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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 406 (Resources)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the conservation and protection  
7 of natural rangelands; and providing for an effective  
8 date."

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

10 \* Section 1. AS 41 is amended by adding a new chapter to read:

11 CHAPTER 13. CONSERVATION AND PROTECTION OF NATURAL RANGELANDS.

12 ARTICLE 1. STATE GRAZING PRESERVES.

13 Sec. 41.13.010. PURPOSE. The purpose of this chapter is to  
14 protect naturally occurring rangelands and to permit the establishment  
15 of state owned or acquired land and water areas as state grazing  
16 preserves. The primary purpose in the establishment of state grazing  
17 preserves is the perpetuation of personal, commercial, and other  
18 beneficial uses of resources through multiple-use management and  
19 sustained yield.

20 Sec. 41.13.020. MANAGEMENT PLANS. (a) The commissioner of  
21 natural resources shall adopt and may amend management plans to assist  
22 in meeting the requirements of this chapter. A management plan pre-  
23 pared under this section may designate incompatible uses and shall  
24 permit the following uses:

- 25 (1) grazing permits and leases;
- 26 (2) timber harvest, including harvest of forest products  
27 for personal use;
- 28 (3) material extraction;
- 29 (4) mineral location and leasing;

- 1 (5) oil and gas leases;
- 2 (6) surface lease, consistent with AS 38.05.070, for uses
- 3 other than grazing;
- 4 (7) recreation;
- 5 (8) wildlife and fisheries habitat management;
- 6 (9) hunting, fishing, and trapping;
- 7 (10) watershed management;
- 8 (11) greenbelts; and
- 9 (12) other traditional, compatible uses.

10 (b) The commissioner may establish transportation corridors

11 within a state grazing preserve.

12 ARTICLE 2. KODIAK ISLAND STATE GRAZING PRESERVE.

13 Sec. 41.13.100. KODIAK ISLAND STATE GRAZING PRESERVE. Subject

14 to valid existing rights, the state owned or acquired land and water

15 lying within the parcels described in this section is designated as

16 the Kodiak Island State Grazing Preserve.

17 Seward Meridian

18 Township 29 South, Range 19 West

19 Sections 31 - 36

20 Township 29 South, Range 20 West

21 Section 7

22 Sections 12 - 14

23 Sections 19 - 24

24 Sections 25 - 35

25 Township 29 South, Range 21 West

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27 Township 29 South, Range 22 West

28 Sections 33 - 36

29 Township 30 South, Range 19 West

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7 Township 31 South, Range 22 West

8 Sections 1 - 12

9 Township 32 South, Range 19 West

10 Sections 3 - 6

11 Section 9

12 Township 32 South, Range 20 West

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14 Section 9

15 Section 10

16 ARTICLE 3. SEWARD PENINSULA STATE GRAZING PRESERVE.

17 Sec. 41.13.200. SEWARD PENINSULA STATE GRAZING PRESERVE. Sub-  
18 ject to valid existing rights, the state owned or acquired land and  
19 water lying within the parcels described in this section is designated  
20 as the Seward Peninsula State Grazing Preserve.

21 Kateel River Meridian

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5 \* Sec. 2. The commissioner shall submit the initial management plan for  
6 each state grazing preserve established in this Act no later than the 10th  
7 day of the Second Session of the Fifteenth State Legislature. The manage-  
8 ment plan takes effect 30 days after the date of its submission unless  
9 disapproved by act of the legislature.

10 \* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect July 1, 1986.

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