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MEMORANDUM

August 15, 1985

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SUBJECT: Alternate public member

TO: Senator Mitch Abood, Chair
Joint Special Committee on Legislative
Salaries

FROM: Tamara Brandt Cook *TBC*
Legislative Counsel
Division of Legal Services

You have informed me that Ms. Jo Finity has been selected as an alternate public member on the Joint Special Committee on Legislative Salaries. From September 1, 1983 until January 31, 1984 she was employed by an organization called First Associates and was involved in an effort to repeal the recent legislative pay increase through the initiative and referendum process. First Associates was not successful and the move to repeal the pay increase was eventually taken over by another organization. Ms. Finity may not personally be committed to the repeal of the pay increase, but she was paid \$2,500 monthly, together with reimbursement of expenses, for her efforts on the initiative. You have asked whether the appointment of Ms. Finity to the Joint Special Committee on Legislative Salaries creates a conflict of interest.

Ms. Finity's involvement in an effort to repeal the legislative pay increase does not in itself create a conflict of interest problem, although she may be perceived to represent a particular point of view rather than the interests of the general public. However, a difficulty is presented by the fact that Ms. Finity received money for this involvement and, thus, may have or have had a personal financial interest in the question of salaries for legislators. Her situation would not create a conflict of interest under AS 24.60.030, generally defining conflicts of interest for the legislative branch. Under AS 24.60.020(b) the provisions of the chapter dealing with legislative ethics supersede the common law relating to conflict of

interest that apply to a member of the legislature or an employee of the legislature or a legislator. However, Ms. Finity is not a legislator or employee covered by this provision, so the common law relating to conflict of interest would apply to her.

The common law controls judicial decisions unless legislation is enacted to modify it. (Surina v. Buckalew, 629 P.2d 969 (Alaska 1981)) Under the common law not only must a public official avoid impropriety, but even the appearance of impropriety is to be avoided. (Warwick v. State ex rel Chance, 548 P.2d 384 (Alaska 1976)) This notion has been incorporated into the statutes in AS 39.50.010(b)(1) which states "public office is a public trust which should be free from the danger of conflict of interest".

It cannot be determined whether the situation involved here would be held to constitute a conflict of interest by the court, because in making a determination under the common law the courts consider the particular facts of each case. (See Attorney General Opinion 366-255-83, 366-286-83, A66-393-81, J66-457-81, December 3, 1982) It is possible that the court, in view of the fact that Ms. Finity's financial connection with First Associates has ended, would find no conflict of interest. On the other hand, it is possible that a court faced with the facts outlined earlier in this memorandum would find the appearance of impropriety, and therefore, a conflict of interest. At best, this is a situation which could raise questions.

You have also asked what the role of an alternate public member on the Joint Special Committee on Legislative Salaries would be. The committee was established last session in CSSCR 19(Fin) am H. That resolution provides that the committee consists of three members of the House of Representatives, three members of the Senate, and three public members. There is no provision for alternate members. Only the nine members appointed to the committee in accordance with the resolution can exercise the powers of committee members, particularly the right to vote on committee business. While an alternate member may attend all meetings of the committee, just as any member of the public may, and could be granted the right to participate in discussions of the committee, the alternate could not vote or exercise any other power of a committee member.

JOINT SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE SALARIES

SUMMARY OF RESUMES RECEIVED FOR PULBIC MEMBER POSITIONS

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Jo Fenety

4050 Woronzof Drive Anchorage, AK 99503
(907) 243-6467

RESUME

EMPLOYMENT BACKGROUND:

TOP TEMPORARIES Owner	2/83 to Present Anchorage
HERITAGE HOMES AND INVESTMENTS Director, Property Management	7/84 to 1/85 Anchorage
NEW CAPITAL SITE PLANNING COMMISSION Administrative Officer	11/81 to 12/82 Anchorage
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC FACILITIES Leasing Manager - Anchorage/Fairbanks Airports	9/78 to 11/81 Anchorage
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL AFFAIRS Administrative Assistant III	9/76 to 8/78 Juneau

FORMAL EDUCATION:

University of Florida - Liberal Arts
University of Alaska - Business

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Cook Inlet Foundation, Inc., Past President (1981-82)
Women in State Employment, Co-Founder
Anchorage Chamber of Commerce, Member, Legislative Action Committee
Anchorage Republican Women's Club, Past President (1982-84)
Republican Association for Business and Professional Women

REFERENCES: Upon request

FRANK PORT RESUME SUMMARY

BORN NEW YORK CITY-MAY 5, 1910

WORKED ON MAYORAL CAMPAIGN IN NEW YORK

**PLANT STEWARD FOR LOCAL 5 OF AMALGAMATED MEAT
CUTTERS AND BUTCHER WORKMEN OF NORTH AMERICA**

**PRESIDENT AND BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVE OF LOCAL 334
NEW YORK**

**CONTRACTED WITH CORPS OF ENGINEERS AT OLD FT.
RICHARDSON, ALASKA**

**U.S. AIR FORCE (ALASKA) 1963 - 1966/ HEATING
EQUIPMENT REPAIR FOREMAN
PROMOTED TO SUPERVISORY CAPACITY**

RETIRED DUE TO DEATH OF WIFE/4 CHILDREN

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THE HON. SENATOR MITCH ABOOD;

I am submitting the following information to
you as a public member of the Wage Panel
Born New York City MAY 5th 1910

Served as Hon. Asst to Frank J. Moran Campaign Manager
for the City Fusion Party for the election of F. La Guardia
as Mayor of the City of New York.

Was Plant Steward for locals of the Amalgamated Meat
Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America.

Won an Election under the old NRA (The so called Blue
Eagle) This act was declared unconstitutional by the Supreme
Court. Congress the National Labor Relations Act. (The
Wagner Act) I petitioned the International for a
separate Charter received same and proceeded to win
another Election as President & Business Representative
for local 334 of the Amalgamated it took four years
to get a signed contract from the New York Butchers
Dressed Meat Co Division of Armour & Co. The first
from one of the big four packers (Swift, Armour,
Cudahy and Wilson).

I quit as President & Business Representative of
the local when the demands of the membership
went beyond what the Company could meet as it was
still recovering from a depleted cattle market due
to drought in the mid & far west what cattle could
be bought was in a high live market.

From FRANK H. Port
POUCH 7-027
ANCHORAGE AK 99510

JULY 31

BECAUSE I refused to represent their impossible
DEMANDS I quit. They membership then went
C.I.O and I left entirely because I would not support
Sit Down Strikes and already impoverished cattle markets.
BECHTEL, Price and Callahan was hiring for the
Canal Project at the time so I went to a spot 3 miles
above Whitehouse and helped build a refinery -
Completed my contract returned to New York in
June of 1943 settled my affairs and signed a
Contract with the Corps. of ENGINEERS returned
to Anchorage and was employ at Old Ft Richardson
for the Post Utilities which amalgamated with the
old U.S.E.D to form the Post Engineer setup which
is still in existence today, transferred to Air Force in
1963 became Heating Equipment Repair Foreman 1966
Received my Administrative + Managerial Certificates through
U.S.A.F.I. went to King Salmon as Heating Systems
Supervisor for a year returned to 5073 ARBS Shemya in
same Supervisory Capacity responsible for the waste heat
Recovery System, All High Pressure + low Pressure Steam
Boilers, Hot Water Boilers, Heat exchangers and warm
Air Furnaces. Retired upon the death of my wife
due to Cancer of the lungs and Emphysema myself
4 children Eldest son honorably discharged Navy
NEXT KENNETH honorably discharged Army NEXT John
Retired on Disability Coast Guard. All SDW Service during
World War II and Conflict 1941-1945

Senator Mitch Abood
Chairman, Legislative Salary Special Committee
Alaska State Senate
1024 W. 6th Avenue
Anchorage 99501

31 July 1985

Dear Senator Abood:

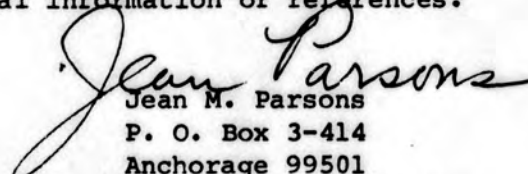
I would like to volunteer to serve as a public member of the Special Legislative Salary Committee.

A detailed (actually a lengthy) resume is enclosed. My previous salary comparison experience includes a special assignment to the school district where I evaluated all teachers when the wage classification system was changed some years ago to include years of service as well as degrees and years of education. Additionally, I worked with salary and compensation programs for Sohio in their Employee Relations Department.

During my thirty years in Alaska, I have served the community and the state and would like to continue in this important committee.

References: Jean vonDohrman, 501 D Street, Anchorage 99501
Jean Craciun, 808 E Street, Anchorage 99501
Larry Landry, Alaska Mutual Bank, Anchorage
Al Fleetwood, 3336 Princeton Way, Anchorage
Martha Galbreath, P. O. Box 6193, Anchorage 99501

I will be glad to provide additional information or references.


Jean M. Parsons
P. O. Box 3-414
Anchorage 99501
Day phone - 564-5137

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SYNOPSIS of RESUME of
JEAN MARILYN PARSONS

Post Office Box 3-414
Anchorage, Alaska 99501
Telephone: 907 344-4006

EDUCATION

- 1973 University of Alaska, Anchorage, B.A. -
 Office Administration/Business Education
 (earned degree while employed full time)
 Secondary Education Certificate, State of Alaska
1949 Fisher Junior College, Boston, Massachusetts
 Professional Secretarial Certificate.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 1977 - Sohio Alaska Petroleum Company, Prudhoe Bay and Anchorage:
 Landman, Permit Compliance (also Camp Supervisor,
 Employment and EEO Supervisor).
1975 - 1976 Green Construction Company, Prudhoe Bay:
 Office Manager.
1970 - 1975 State of Alaska, Department of Labor, Anchorage and
 Juneau: Program Coordinator, Employment Counselor.
1959 - 1969 Scandinavian Airlines System, Anchorage:
 Senior Passenger Service Representative.

PRE-PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 1956 - 1959 Alaska Communications System; Union Oil Corporation;
 Greater Anchorage Chamber of Commerce - Anchorage.
 Secretary and Administrative Assistant.
1955 - 1956 Palm Beach Biltmore Hotel, Palm Beach, Florida,
 Secretary to the Manager.
1949 - 1955 Boston University School of Social Work, Boston,
 Secretary to the Dean.

MEMBERSHIP in PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Past President of the Board of Directors, Employment and Training Center
of Alaska and Alaska Resources for the Moderately and Severely Impaired
Seroptimists of Cook Inlet
Alaska World Affairs Council
American Vivisection Association
Anchorage Society of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals

AMPLIFIED RESUME

JEAN M. PARSONS

3/77 -

SOHIO ALASKA PETROLEUM COMPANY, Anchorage (formerly BP)

Accepted a Skilled Clerk assignment at Prudhoe Bay to gain a position. Organized the Controls System office, including files, maintenance records, dossiers; handled and processed purchase orders; received, unpacked and distributed all supplies, tools and equipment for Controls and Communications. Participated in establishing the original computerized preventive maintenance/ purchasing system.

Successfully applied for an upgrade through the company's Job Opportunity Program and began as Camp Supervisor, CC-1, July 1978. Prepared and administered contracts and budgets; health and safety programs; supervised camp staff - reservations and check-ins, catering, housekeeping and building maintenance; arranged entertainment; the same responsibilities for Sohio's main camp were added during 1979.

In September 1979, I again bid through the Job Opportunity Program for the position of Employment Supervisor, Anchorage, in charge of external recruitment. Supervised the Employee Relations Office, wrote job descriptions and vacancy announcements, interviewed, selected and referred applications and directed employment application processing for permanent exempt and non-exempt positions. Recruited, selected and administered a large temporary work force.

In June 1981, I was transferred to Equal Employment Opportunity Supervisor, responsible for preparing and administering the Affirmative Action Program for 1200 employees. Provided EEO policy and law interpretations to management and employees. Planned and directed an EEO training program. Designed and implemented an audit and reporting system to measure program effectiveness; identified potential problem areas and recommended remedies. Responded to formal complaints. Counseled employees. Conducted a community outreach program which included presenting career day programs to high school students around the State.

Through the Job Opportunity Program, I applied for a position August 1983 in the Lands Department as Landman, Permit Compliance. Responsible for providing comprehensive audit, monitoring, and reporting system for the majority of Sohio's operating permits. Responsible for developing permit awareness training to insure high company compliance response; for defining responsibilities and communications paths for permit compliance; for negotiating with regulatory agencies to mitigate the impact on operations of proposed or existing stipulations; for maintaining current knowledge of permit and regulatory burdens to prepare company position reports as needed.

11/75 - 8/76GREEN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, Prudhoe Bay

Accepted temporary job as clerk typist to satisfy curiosity about the Alaska Pipeline. Promoted to Office Manager after one month. Supervised clerical employees and supported the Project Manager and staff, plus three subcontractors, administering a \$21,000,000. maintenance and service contract.

4/70 - 10/75ALASKA DEPARTMENT of LABOR, Division of Employment Security
Anchorage, Juneau

Employed as Manpower Specialist Trainee interviewing, classifying, and placing applicants. Promoted to Manpower Specialist I in November 1970, as Selection and Referral Specialist working mainly with disadvantaged persons seeking job training, counseling, employment. Recommended individuals for training and followed them through a program leading to employment by providing needed supportive services including food, housing, transportation.

Promoted to Manpower Specialist III in January 1972, to Juneau. Involved in employment service technical functions -- including planning and implementing new programs; interpreting and revising methods or procedures to adapt State operations to Federal guidelines. Provided technical assistance and training to eleven statewide employment offices. Wrote manuals and directives, designed forms, conducted program audits and evaluations. Acted as supervisor for the Manpower Development and Training Act and Work Incentive Program Training Payment Unit, which was responsible for payment of tuition and allowances to trainees throughout the State.

From May through October 1973, was assigned to a special group of the Federal Division of Budget Development and Review to improve the ability of the Unemployment Insurance Service to budget and allocate resources. Participated in three phases of the study:

Flowcharted all processes in unemployment insurance offices in the State; documented quality standards of the agency
Trained monitors around the State, tested the design, and monitored recording of actual time expended and production counts on all processes in paying and adjudicating unemployment claims
Analyzed and summarized time expenditures and production counts and constructed a cost model of budget procedures which is now the basis for budget preparation and allocation for the agency.

Promoted to Manpower Specialist IV in August 1974, in Anchorage, and under general direction of the Agency Director and Assistant Directors, performed special studies to identify, analyze and document management procedures and policy and recommend corrective action or change. Redesigned programs as required and trained staff statewide. Acted as liaison for the Director in Anchorage.

Was advanced to Program Coordinator in March 1975, with statewide responsibility to revitalize the Work Incentive Program and improve performance to achieve mandatory Federal goals or lose State funding. Reported directly to the Commissioners of Labor and Health and Social Services; coordinated program with Region X Federal WIN staff. Functioned as the Program Manager of the Anchorage WIN Office, which accounted for 80% of state goals. Able to bring WIN program up to the desired level and received Federal approval moving from the worst to the best state WIN program in Region X. Left the State agency to return to private industry.

August 5, 1985

Legislative Affairs Committee
Senator Mitch Abood
1024 W. 6th Street
Anchorage, AK 99501

Dear Sir:

I would like to volunteer to serve as a public member of the Legislative Salary Committee. My reasons are strictly to serve the public's interest and I believe my qualifications make me well suited for this endeavor.

I am 45 years old, married, and have four college age children. My family and I have been Alaska residents since 1964 having come here as an Air Force fighter pilot. In 1971, after eight years of active military duty, including Vietnam, I began working for the Federal Aviation Administration where I am currently a GS-13 Air Traffic Control Specialist Supervisor. Also, since 1970 I have served in the Alaska Air National Guard as a pilot and Director of Operations.

My personal life is devoted primarily to family, church activities, and private flying. I served for ten years as treasurer of the Anchorage Church of Christ, a congregation of approximately 600 members. I also served as an elder and teacher for that congregation. Since 1970 I have been a part-time flight instructor flying out of Merrill Field and Anchorage International Airport.

There are probably more than 25,000 military and civilian employees of the U. S. Government in Alaska. I believe these people need a voice in determining the salary of our elected representatives and my experience in the aviation community, the U. S. Government, and the Air National Guard gives me a broad background to serve on this committee.

My desire is to represent a large segment of Alaska's people while serving all Alaskans, so I ask your favorable consideration for this position. For personal references I would refer you to Judge Seaborn J. Buckalew, Mr. Ed Merdes, or Senator Rick Halford.

Thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,

Jerry P. Jones

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6844 Town & Country
Anchorage, AK 99502
Phone 243-4490

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NAME: GEORGE M. SULLIVAN

HOME ADDRESS: 1345 West 12th Avenue
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

TELEPHONE: Residence (907) 272-2918

DATE OF BIRTH: March 31, 1922

EDUCATION: VALDEZ HIGH SCHOOL
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (SUMMER COURSE) AT STANFORD

MILITARY: U. S. Army - Aleutians, WW II

BUSINESS CAREER: MULTIVISIONS, LTD.
General Manager

WESTERN AIRLINES
Senior Vice President - Alaska

MAYOR OF ANCHORAGE, ALASKA
Oct, 1967 - Jan., 1982

ALASKA STATE LEGISLATOR

CONSOLIDATED FREIGHTWAYS - Alaska Manager

U. S. DEPUTY MARSHAL - ALASKA

MEMBERSHIPS: Anchorage Elks, #1351
Pioneers of Alaska
Knights of Columbus
Knights of the Holy Sepulcher, Alaska Council Member
First Federal Bank - Board of Directors
MultiVisions Cable - Board of Directors
First Service Corporation - Board of Directors

Former Member:
Anchorage Assembly
Anchorage City Council
Fairbanks City Council
Alaska VFW - Department Commander
Jaycees - State President
Executive Board, U. S. Conference of Mayors
Alaska Municipal League - Past President
National League of Cities - Board of Directors

SPOUSE'S NAME: MARGARET EAGAN SULLIVAN

CHILDREN:

1. Tim	6. George, Jr.
2. Harvey	7. Mike
3. Dan	8. Shannon
4. Kevin	9. Casey
5. Colleen	

GRANDCHILDREN: EIGHT (8)

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Mitch -

John Butrovich has had a change of mind.
If he serves there will be a conflict due
to his retirement program EPRS
(Elected Public Officials Retirement System)
which is directly connected with any
salary increases. He has also discussed
this with Senator Fahrenkamp & I have
verified this conflict with Retirement in Juneau.
Call me at home if you like - 276-7483. Linda

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Panel on Legislative Salaries
Senator Mitch Abood, Chairman
1024 W. 6th Avenue
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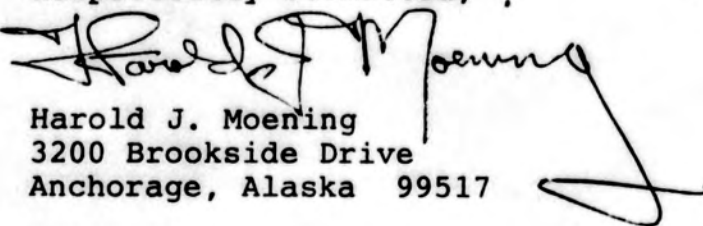
Gentlemen,

Please consider me as a candidate for one of the three public members for the Panel on Legislative Salaries.

I am a 29-year resident of the State of Alaska and have a sincere interest in all matters affecting this State and its people.

Enclosed herewith is a brief resume' outlining my qualifications for this appointive position. Your consideration is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,


Harold J. Moening
3200 Brookside Drive
Anchorage, Alaska 99517

Enclosure

HJM/fbw

RESUME

HAROLD J. (HARRY) MOENING
3200 Brookside Drive
Anchorage, Alaska 99517

PERSONAL

U.S. Citizen, Born March 16, 1934 in Melrose, Minnesota.
Alaska Resident since June, 1956.

Graduate of University of Alaska, Fairbanks
Bachelor of Science Degree - Geology, 1960.

Married July 26, 1958 in Anchorage, Alaska.
Father of three children, all Alaskan residents.

MEMBERSHIPS

American Arbitration Association
Panel of Arbitrators

Alaska Bar Association
Non-Attorney Member of Disciplinary Committee

Municipality of Anchorage
Geotechnical Advisory Commission 1976-1980

Registered Professional Geologist
In States of Alaska, California, and Idaho

Member and former Chapter President of the
American Institute of Professional Geologists

Member of Association of Engineering Geologists

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Employed by State of Alaska, Dept. of Highways
1960 - 1964

Private Businessman and Employer in Alaska since
1964. Alaskans on my payroll during this time have
varied from a few to over 150.