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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

STATE SUPPORTED BROADCASTING SUBJECT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE TV/RADIO CALL-IN HEARING

Representative H.A. "Red" Boucher, Chairman of the House Special Committee on Telecommunications, announced today that the Committee would hold a special hearing on the subject of state-supported broadcasting. The format of the hearing will be a statewide call-in program which will be produced at the KTOO TV station in Juneau. The hearing will be held on Thursday, March 26, from 8 to 9 PM, and will be broadcast live over RATNET, Public TV and Public radio.

TV viewers and radio listeners across the state will be able to call the Committee with testimony or questions using a toll free number, 1-800-478-3636. In Juneau, the number is 586-3636. People with questions can call between 4-7 PM on Thursday, or during the hearing.

The Committee will use the statewide broadcast network to take testimony from people who were not able to testify during previous teleconference hearings. This will be the last public hearing prior to the Committee submitting final recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature.

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HOUSE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON TELECOMMUNICATIONS
MARCH 24-26, 1987
(* Indicates First Public Hearing)

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3:30 PM
Tues, Thurs

Tuesday, March 24, 1987

Joint Meeting with House Finance Subcommittee on Department
of Labor

The use of data processing within the department, and
tie-in with the state data network.

Thursday, March 26, 1987

Committee review of Professor Pearson's final
recommendations on state supported broadcasting.

Other Committee business.

Thursday, March 26, 1987
KTOO Recording Studio, 224 4th St., Juneau.
8-9 PM

State-wide call-in on state supported broadcasting.
Simulcast on RATNET, Public TV and radio.

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TO: TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE MEMBERS

FROM: H.A. "RED" BOUCHER
CHAIRMAN

DATE: MARCH 24, 1987

SUBJECT: STATE-SUPPORTED BROADCASTING / STATEWIDE CALL-IN

* This will be an official committee meeting.

* The meeting will be carried live, statewide, on the RATNET, Public TV and Public Radio stations.

* The program will last from 8 to 9 PM, Thursday, March 26.
PLEASE BE AT THE STUDIO 15 MINUTES EARLY TO BECOME FAMILIAR WITH THE EQUIPMENT.

* The program will be broadcast from the KTOO studio at 224 4th St., Juneau (586-1695).

* Listeners and viewers will have the opportunity to call-in with questions or comments, using a toll free telephone number.

- The calls will be screened for geographic and content diversity.

- There will time for only 15-20 questions.

* Committee members will be fitted with a lapel microphone and an ear piece. If you have a preference for either a left or right ear piece, please contact Jim Mayhem at KTOO, 586 1695.