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P.O. BOX V
State Capitol
Juneau, Alaska 99811

April 6, 1987

The Honorable Mitch Abood
Chairman
Senate State Affairs Committee
P.O. Box V
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mitch:

I have received a letter from Pepper Miller, Executive Director of Alaska Special Olympics.

I enclose a copy of the letter in which Ms. Miller asks that a Permanent Fund Dividend check-off be allowed for donations to Alaska Special Olympics.

Obviously, the cause is a good one. Since the State Affairs Committee is working on other measures involving the Permanent Fund Dividend donations, and since you and your staff have done an excellent job in coordinating these measures, I am writing to suggest that, as one member of the Committee, I would support legislation which would allow this additional option for recipients of the Permanent Fund Dividend checks.

If you feel that a Committee bill on the subject is in order, I would be pleased to lend my support to it as one member of the Committee.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joe P. Josephson".

Joe P. Josephson
State Senator

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Enclosure



Special Olympics

Alaska

Chuck Melick - Director Emeritus

March 26, 1987

Mr. Joe Josephson
P. O. Box V, Capitol, Room 113
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Josephson:

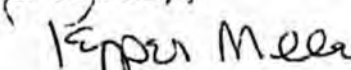
Alaska Special Olympics is asking for your support. There is a bill, or number of bills, before the legislature dealing with the issue of designating an organization as the recipient of donated permanent fund dividend checks. We are asking your support in having ALASKA SPECIAL OLYMPICS as one of those organizations.

Alaska Special Olympics is an athletic training, competition and recreation program serving almost four hundred Alaskans with mental retardation, ages eight and above. Monies raised from sources such as this, enable our organization to provide training facilities, competitions (games) on the local, chapter and international levels, uniforms, adaptive equipment and training clinics for volunteer coaches and volunteers that support our programs statewide. The dividend check income would enable our organization to serve more athletes and build more programs.

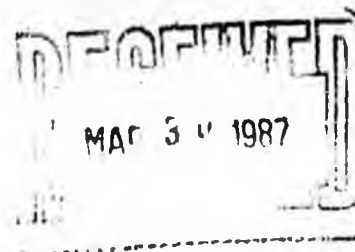
We would appreciate your support in requesting Alaska Special Olympics be one of the choices for the donation of permanent fund dividend checks.

Thank you in advance for your support of Alaska Special Olympics.

Sincerely,


Ms. Pepper Miller
Executive Director

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WHO WE ARE:

We are a volunteer non-profit organization serving individuals with mental retardation, ages 8 and above, at any level of skill ability.

WHAT WE DO :

We provide a year-round sports training and conditioning program for over 350 athletes, in 15 areas of our State, under the direction of 100 volunteer coaches and 500 volunteer support staff.

OUR SPORTS ACTIVITIES:

We have year-round sports training and competition in the following sports:

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| Aquatics | | |
| Basketball | Gymnastics | Swimming |
| Bowling | Ice Skating | Track & Field |
| Frisbee | (speed & figure) | Volleyball |
| Wheelchair Events | Soccer | Skiing |
| | | (nordic & alpine) |

Our competitions, for those who choose to participate, are held annually in local areas. Athletes can then progress to Chapter Summer, Winter & Bowling competitions.

OUR ORGANIZATION:

Our founder and parent organization is the Joseph P. Kennedy, Jr. Foundation. There is a state Board of Directors selected from volunteers statewide. A Chapter Director is appointed by the Board of Directors. There is also a state Program Director and Area Coordinators managing 15 local programs.

WE HAVE LOCAL PROGRAMS IN THESE AREAS OF OUR STATE:

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| Anchorage | Interior Rivers | Seward/Moose Pass |
| Bethel | Juneau | Sitka |
| Cntrl Kenai Pen. | Ketchikan/Wrangell | Tanana Valley |
| Dillingham | Kodiak | Valdez |
| Mat/Su | Northway | Norton Sound |

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STATE OF ALASKA 1987 LEGISLATIVE SESSION
FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST: _____

Bill Version : SB 213
Publish Date : 3/26/87

Revision Date: _____
Title: Act relating to contributions from permanent fund dividends for state parks
Sponsor : Zharoff
Requestor : _____

Agency Affected: Administration
BRU: Finance
Components : _____

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 87	FY 88	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAPITAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
REVENUE	0	0	0	0	0	0

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
TOTAL						

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS : (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This legislation would allow an applicant of a permanent fund dividend to contribute \$5 of the dividend amount to the state parks account, an account of the general fund. The account would be administered by the Dept. of Revenue. This legislation would not have a financial impact on the Division of Finance.

Prepared by: Keith Busch Phone: 465-2240
Division: Finance Date: 4/2/87

Approved by Commissioner: [Signature] Date: 4/7/87
Agency: Administration

Distribution (by preparer):

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Original sponsor: Zharoff

1 IN THE SENATE BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 213 (State Affairs)
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to contributions from permanent fund
7 dividends for state parks; and providing for an
8 effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 43.23 is amended by adding a new section to read:

11 Sec. 43.23.016. CONTRIBUTIONS FROM DIVIDENDS. (a) The depart-
12 ment shall prepare the permanent fund dividend application to allow an
13 applicant to elect to have money subtracted from the dividend check
14 and contributed to the Department of Natural Resources to be used to
15 manage state parks.

16 (b) The amount of each contribution elected under (a) of this
17 section is \$5. Contributions shall be deposited in a special dividend
18 contribution trust account and allocated by the department in accor-
19 dance with the contribution elections made by applicants except that
20 the department shall use money in the account to pay administrative
21 costs incurred under this section.

22 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect July 1, 1987.

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