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SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 4/24/90

DATE TURNED INTO OFFICE: _____

The Finance Committee considered

SB 533

"An Act relating to food and housing for construction workers at remote construction sites on public construction projects; and providing for an effective date."

and recommended:

- replace with _____ CS _____ same title
- or adopt _____ CS _____ new title
- attached amendment(s) technical title change (HB only)
- _____ letter of intent adopted

do pass

do not pass

no recommendation

individual recommendations

further referral to _____

ATTACHES NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Dept/Date:

fiscal note(s) _____

zero fiscal note(s) _____

appropriation-no fiscal note

SIGNING DO PASS:

APPROVES PREVIOUS:

Dept/Date:

fiscal note(s) _____

zero fiscal note(s) _____

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. _____

2. _____

Co-Chairs: Signatures and Recommendations

SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT
FIRST COMMITTEE OF REFERRAL

DATE: 3/22/90

FURTHER: Finance

Date of 5-Day Notice: 4/12/90
(in accordance with Uniform Rule 23)

DATE TURNED INTO OFFICE: 4/24/90

Rollins

Labor and Commerce Committee considered SB 533
Food and housing for construction workers at remote construction sites
on public construction projects; efd.
and report it back as follows

and recommended:

- replace with _____ CS _____ same title
- attached amendment(s) new title
- _____ letter of intent adopted

do pass

do not pass

no recommendation

individual recommendations

further referral to _____

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ATTACHES NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department(s)/Date:

Department(s)/Date:

fiscal note(s) DOT/PF 4/4/90

zero fiscal note(s) Dept of Labor 3/30/90

appropriation-no fiscal note

Governor's bill w/fiscal note

SIGNING DO PASS:

Robert Rodery

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Jan Jacks No Rec

Rollins
Chair: Signature and Recommendation

BY THE LABOR & COMMERCE COMMITTEE

1 IN THE SENATE

2 SENATE BILL NO. 533

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 food and housing for construction
7 workers at remote construction sites on public con-
8 struction projects; and providing for an effective
9 date."

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

11 * Section 1. AS 36.90 is amended by adding a new section to read:

12 Sec. 36.90.110. FOOD AND HOUSING AT REMOTE CONSTRUCTION SITES.

13 (a) Except as provided in (b) of this section, an employer or con-
14 tractor shall provide food and housing to an employee of the employer
15 or contractor working on a public construction project at a remote
16 construction site. The housing must meet safety and health standards
17 for housing set out in the Standards for Occupational and Industrial
18 Structures adopted by the department. The employer or contractor may
19 not consider the cost of the food and housing in setting wages for the
20 employee or in meeting wage requirements under AS 23.10.065 or
21 AS 36.05.

22 (b) An employer or contractor who provides adequate transporta-
23 tion to employees is exempt from the requirement to provide food and
24 housing under (a) of this section. Transportation is adequate under
25 this section if it

26 (1) is available daily at reasonable hours to and from the
27 remote construction site to a location that provides access to ade-
28 quate commercially-available housing;

29 (2) takes no more than 30 minutes to transport the employee
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1 from the departure point to the worksite; and

2 (3) meets applicable transportation safety standards.

3 (c) The requirements of this section are considered a part of
4 every contract for hire for a public construction project in the
5 state. The advertised specifications for a public construction con-
6 tract that is partly or wholly funded by state money must contain a
7 provision stating the requirement for providing food and housing at
8 remote construction sites.

9 (d) The department shall implement this section by regulation.

10 (e) In this section "remote" means a work site that is either
11 more than 50 road miles or inaccessible by two-wheel-drive vehicles
12 from a place that has adequate, commercially-available food and hous-
13 ing that meet the standards set out in (a) of this section.

14 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).
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STATE OF ALASKA
1990 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL VERSION: SB 533 (2)
PUBLISH DATE: 4/24/90

REQUEST: FISCAL NOTE

Revision Date: Agency Affected: DOT&PF
Title: An Act relating to food and housing workers of remote construction sites on public construction projects; and providing for and effective date. BRU: Design & Construction
Sponsor: Labor and Commerce Committee Components:
Requestor: Labor and Commerce Committee

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96
PERSONAL SERVICES	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRAVEL	0	0	0	0	0	0
CONTRACTURAL	60	60	60	60	60	60
SUPPLIES	0	0	0	0	0	0
EQUIPMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0
LAND & STRUCTURES	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANTS, CLAIMS	0	0	0	0	0	0
MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL OPERATING	60	60	60	60	60	60
CAPITAL	240	240	240	240	240	240
REVENUE	0	0	0	0	0	0

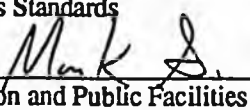
FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	300	300	300	300	300	300
FEDERAL FUNDS	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	300	300	300	300	300	300

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPORARY	0	0	0	0	0	0

ANALYSIS: The fiscal note is based on assuming an average of \$0.5 million per year of general fund dollars are spent on maintenance projects which would be affected and another \$2.0 million in general fund capital projects. To these amounts an average camp cost of 12% was applied. In addition, on federal-aid highway and aviation work, based upon the proposed program for the next six years a cost of \$4.0 million per year is anticipated. This would subtract from the buying power of our capital budget, but would not add new costs.

Prepared by: Jeffery C. Ottesen
Division: Engineering and Operations Standards
Approved by Commissioner: 
Agency: Department of Transportation and Public Facilities

Phone: 465-2960
Date: April 4, 1990

Date: 4/4/90

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STATE OF ALASKA
1990 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL VERSION: SB 533 (b)
PUBLISH DATE: 4-24-90

FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST:

Revision Date: _____ Agency Affected: Labor
 Title: "An Act relating to food and housing for construction workers..." BRU: Labor Standards & Safety
 Sponsor: Senate Labor & Commerce Components: _____
 Requestor: Senate Labor & Commerce Occupational Safety & Health

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						
TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

CAPITAL						
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REVENUE						
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FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

Note: There is no fiscal impact in FY'90.

Prepared by: Tom Stuart, Director Phone: 465-4855
 Division: Labor Standards & Safety Date: 3/30/90
 Approved by Commissioner: Jim Sampson Date: 3/30/90
 Agency: Department of Labor

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