.

5 retired Guard members responded, listing places of employment as follows:

State Agency 0; City/Borough 4; Federal 0; Private Business 1 and Other 0.

In the following questions, there are differences in the figures, due mainly to the fact that some respondents did not answer all questions.

The total number of respondents to the first question (unnumbered) was 772, with the following breakdown:

State Agency 100; City/Borough 57; Federal 240; Private Business 133 and Other 242.

Question Number 1, "Time in the Guard", had 723 respondents with the following breakdown: less than six years in the Guard 393; Seven to 12 years in the Guard 153; 12 to 20 years in the Guard 92 and over 20 years in the Guard 85.

Question Number 2, "Will you stay in the Guard", had 692 respondents with the following breakdown: Yes 653; No 39.

#### Conclusions:

In looking at the first question, it appears that a large number of the responding group are federal full-time employees of the Guard.

Questions Number 1 and 2 taken together, indicate that about half of the members have been in the Guard for at least seven years which indicates that the Guard program is well accepted from the members point of view. Also, the first six years are critical in this type of program, and retention for more than six years appears to be fairly good in the Alaska Guard, which keeps the more seasoned, better trained individuals in the system, and judging from responses to Question 2, will continue. Since training is probably the single most expensive part of the Guard Program, retention makes the program cost effective.

Questions Number 3 and 4 indicate that information on various Guard programs is disseminated to "The Field" in a highly satisfactory manner. Emphasis has been placed on this part of the Guard program by the Adjutant General's Office and the Recruitment and Retention Section of the Department of Military Affairs.

Question 5, which is made up of five parts, indicates that better benefits are a definite consideration in retention. The main consideration appears to be reenlistment bonuses which give an individual a lump sum payment for "Contracting" to remain in the Guard for a specified amount of time beyond their obligation, in various increments.

The second major concern appears to be a better state retirement for Guardsmen. Since the Guard belongs to its respective state until needed for national emergencies, the Guard can be and has been of great benefit to Alaska, such as in the cases of the 1964 Earthquake, the Fairbanks Flood, the Juneau Alaska Airlines Crash and a number of civic programs too numerous to list, this is an area in which the State can reward its National Guardsmen for giving up weekends and other sacrifices they make to the benefit of Alaska.

In addition, since the beginning of our nation, the National Guard, or Minutemen/Militia has been utilized in time of national need such as the Revolutionary War, World War II, Korea and so on.

Question 5d, Other, covered many areas that Guardsmen wanted in addition to those specified. The main need spoken to was for better loan programs, including home loans for Guardsmen. This was followed by a free ferry trip a year, then free license plates for Guardsmen.

Question 6 indicates that most Guardsmen support the Permanent Fund, specifically in the form of SB 1.

Question 7 indicates that the majority of Guardsmen favor tying the State Guard Retirement, now available, to the Longevity Bonus Program, which would provide for periodic increases without having to request special legislation from time to time. The current Alaska Guard

Retirement Program provides that a member that completes 20 years of Alaska National Guard service, is eligible to receive \$50 per month for each year they spent in the Guard.

Questions 8, 9 and 10 are directly related and will be analyzed together. These questions cover a major portion of SB 74 which deals with credit for years of Guard service toward the Public Employees' or Teachers' Retirement Systems. The Bill provides that in lieu of the State Guard Retirement, a member may opt to receive one year of credited service for each four years in the Guard by relinquishing their Guard Retirement. Actuarially, this could be of benefit to the State, while providing a good retirement option to the Guardsmen. Under the existing Guard Retirement Program, a Guardsman completing 20 years of Alaska Guard Service, would be eligible to receive fifty dollars per month for 20 years, for a total of \$12,000. Under SB 74, if a Guardsman chooses to take the 4 to 1 credit towards Public Employees' or Teachers' Retirement, they must relinquish this \$12,000. The average State employee or teacher contributes approximately \$1,000 per year into the system, which means that under the proposal, the Guardsmen will be paying three times the average for each year of credited service.

Although only about twenty percent of the respondents are presently members of the Public Employees' or Teachers' Retirement Systems, about eighty percent favor this concept, with the majority of comments to these questions stating that they would prefer one year of credited service for each two years in the Guard, which while doubling the credit, would still actuarially give the Retirement System double the average contribution.

Although few respondents now belong to the Public Employees' or Teachers' Retirement Systems, it is logical to assume that given the dynamic conditions in Alaska and the emergence of new boroughs and municipalities, it is highly conceivable that in the future, more and more Guardsmen could become members. In addition, the training that they receive, at federal expense, in leadership and a multitude of administrative areas could make them highly desirable state or municipal employees with a great deal of valuable training and experience.

Most respondents indicated that they would be willing to talk to their legislators in favor of SB 74.

Question 11, indicates that the majority of respondents favor special educational assistance for Guardsmen, and feel that this type of program would enhance retention and recruitment in the Guard.

Question 12, which is related to question 11, indicates that most Guardsmen would further their education if assistance were available.

Question 13 is made up of four parts, a through d.

Question 13a, again indicates strong support for the retirement option of one year credited service for each four years in the Guard, with main comment again stating that credit should be one year credited services

for each two years in the Guard. Again, responses overwhelmingly support this plan, although only 20 percent of the respondents now belong to the Public Employees' or Teachers' Retirement Systems.

Question 13b, overwhelmingly supports the concept of a National Guard Advisory Board to the Governor consisting of officer and enlisted Guardsmen who are not employees of the Department of Military Affairs.

Question 13c, supports the recognition of a statewide National Guard Association comprised of officers, enlisted and former Guard members.

Question 13d, overwhelmingly supports the concept that the next Adjutant General have a minimum of five years in the Alaska National Guard. The consensus of the comments indicate that since this is Alaska's National Guard, an Alaskan Guardsman should head it.

Question 14, shows 581 of the respondents support SB 74 in general, and Question 15 shows 34 respondents do not support the Bill in general.

Finally, SB 74 was the result of many years of input from present and past Guardsmen, and according to the results of the questionnaire, reflects the needs and wishes of the 2,900 members of the Alaska National Guard and their families.

Original sponsors: Bradley, Bennett,  
Dankworth, et al

*Adopted House Comm*

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 146 (State Affairs)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to veterans' burial allowances."

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

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10 personal representative or heirs the division of veterans' affairs shall  
11 pay a burial expense allowance not to exceed \$750 for burial<sup>(in Alaska)</sup> of a vet-  
12 eran who was a resident of the state at the time of death.

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16 under (a) of this section even if that person dies while temporarily  
17 absent from the state.

18 (d) In this section "veteran" means a person described in AS 18.-  
19 56.101.

*time of application*

*to*

Original sponsors: Bradley, Bennett,  
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Offered: 5/15/81  
Referred: Finance

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honorably discharged.

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*include widow  
or widower  
of veteran*

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SB 146 veteran burial allowances

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HB 463 Rops - chemical depollant

Veterans of foreign wars 62478

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# Alaska State Legislature

## House of Representatives

### Committee on State Affairs

Pouch V  
State Capitol  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Official Business

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NOTIFICATION SHEET

BILL NO. SB 146

NAME	ORGANIZATION	PHONE NO.
<i>S. Bradley</i>		
<i>S. Cellitta</i>	<i>- son, Charles Smith, will send</i>	
<i>D. Rogers will have name ready</i>		



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NAME	ORGANIZATION	PHONE NO.
Bradley <sup>1-24</sup>	Senate	
VFW <sup>1-24</sup>	1-26 no ans.	62478
V A <sup>1-24</sup>	1-26 no ans.	67472
VFW Anch. Section <sup>1-24</sup>	Mr. Anderson	2768213
Harold Eastman <sup>1-24</sup>	Ed. Vet Fw (W. Veteran)	69603-8643300
Sexton's Sec Office <sup>1-24</sup>		6-1950
Dick Roundtree General Sheril <sup>1-24</sup>	(Natl. Guard) Military Affairs	4600
Bradley Staff <sup>1-27</sup>	withholding info note	
2-4		
Colletta's	Requesting breakdown of file	05

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23 states or a person who has served in a branch of the aremd services of the United  
24 States and was honorably discharged." and add language similar to language in  
25 AS 18.56.101.  
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*Mikes Proposed Sub  
Bob Dupras for update.*

Sofo ✓

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*Mike has 750 Ward  
~~200~~ people in my  
Dist Addresses*

IN THE SENATE

BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 146 (State Affairs)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

A BILL

For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to various benefits and allowances resulting from military service; and providing for an effective date."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

\* Section 1. AS 14.25.060(c) is amended to read:

(c) The total military service claimed may not exceed five years. The total Alaska National Guard and Alaska Naval Militia service claimed may not exceed five years. The combined total of outside, [AND] military, and Alaska National Guard and Alaska Naval Militia service may not exceed 10 years, except that, if entry into the armed forces is immediately preceded by membership service and within one year after discharge is continued by membership service, that service will not be counted for purposes of determining the applicability of the 10-year limitation on the combined total of outside, [AND] military, and Alaska National Guard and Alaska Naval Militia service. The combined total of outside, military, Alaska National Guard and Alaska Naval Militia, and Alaska BIA service may not exceed 15 years.

\* Sec. 2. AS 14.25.100(a) is amended to read:

(a) A member who served as an active member of the armed forces of the United States may receive credited [CREDITABLE] service under this system up to a maximum of five years. Each 12 months of military service equals one school year, and lesser military periods will be determined for credit purposes in a proportionate ratio to a year. To receive credited [CREDITABLE] service under this section, the member

FISCAL NOTE

I. REQUEST

Bill/Resolution No. SB 146

Title An Act Relating to Veterans' Burial Allowances.

Requested By: Bradley, Bennett, Dankworth, Kelly, Mulcahy, . . . Date 2-4-81

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Agency Affected Department of Commerce & Economic Development

Program Category Affected Economic Development

BRU, Program, or Subprogram(s) Affected Division of Veterans' Affairs

(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	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.8
200 TRAVEL						
300 CONTRACTUAL	.5	.5	.6	.6	.7	.7
400 COMMODITIES						
500 EQUIPMENT						
600 LAND & STRUCTURES						
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.	150.0	155.0	156.0	160.0	165.0	170.0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>152.4</b>	<b>157.6</b>	<b>158.8</b>	<b>163.0</b>	<b>168.3</b>	<b>173.5</b>

FUNDING (Thousands of Dollars)

	152.4	157.6	158.8	163.0	168.3	173.5
GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER (Specify Fund Source)	0	0	0	0	0	0

POSITIONS

	0	0	0	0	0	0
FULL TIME						
PART TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPORARY	0	0	0	0	0	0

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

The following statistics were used: Death rate of 3.9 per 1,000 residents (Vital Statistics)  
 Population growth 1970-1980 = 3.24% per year (Dept. of Labor-Research & Analysis)  
 Estimate of 70,000-77,000 veterans in the State.

Death rate x estimated veteran population = 273-300 deaths per year.  
Estimate of 300 deaths times \$500 per claim = \$150,000 in claims.

An estimate of 30 minutes per claim by an Accounting Clerk III was used with some postage and telephone charges.

These costs are being budgeted separately from the Veterans' Revolving Loan Fund and will require funding from the General Fund.

*Don Hostak*  
 Don Hostak, Director

IV. DATE February 9, 1981

PREPARED BY Don Hostak, Director  
 AGENCY Department of Commerce & Economic Development  
 PHONE 465-2555 Division of Veterans' Affairs

Original: Legislative Finance  
 cc: Budget and Management  
 Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)

THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
TWELFTH LEGISLATURE

FISCAL NOTE

I. REQUEST

Bill/Resolution No. HCSCSSB 146 (SA) Proposed  
Title An Act relating to various benefits and allowances resulting from military service; and providing for an effective date.

Requested by Colletta (CS) Bradley, Bennett, Dankworth. Date 1/18/82 (CS) 2/4/81 (orig)

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Agency Affected Department of Commerce & Economic Development  
Program Category Affected Economic Development  
BRU, Program, Or Subprogram(s) Affected Division of Loans and Veterans' Affairs  
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EXPENDITURES (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY 82	FY 83	FY 84	FY 85	FY 86	FY 87
100 PERSONAL SERVICES	2.6	2.8	2.9	3.4	3.6	3.3
200 TRAVEL						
300 CONTRACTUAL	.5	.5	.6	.6	.7	.7
400 COMMODITIES						
500 EQUIPMENT						
600 LAND & STRUCTURES						
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.	157.5	164.0	170.0	176.0	182.5	189.0
TOTAL	160.6	167.3	173.5	180.0	186.8	193.5

FUNDING (Thousands of Dollars)

	160.6	167.3	173.5	180.0	186.8	193.5
GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS	-0-					
OTHER (Specify Source)	-0-					

POSITIONS

	-0-					
FULL TIME						
PART TIME	-0-					
TEMPORARY	-0-					

II. ANALYSIS (See Fiscal Note Preparation Instruction, Section III)

The following statistics were used: Death rate of 3.9 per 1,000 residents (Vital Statistics)  
Population growth 1970-1980 = 3.24% per year (Dept of Labor - Research & Analysis)  
Estimate of 70,000-77,000 veterans in the State including an additional 4,000  
Ak Natl Guard members with 5 years or more service (Adjutant General's office)

Death rate X estimated veteran population = approx 315 deaths for FY 1983  
Estimate of 315 deaths X \$500 per claim = \$157,500 in FY 1983 claims

An estimate of 30 minutes per claim by an Accounting Clerk III was used with some postage and telephone charges.

These costs are being budgeted separately from the Veterans' Revolving Loan Fund.

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5 All Guard 5 year

3 Paise 750 ?

1 Do you have an amendment

4 Have you seen the proposed  
Amendment

6 any set who has not 6 mos  
residence and has not  
been absent for more than  
6 mos and anyone with more?

2 cost of burial P. 750 :- ss contribute

My friend is asking what  
about

the other side

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and tell you