

HB

445

# HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT

(7)

Date Referred: January 24, 1990

FURTHER REFERRALS:

Date of Committee Action: 3/20/90

The HEALTH, EDUCATION, & SOCIAL SERVICES Committee considered: H. 445

HOUSE BILL NO. 445

POSTSECONDARY COMM/SELECT STUDENT MEMBER

"An Act relating to the student member of the Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education."

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- be replaced with CS HB 445 (HESS)  the same title  
 a new title  
 have attached amendment(s)  
 do pass  
 do not pass  
 no recommendation  
 individual recommendations  
 additional referral to the \_\_\_\_\_ Committee

ADOPTS: \_\_\_\_\_ letter of intent

ATTACHES NEW FISCAL NOTE(s):  
(Dept)

APPROVES PREVIOUS:

(Date/Dept)

- fiscal impact \_\_\_\_\_  
 zero fiscal note DOE  
 zero with analysis \_\_\_\_\_

- fiscal note(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
 zero fiscal note(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
 zero fn/analysis \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNING DO PASS

SIGNING:

(Check approp. column)

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J. Ellis  
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J. Ellis  
Chairman's Signature

## FISCAL NOTE

**REQUEST:**

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Agency Affected: Education  
 Title: Student Members of the Alaska  
Commission on Postsecondary Education BRU: Postsecondary  
 Sponsor: Koponen Components: Program Administration  
 Requestor: House HESS

**EXPENDITURES/REVENUES:** (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
<b>CAPITAL</b>						
<b>REVENUE</b>						

**FUNDING:** (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
<b>TOTAL</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-

**POSITIONS:**

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

**ANALYSIS :** (Attach a separate page if necessary)

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 Division: Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education Date: 3/20/90

Approved by Commissioner: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

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STATE OF ALASKA  
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March 19, 1990

The Honorable Niilo Koponen  
Alaska State Representative  
P.O. Box V  
Juneau, AK 99811

Re: HB 445

Dear Representative Koponen:

There are several reasons for our interest in changing the term expiration date of the student member of the Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education to coincide with the term of the student member on the Board of Regents.

**BACKGROUND:** The next term of the student member of the Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education will expire 3/1/92. The term of the current student member of the Board of Regents will expire 5/31/91. Both terms are for a period of two years. If a member is removed or resigns prior to the term expiration date, the newly appointed member would be appointed for the unexpired term of the original appointee. A member serves until reappointed or replaced.

Over the past few years, the campus staff and students have expressed the need for revisions to allow concurrent campus elections.

**PROBLEM:** The Postsecondary Education student's term and the Regents student's term expire on alternate years. Two separate, costly elections are usually required.

**PROPOSED SOLUTION:** Pass a bill with language that changes the Postsecondary Education student member's term to coincide with the Board of Regents student member's term. Specifically, the language should:

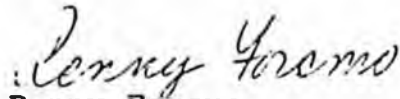
1. Change the Postsecondary Ed student's term to end 5/31/91.

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2. Add transitional language stating that the term of office of the student member of the Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education who was in office on February 28, 1990, will expire on 5/31/91. The subsequent term will be a two-year term beginning 6/1/91 and will expire on 5/31/93.

This transitional language will alleviate the need for an immediate election. It will allow the elections for both the Postsecondary Ed student member and the Regents student member to run concurrently which will simplify this time consuming appointment process and minimize associated costs.

Sincerely,



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Special Staff Assistant  
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1 IN THE HOUSE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 445 ( )

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the student member of the Alaska  
7 Commission on Postsecondary Education."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 14.42.015(e) is amended to read:

10 (e) A full-time postsecondary student shall be appointed to the  
11 Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education from a list of nominees  
12 submitted to the governor. The governor shall make the appointment  
13 from the list within 60 days after it is submitted. The list must  
14 [SHALL] consist of the names of two nominees from Alaska Pacific  
15 University, two nominees from Sheldon Jackson College, and two nomi-  
16 nees from each campus of the University of Alaska. The nominees shall  
17 be selected by the students at Alaska Pacific University, Sheldon  
18 Jackson College, and each campus of the University of Alaska by an  
19 election held on each campus. Elections under this subsection shall  
20 be held concurrently with student regent elections required under  
21 AS 14.40.150(b) and [. SELECTIONS SHALL BE MADE AT ELECTIONS] con-  
22 ducted under rules established by the Office of the Governor. The  
23 term of office of the student member of the commission is two years  
24 and begins June 1 of the year in which the appointment is made.  
25 Membership on the commission is immediately forfeited by a student  
26 member who ceases to be a full-time student. Within 60 days after a  
27 vacancy occurs, the governor shall appoint a successor from those  
28 students appearing on the list of nominees to serve for the unexpired  
29 term of the original appointee. The term "campus" used in this

1 subsection means a portion of the University of Alaska designated as a  
2 "campus" by the Board of Regents.

3 \* Sec. 2. TRANSITIONAL PROVISION. Notwithstanding AS 14.42.015(e), as  
4 amended by sec. 1 of this Act, the term of the present student member of  
5 the Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education is extended until May 31,  
6 1991.

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Mary Van Nimwegen

H. HESS 3-20-90