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STATE OF ALASKA
1992 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

TOTAL ~~5777.3~~
4799.3 generated from federal program (Receipts)
BILL NO. SB 388
2,799.3 in Senate Budget now (cut out summer school)

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FISCAL NOTE

Revision Date: _____
Title: An act relating to Centralized
Correspondence Study: _____
Sponsor: Senator Duncan
Requestor: Senate HESS

Department Affected: Department of Education
BRU: Centralized Correspondence School
Component: _____

COMPONENT SERIAL NO.

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Expenditures/Revenues: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 93	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98
PERSONAL SERVICES	189.5	208.6	225.1	230.0	238.2	242.0
TRAVEL	7.6	8.4	9.0	9.2	9.3	9.5
CONTRACTUAL	341.1	375.2	405.2	413.3	421.5	473.1
SUPPLIES	144.0	158.4	171.0	196.0	187.9	181.0
EQUIPMENT	75.8	83.2	90.2	70.0	80.0	50.0
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	758.0	833.8	900.5	918.5	936.9	955.6

CAPITAL						
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REVENUE FUND SOURCE:						
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FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER FUND SOURCE: Foundation	758.0	833.8	900.5	918.5	936.9	955.6
TOTAL	758.0	833.8	900.5	918.5	936.9	955.6

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

Estimate of current year impact: None

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)

The increase in foundation funds will be used for the delivery of instruction through the Centralized Correspondence School. The increase in revenues for FY94 - FY98 are based on the projected increases in student enrollment.

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Approved by Commissioner: *[Signature]* Jerry Covey
Agency: Education Date: February 14, 1992

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Senator Arliss Sturgulewski, Chair
Senate Health, Education, and Social Services Committee

FROM: Senator Jim Duncan

DATE: March 26, 1992

SUBJECT: Hearing, Senate Bill 388.

I request that you schedule a hearing for Senate Bill 388, "An Act relating to centralized correspondence study; and providing for an effective date," for a hearing before the Senate HESS committee at your earliest convenience.

Senate Bill 388 amends the centralized correspondence study statutes to recognize the correspondence study program as a public school of the state with a term of 180 days. The state board of education serves as the school board for correspondence study teachers, and these teachers will be recognized as public school teachers rather than state employees.

The funding for centralized correspondence study will be changed to allow the school to count the enrollment of both elementary and secondary students. Currently only elementary students are counted for funding purposes and this is prorated at 65 percent of the unit value.

I thank you in advance for your favorable consideration of this request.

POSITION PAPER: DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Division Centralized Correspondence School Bill Number SB 388

Bill Title An Act relating to Centralized Correspondence Study.

Sponsor Senator Duncan

Position Statement: Explain briefly what the bill does, its impacts and Department's position, i.e., a) support, b) do not support, c) neutral or d) oppose.

The Department is aware of the need to review the funding calculation for the Centralized Correspondence School (CCS), but would rather incorporate such review into a more comprehensive school foundation proposal prior to the next Legislative session.

The department does not support this legislation at this time.

APPROVED:

Director Darby Anderson Division Centralized Correspondence School

Signature *Darby Anderson* Date 2-25-92

Commissioner/Deputy Jerry Covey *Mike Melton for JC*

Signature *Jerry Covey* Date 2-25-92

May Creek - P.O. Box MYK
Glennallen, AK. 99588
April 22, 1992

Senate H.E.S.S. Committee,

I attended your 4/22/92 teleconference discussing SB 388 - CCS. I would like to support this bill. As a CCS user, our family has been very satisfied with the program for the 6 years we have had our daughter enrolled. We are the classic "bush" family. We do have an alternative correspondence school choice - REAA 17 - Copper River Basin, but we prefer the specialized teachers, particularly in the 6th grade and up. We understand that the REAA 17 correspondence program utilizes one (or 2) teacher(s) for all grades & all courses. We get our mail once a week by mailplane and find CCS very willing to work around our unique situation. I've been in Anchorage during the last 2 legislative sessions, working at the Anc. LIO and we briefly flirted with public school during that period. But our 1st choice has remained CCS and we support this program fully. My husband and daughter are back home in May Creek now utilizing the CCS materials while I work through this legislative session. Please keep this option open to use and support the CCS teachers as this bill proposes.

Sincerely,
Joan Miller