

SB 24

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 1/21/91

FURTHER:

DATE TURNED INTO OFFICE: 2/12/91

The Finance Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 24

"An Act making supplemental appropriations to the Department of Administration and the Department of Health and Social Services related to the longevity bonus program; and providing for an effective date."

and recommended:

[X] replace with CS SB24 (Fix) [X] same title
[ ] or adopt CS [ ] new title
[ ] attached amendment(s) [ ] technical title change (HB only)
[ ] letter of intent adopted

[X] do pass

[ ] do not pass

[ ] no recommendation

[ ] individual recommendations

[ ] further referral to

ATTACHES NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

[ ] fiscal note(s) Dept/Date:

[ ] zero fiscal note(s)

APPROVES PREVIOUS:

[ ] fiscal note(s) Dept/Date:

[ ] zero fiscal note(s)

[X] appropriation-no fiscal note

SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Handwritten signatures: Jim Deuca, Al Adams, Lynn Hoffman, Rich Wehling

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1. [Signature] 2. [Signature] Do-pass

Co-Chairs: Signatures and Recommendations

Adopted  
2/12/91

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CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 24 (FINANCE)  
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered:

Referred:

Funding Information:	General Fund	\$5,792,600
	Other Funds	<u>-0-</u>
		\$5,792,600

Sponsor(s): SENATORS KERITULA, Sturgulewski, Uehling

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act making supplemental appropriations to the Department of Administration and the  
2 Department of Health and Social Services related to the longevity bonus program; and  
3 providing for an effective date."

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

5 \* Section 1. The sum of \$5,000,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the Department of  
6 Administration for longevity bonus payments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1991.

7 \* Sec. 2. The sum of \$792,600 is appropriated from the general fund to the Department of Health  
8 and Social Services for the old age assistance - Alaska longevity bonus hold harmless program for the  
9 fiscal year ending June 30, 1991.

10 \* Sec. 3. The unexpended and unobligated balance of the appropriations made by this Act lapse into  
11 the general fund June 30, 1991.

12 \* Sec. 4. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).

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## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Senate Finance Committee

**FROM:** Senator Kerttula

**SUBJ:** Senate Bill 24 --  
Longevity Bonus Supplemental

In FY 91, the legislature appropriated \$ 60,858,000 for the longevity bonus program and \$ 4,714,800 for hold harmless for public assistance for the longevity bonus program. Governor Cowper vetoed \$5,000,000 of the longevity bonus appropriation, and \$392,900 of the hold harmless appropriation. This in effect left the program with funding for eleven months of the fiscal year. Due to additional case loads, the hold harmless program requires a total supplemental of \$792,600. Thus, a total supplemental of \$5,000,000 for longevity bonus payments, and \$792,600 for hold harmless is necessary to cover longevity bonus payments for the month of June, 1991.