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FIRST COMMITTEE OF REFERRAL

DATE: 1/11/93

FURTHER: STATE AFFAIRS
FINANCE

Date of 5-Day Notice: 1/19/94
(in accordance with Uniform Rule 23)

DATE TURNED INTO OFFICE: 2-4-94

CRA Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 39

"An Act relating to credited service and retirement benefits."

and recommends:

replace with _____ CS _____ ()

same title
 new title
 technical title change (HB only)

attaches amendment(s)

adopts _____ Letter of Intent

further referral to the _____

do pass

do not pass

no recommendation

individual recommendations

FISCAL NOTE INFORMATION

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal
Admin	1/18/94		\$128.2

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal

Appropriation No Fiscal Note

Governor's Bill with Previous Fiscal Notes (enter information above)

DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Bill Adams - No Rec
Steven A. Herman - No Rec

Carol E. [Signature] No Rec.

Chair: Signature and Recommendation

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
1994 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. SB 39

Revision Date: _____ Dept. Affected: All State Agencies
 Title: An act relating to credited service and retirement benefits BRU: All State Agencies
 Component: All State Agencies
 Sponsor: Duncan
 Requestor: (S) CSRA COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 64

Expenditures/Revenues:

(Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY95	FY96	FY97	FY98	FY99	FY00
PERSONAL SERVICES	128.2	128.2	128.2	128.2	128.2	128.2
TRAVEL	0	0	0	0	0	0
CONTRACTUAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
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	128.2	128.2	128.2	128.2	128.2	128.2

CAPITAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
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REVENUE FUND SOURCE:	0	0	0	0	0	0
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FUNDING:

(Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2
1003 GF Match	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6
1004 GF	79.9	79.9	79.9	79.9	79.9	79.9
1005 GF/Program Receipts	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5
1006 GF/MHTIA	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Other	23.0	23.0	23.0	23.0	23.0	23.0
TOTAL	128.2	128.2	128.2	128.2	128.2	128.2

POSITIONS:

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

Estimate of current year (FY94) impact: \$ 0

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.) It will also increase political subdivision PERS contributions by approximately \$85.8 in FY 95 and each year thereafter. The attached pages discuss the fiscal implications of this bill to the PERS.

Prepared by: Robert F. Stalnaker *Robert F. Stalnaker* Phone: 465-4470
 Division: Retirement & Benefits Date: _____
 Approved by Commissioner: Nancy Bear Usery *Nancy Bear Usery* Date: 1/13/94
 Agency: Department of Administration

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Analysis of Financial Impact (cont'd)

To fund this bill, the State PERS contribution rate would increase by .02 percent. The State payroll is estimated to be \$570,150,876 in FY 95 and remain stable each year thereafter. The University of Alaska (U of A) PERS payroll is estimated to be \$71,085,353 in FY 95 and remain stable each year thereafter.

The State cost of \$128,247 is calculated as follows:

Estimated FY 95 State PERS salaries	\$570,150,876.	
The increase in contribution rate	X .02%	
Total State PERS costs		\$114,030
Plus estimated U of A salaries	71,085,353.	
The increase in contribution rate	X .02%	
Total U of A PERS cost		14,217
Total FY 95 State Costs		<u>\$128,247</u>

In addition to the State's costs noted above, political subdivision costs would increase by \$85,850 in FY 95 based on estimated salaries of \$429,125,437. The political subdivision salaries are also estimated to remain constant each year thereafter.

Estimated FY 95 Political Subdivision PERS salaries	\$429,125,437	
The increase in contribution rate	X .02%	
Total FY 95 Political Subdivision Costs		<u>\$85,850</u>

Passage of this bill will decrease the PERS funding ratio by .1% and will increase the present value of the PERS unfunded liability by \$2,236,000.

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Expenditures/Revenues: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	FY 99
PERSONAL SERVICES	119.1	119.1	119.1	119.1	119.1	119.1
TRAVEL	0	0	0	0	0	0
CONTRACTUAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
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	119.1	119.1	119.1	119.1	119.1	119.1

CAPITAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
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REVENUE FUND SOURCE:	0	0	0	0	0	0
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FUNDING:

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Other	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4
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TEMPORARY	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Prepared By: Robert F. Stalnaker *Robert F. Stalnaker* Phone: 465-4470
 Division: Retirement and Benefits Date: April 23, 1993

Approved by Commissioner: Nancy Bear Usara *Nancy Bear Usara* Date: 4/26/93
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The State cost of \$119,114 is calculated as follows:

Estimated FY94 State PERS salaries	\$525,990,975.	
The increase in contribution rate	<u>X .02%</u>	
TOTAL State PERS cost.....		\$105,198
Plus estimated U of A PERS salaries	69,578,637.	
The increase in contribution rate	<u>X .02%</u>	
TOTAL U of A PERS cost.....		13,916
TOTAL FY 94 STATE COSTS		<u>\$119,114</u>

In addition to the State's costs noted above, political subdivision costs would increase by \$73,559 in FY94 based on estimated salaries of \$367,678,320. The political subdivision salaries are also estimated to remain constant each year thereafter.

Estimated FY94 Political Subdivision PERS salaries	\$367,678,320	
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TOTAL FY94 Political Subdivision Costs		<u>\$ 73,559</u>

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Official Business

COMMITTEE:

SENATE COMMUNITY & REGIONAL

DATE: 1/27/94

Subject of meeting:

SB 39 RETIREMENT CREDITED SERVICE & BENEFITS

SIGN-IN

PLEASE PRINT!

NAME ADDRESS (MAILING) & (ZIP) PHONE REPRESENTING DO YOU WANT TO TESTIFY?

EARL Clark	9163 PARKWOOD, Juneau	789-9735	Self +	YES
Ken Gruff	Box 32916 Tareau	789-1530	Self	Yes
Manahan Spatz	Box 20211 Juneau	780-4340	Self	yes
Dr. Mark Damon	1101 1st Douglas	364-3453	"	"
BOB STALNAKER	P.O. BOX CR	465-4470	DIVISION OF RETIREMENT & BENEFITS	YES

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Senator Randy Phillips
Chairman, Community and Regional Affairs
Alaska State Legislature
P.O. Box V
Juneau, Alaska 99811-3100

January 24, 1994

Dear Senator Phillips:

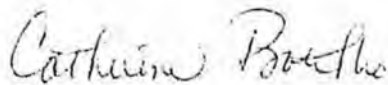
Senate Bill 39, a bill which would permit state employees with temporary service time to claim that time towards retirement years of service credit, has been scheduled for consideration on January 27th before the Community and Regional Affairs Committee. In 1992, SB 338, essentially identical to SB 39, died on the floor of the House on the last day of the session. It was a great disappointment to those of us who worked for years as temporary employees.

A letter and petition was circulated to state employees in 1992 in a loosely organized, grass-roots effort. It was supported by over 200 state employees, some of whom would not be directly affected. It is my understanding that passage of this bill will have no fiscal impact to the State of Alaska, because the employee would be required to pay the full actuarial cost of this option. It is also my understanding that a number of present employees may qualify, and opt, for immediate retirement, effectively resulting in a reduction in the state work force. In some small way, this may allow the state to achieve staff reductions without forcing layoffs of people with less time in state service.

Personally, I worked for 5.8 years as a temporary during the late 60's and 70's. If SB 39 passed, I would owe Retirement and Benefits approximately \$45,250 if I chose to exercise this option. While I may not be able to afford to pay this amount, I would appreciate having that option. With each passing day, the amount I would owe rises, and there are some people with more temporary time than me.

I urge you to support this bill.

Sincerely,



Catherine A. Botelho
P.O. Box 210515
Auke Bay, Alaska 99821

July 30, 1992

Dear State Employees:

As many of you remember, a petition was circulated last year to credit temporary service toward either retirement benefits or for counting the temporary time toward total service with the state. This petition was presented to Senator Jim Duncan, who agreed to sponsor what became Senate Bill 338. The bill had the support of the Department of Administration, passed the Senate, and made it through all the necessary House committees before dying on the floor of the House on the last day of the regular session. The point is that it got very, very close to being passed.

This bill moved on its own momentum due in part to the outspoken support and diligent efforts of many people throughout the state. The basic legislative research on this bill was accomplished during the last session by Senator Duncan and his staff. He is committed to sponsoring a bill with the same substance during the next legislative session.

Historical background

To provide historical background, the Blue Ribbon Commission on the State Personnel Act to the Eleventh Alaska State Legislature in 1979 concluded that temporary employees received none of the benefits provided to permanent employees by the state. As a result of the Commission's findings, Senate Bill 198 passed in 1980 to redefine the term "temporary" to "nonpermanent" and eliminate the inconsistencies and abuses in the hiring of "temporary" employees. Through this legislative reform the hiring of "non-permanent" employees after 1980 was made more equitable by law. However, this reclassifying of temporary positions, which received no benefits, to seasonal or permanent positions with benefits, did not address the issue of time spent as a "temporary" employee being counted towards service based retirement. Without legislation the system remains inequitable to employees who have worked in temporary positions during the 1960's and 1970's.

Benefits for temporary service

The legislation being proposed would allow employees eligible for "30 and out" or "20 and out" retirement to claim temporary service towards normal retirement. **There is no fiscal impact to the State under this proposed legislation, because the employee would be required to pay the full actuarial cost of this option.** Individuals interested in what the cost of this option would be should contact Ms. Liz Johnson in Retirement and Benefits (465-4460).

Request for your participation

Our goal is to have the attached petition circulated throughout the state and returned to me by November 1 so that by the time the 1993 Legislative session begins, we can have clear, well-documented support to present to Senator Duncan. Many of you signed last year's petition.

Temp. serv. credit
Sections 4 & 8

Please sign this year's petition also. The 1993 House and Senate will be made up of many new members who should be informed of the importance of this bill to many state employees with many years of service. Your name on this petition will also allow us to keep you informed of developments and progress.

Once elections are over, you can help by writing your legislators in support of legislation to credit temporary time. If you are writing or FAXing to your legislators, **DO NOT** use State stationary or State FAX machines. These documents are circulated to every legislator and appear in every committee package and use of State supplies or equipment is inappropriate.

Please return completed petitions to:

Cathy Botelho
PO Box 210515
Auke Bay, Alaska 99821
(907) 789-4270 (res)

We the undersigned support legislation to allow employees covered by the Alaska Public Employees Retirement System to claim temporary service for retirement. Employees should have a choice of either 1) increasing their retirement benefit or 2) using this time to count toward their total service time under the terms of this legislation.

Printed Name	Address / City / Zipcode	No. of Months as a Temporary	Signature
Arnold Shaul	P.O. Box 2081 Kodiak, AK, 99615	21	<i>Arnold Shaul</i>
Robert Berceci	P.O. Box 106 Cold Bay, AK, 99571	13	<i>Robert Berceci</i>
Dean Beers	Box 235 TREADAWAY CRIC 99683	0	<i>Dean Beers</i>

SUPPORT FOR SECTIONS 4 & 8.

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Printed Name	Address / City / Zipcode	No. of Months as a Temporary	Signature
KENNETH C GRIFFIN	Box 556 Dutch Harbor AK 99692	17	Kenneth C. Griffin
Michael Ward	P.O. Box 421 Dutch Harbor AK 99692	11	Michael Ward
RANCE MORRISON	P.O. Box 1047 Dutch Harbor AK	19	Rance Morrison
Dann Tracy	P.O. Box 868 Dutch Harbor	0	Dann A. Tracy
Ben Kirkpatrick	Box 868 Dutch Harbor	0	Ben Kirkpatrick

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James R. Dangel	1504 SMC, P.O. Box 219, Sitka 99835	1.3 years	James R. Dangel
DEMARIE S. WOOD	P.O. Box 7391	1.3 years	Demarie Wood
Robert De Jong	1907 Cascade Creek, Sitka	12 months	Robert De Jong
Jeffrey D Kelly	2109 S.M.C. Road Sitka	28 months	Jeffrey D Kelly
Patricia M. Skannas	Box 6035, Sitka	17 months	Patricia M. Skannas
Janet Hall Schempf	800 Fritz Cove Road, Juneau 99801	20 months	Janet Schempf
GARY H. SANDERS	9167 RIVERWOOD DR., JUNEAU, AK 99801	20 MONTHS	Gary H. Sanders
SUSAN MILLARD	P.O. Box 211286 ANCHORAGE, AK 99521	2.7 YEARS	Susan Millard

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ALMA SEWARD	2151 A CROW HILL RD, DOUGLAS, AK 99824		Alma Seward
Doug Jones	9360 MINER DR, JUNEAU AK	13	Doug Jones
Steve Elliott	P.O. Box 240653, Douglas AK	12	Steve Elliott
Roger Harding	P.O. 240463 Douglas AK		Roger Harding
KURT KONZELA	P.O. Box 210931 ANK BAY AK 99821		Kurt Konzela
ROBERT MARSHALL	P.O. BOX 211461 ANK BAY AK 9982		Robert Marshall
Paul Suchanek	Box 240107, Douglas, AK 99824		Paul Suchanek
Robert Johnson	1027 ARCTIC CIRCLE JUNEAU AK 99801	(APPROX) 40	Robert Johnson
Brian Glynn	2320 Fritz Cove Rd. JUNEAU AK 9981		Brian Glynn
Jandra Geyer	426 EAST ST. JUNEAU AK 99801		Jandra Geyer
Beverly A. Milton	Box 220028 JUNEAU AK 99802		Beverly A. Milton
CHERYL SEIFERT	P.O. BOX 34016 JUNEAU, AK 99803		Cheryl Seifert

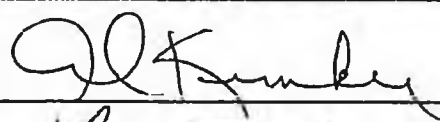
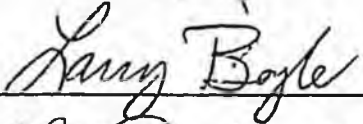


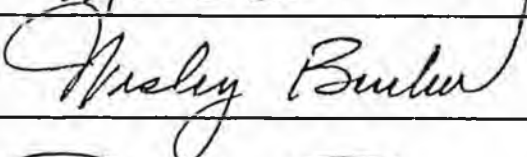

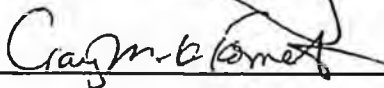
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LEN SCHWARZ	BOX 533 KODIAK 99615	18	Len Schwarz
Roger B. Smith	Box 2473 Kodiak 99615	9	Roger B. Smith
Joseph J DiManno	Box 3045 Kodiak 99615	12	Joseph J. DiManno
Lois Menick	Box 631 Kodiak 99615	24 MONTHS	Lois A. Menick
Louise White	P.O. Box 4053 KODIAK 99615	12	Louise White
LESLIE J WATSON	PO Box 2473 Kodiak 99615	24+	Leslie J. Watson
S. Forrest Blau	SR 7700 Kodiak 99615	12	S. Forrest Blau
Jim Blackburn	P.O. Box 948 Kodiak 99615	6	James E. Blackburn
Patricia Roche	PO Box 3015 Kodiak 99615	0	Patricia Roche
Charles O. Swanson	P.O. Box 2502 Kodiak 99615	0	Charles O. Swanson
Lucinda R. Neel	PO Box 1071 Kodiak 99615	0	Lucinda R. Neel
SHARON HARRIS	235 ALDER WAY KODIAK, AK 99615	± 18	Sharon Harris

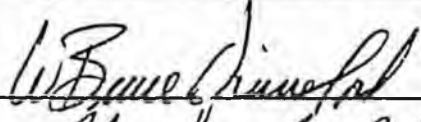
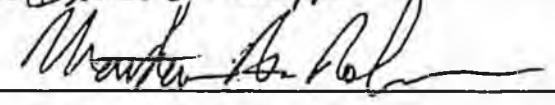
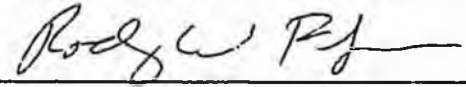
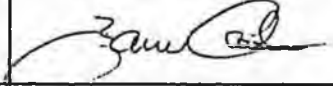
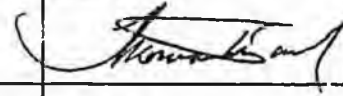
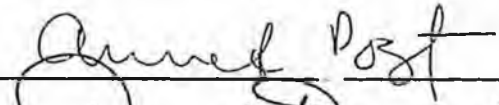
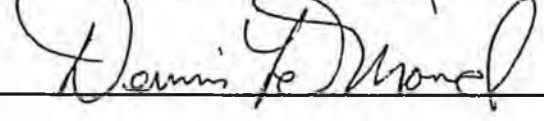
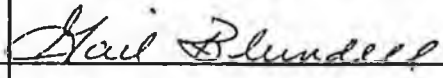
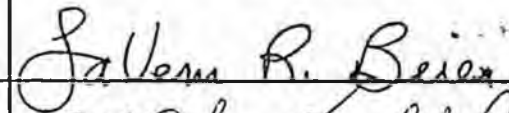
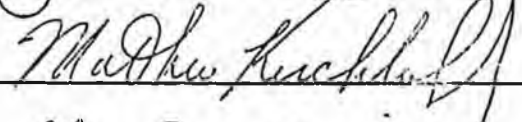
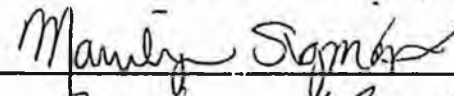
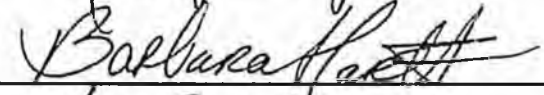

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KEVIN BRENNAN	P.O. 2230 / Kodiak, AK / 99615	0	<i>Kevin Brennan</i>
DAVID PROKOPOWICZ	P.O. Box 3299 / Kodiak, AK / 99615	~ 8.0	<i>David Prokopowicz</i>
Dennis Grotzch	211 Mission Rd / Kodiak AK / 99615	~ 8.0	<i>Dennis Grotzch</i>
Joan Brodie	715 Upper Mill Bay / Box 296 Kodiak, AK. 99615	? if any not many	<i>Joan Brodie</i>
SHARON THEIS	713 Upper Mill Bay / Kodiak	0	<i>Sharon Theis</i>
Joan Peterson	1417 Baranof St / Kodiak	0	<i>Joan Peterson</i>
JOANNE B. SHAKER	P.O. Box 2898 / Kodiak, AK 99615	0	<i>Joanne B. Shaker</i>
DAVID R JACKSON	11248 KALSWIN DR. Kodiak AK 99615	33	<i>David R Jackson</i>
JAMES A SPALINGER	P.O. Box 1462 / Kodiak, AK / 99615	9	<i>James A Spalinger</i>
GEORGIA PUTNEY	PO Box 8301 Kodiak 99615	0	<i>Georgia Putney</i>
William Donaldson	1713 Mission Rd. Kodiak AK 99615	3	<i>William Donaldson</i>
PETER J. PROBASCIO	P.O. Box 3149 / Kodiak, AK. / 99615	~ 34+	<i>Peter J. Probascio</i>

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Al Kimker	Box 4303 HOMER AK 99603	16	
LARRY BOYLE	PO Box 2198 HOMER AK 99603	12	
D. THOMAS BALLARD	PO Box 673 Homer, AK 99603	44	
MARK DICKSON	58986 DEITZ LANE HOMER, AK. 99603	12	
WESLEY BUCHER	P.O. Box 1138 HOMER, AK. 99603	32	
Richard Gustafson	P.O. Box 4144 Homer, AK, 99603	23	
Craig M. K. Forrest	P.O. Box 15261 Fritz Creek, AK	430	

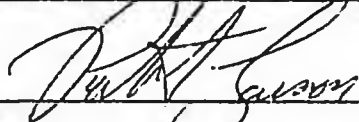

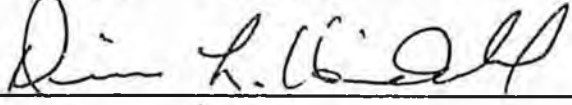
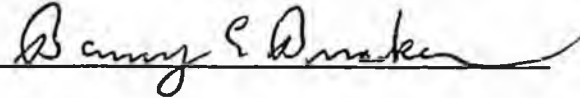
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WM Bruce Dinneford	6745 Marguerite Juneau 99801	28 1/2	
Matthew Matt Robins	POB 240181 Douglas AK 99824	3	
Rod Flynn	745 5th St. Douglas, AK 99824	0	
Zane Clark	8517 E Valley Ct Juneau AK 99801-8976	0	
Tom PAUL	Box 20628 JUNEAU, AK. 99802	1	
Anne Post	9355 Rivercourt Way, Juneau 99801	0	
DENNIS LEMOND	Box 240248 Douglas, AK. 99824	58	
Gail Blundell	Box 35054 Juneau, AK 99803	3	
Lallern Beier	Box 021116 Juneau, AK 99802	72	
Math Kuechhoff	11678 Auke St. JUNO AK 99802	0	
Marilyn Sigmor Mandy Sigmor	Box 240009, Douglas, AK 99824	7	
Barbara Hatt	Box 34432, Juneau AK 99803	0	
Sue WORLEY	315 5th St. #5 Juneau		

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Robert G. Zovich	P.O. Box 1311 Petersburg, AK 99833	21	Robert G. Zovich
REXANNE STAFFORD	P.O. Box 312 Petersburg, AK 99833	0	Rexanne Stafford
Barb Richmond	P.O. Box 857 Petersburg, AK 99833	0	Barb Richmond
TIMOTHY KOENEMA	P.O. Box 1329 PETERSBURG ALASKA 99833	16	Timothy Koenema
Beth Rhoden	P.O. Box 426 Petersburg, AK 99833	0	Beth Rhoden
Charles R Land	Box 1348 Petersburg, AK 99833	0	Ch Land
THOMAS W ROCKNE	Box 1345 PETERSBURG, AK 99833	3	Thomas W. Rockne
Brian L. Lynch	Box 1247 Petersburg, AK 99833	10	Brian L. Lynch
Donald A. Cornelius	P.O. B. 1737 Petersburg AK 99833	0	Donald A. Cornelius
William Bergmann	Box 130 PETERSBURG, ALASKA	4	Will Bergmann
LON MARIFEM	Box 175 PETERSBURG, AK 99833	12	Lon Marifem
CATHERINE ROBINSON	BOX 1056 PETERSBURG, AK 99833	0	Catherine Robinson

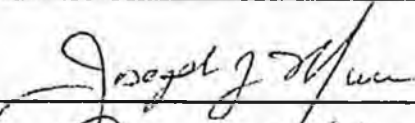
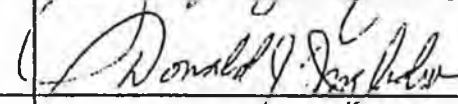
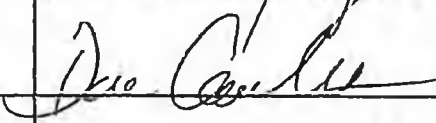

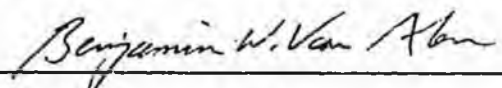
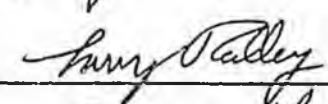
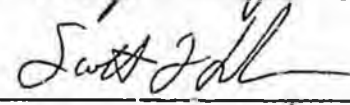

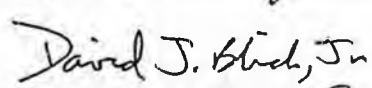

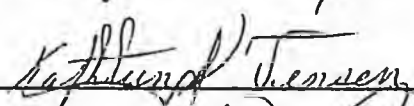

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Robert C. Larson	PO Box 862 Petersburg AK 99833	5	
Sabra Johnson	PO Box 115 Petersburg, AK 99833	0	
DENNIS L. HEIMDAHL	Box 256, PETERSBURG, AK 99833	0	
Barry E. Bracken	Box 1201, Petersburg, AK	32	

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Keith Pahlke	8515 Nugget Pl Juneau, AK 99801	8	<i>Keith Pahlke</i>
Kenneth K. Imamura	156 Behrends Ave Juneau, AK 99801	0	<i>K. K. Imamura</i>
Fred E. Bergander	P.O. Box 210675 Auke Bay, AK 99821	0	<i>Fred E. Bergander</i>
Karl Hofmeister	11275 th Goat hill rd Juneau AK 99801	24	<i>Karl Hofmeister</i>
Richard Bloomquist	176 Behrends Ave Juneau 99801	0	<i>Richard Bloomquist</i>
Marc Pritchett	PO Box 211192 Auke Bay 99821	0	<i>Marc Pritchett</i>
John Clark	P.O. Box 210515 Auke Bay AK 99821	0	<i>John Clark</i>
Andrew McGregor	P.O. Box 240945 Douglas AK 99824	2	<i>Andrew McGregor</i>
Glen Oliver	8189 Threadneedle Juneau AK 99801	?	<i>Glen Oliver</i>
Scott McPherson	P.O. Box 240911 Douglas, AK 99824	0	<i>Scott A. McPherson</i>
CRAIG W. FARRINGTON	P O BOX 33064 JUNEAU AK 99803	0	<i>Craig Farrington</i>
Iris S. Frank	P.O. BOX 240864 Douglas, AK 99824	8	<i>Iris S. Frank</i>

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Joseph Muir	4537 Sawa Cir Juneau 99801	15	
Donald J. Fingelue	3748 Glacier Hwy, Juneau, AK 99801	14	
Dave Gaudet	Box 22002 Juneau, AK 99802	0	
Leon D. Shaul	1316 3rd St., Douglas, AK 99824	9	
Benjamin W. Van Allen	6731 Gray St., Juneau, AK 99801	~ 14 ?	
Larry Talley	3041 Douglas Hwy Juneau AK 99801	15	
Scott Johnson	8697 Dudley St Juneau AK 99801	?	
JAY DRUYESTEN	2212A GRT WEST, Douglas	?	
David J. Blick, Jr.	P.O. box 240225, Douglas, AK 99824 (2214 Muir St, Juneau)	0	
Doug Woodby	3240 Nowell Ave, Juneau 99801	9	
KATHLEEN TENSEN	1316 3RD ST. DOUGLAS, AK 99824	0	
Dave Carlile	15580 Glacier Hwy 99801	0	

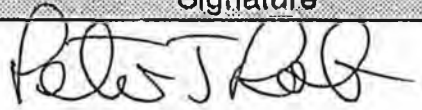
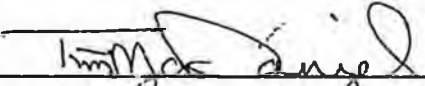
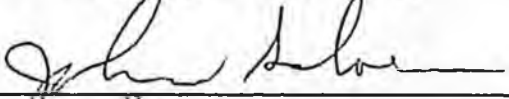
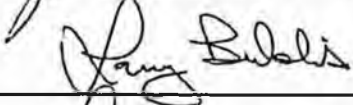

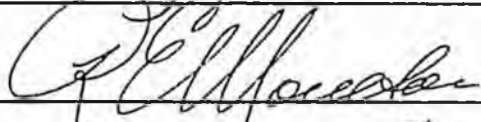



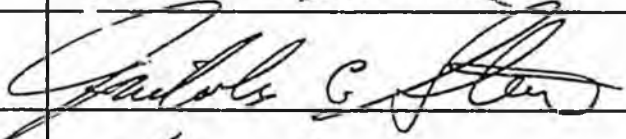
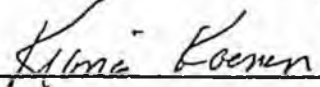
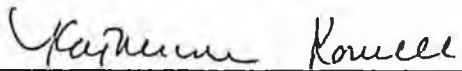
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Peter Hagen	P.O. Box 210005 Anchorage AK 99821	0	<i>Peter Hagen</i>
KRISTEN M MUNK	POB 34356 JUNEAU AK 99803	7+	<i>Kristen M Munk</i>
KENT F. CRABTREE	P.O. Box 241014 DOUGLAS, AK. 99824	3	<i>Kent F. Crabtree</i>
Mark A. Olsen	P.O. Box 35334 JUNEAU, AK, 99803	2	<i>Mark A. Olsen</i>
EVELYN P. LUMDA	P.O. Box 22577, JUNEAU, AK 99802	11	<i>Evelyn P. Lumda</i>
Linda Kinnunen	P.O. Box 20313, Juneau, AK 99802	15+	<i>Linda Kinnunen</i>
Joan E. Beier	2145-C CROW HILL DR., DOUGLAS 99824	0-	<i>Joan E. Beier</i>
ROBERT D. MECUM	3471 MEANDER WAY JUNEAU AK 99801	0	<i>Robert D. Mecum</i>

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D. Craig Whitmore	HCO 1 Box 6022 Palmer AK 99645	36.37	D. Craig Whitmore
Dana Sweet	PO Box 871314 Wasilla 99687	12	Dana Sweet
Terrence J. Bradley	H-004, Box 9205 Palmer, AK 99645	42	Terrence J Bradley
Alan C Havens	PO Box 2383 Palmer, AK 99645	54	Alan C Havens
Craig L Baer	Box 245 Sutton, AK 99674	1.5	Craig L Baer
JACKIE J. KEPHART	P.O. BOX 1862 PALMER, AK. 99645	0	Jackie J. Kephart
Rena A. Hile	P.O. Box 2696 Palmer AK 99645	0	Rena A. Hile
HERMAN J. GRIESE	P.O. BOX 836 PALMER, AK 99645	0	Herman J. Griese
MARK A. MASTELLER	Box 965 PALMER AK 99645	0	Mark Masteller
RONALD D. MODAFFERI	HCO 42 Box 9559 PALMER, AK 99645	0	Ronald D. Modafferi
Susie Kaiser	8321 Henry Ct Anch AK 99507	8-9 mo	Susie Kaiser
Karen B Saunders	PO Box 230268 Anchorage, AK. 99523	11 mo.	Karen B. Saunders

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PETER J ROB	Box 1030 KOTZEBUE 99752	40 months	
Tim McDaniel	10540 Ovie Rd Anchorage 99516	14 months	
John Schoen	12640 Lupine Rd. Anchorage, AK 99516	8 mo	
Larry Bublitz	2615 Brooke Dr. Anchorage, AK 99517	18 months	
Larry Amiller	1812 Bellevue loop Anch. AK 99515	4 1/2 yrs	
Ruth Moulton	120 W. 11th Avenue Anchorage AK 99501	2 years	
John Trent	820 Lighthouse Drive Anchorage, AK 99515	~ 20 months	
DENNIS C. McALLISTER	P.O. Box 410728 ANCHORAGE, AK 99511	10 MONTHS	
Karl B Schneider	11620 Ovie Rd Anchorage, AK 99516	19 mo	
NICHOLAS P. STEEN	HC 32 BX 6561 WASILLA, AK 99654	6 mo	
Kimi Koerner	P.O. 3410 PALMER, AK 99645	3 mo.	
Katherine Powell	3605 Arctic Blvd #1257 Anchorage	2 yrs	



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AGENDA

January 27, 1994
9:00 AM

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1. Call to Order (time and members present)
2. SB 39 - Retired Credited Service & Benefits
Juneau: Senator Dave Donley - Sponsor Statement

Mike McMullen - Dept of Admin - Copies
of Dept of Admin draft substitute in
bill packet.

Teleconference Sites: Anchorage
Homer
Kodiak
Petersburg
Dutch Harbor - Off Net Call In

3. SB 2- Pay Equity Based on Value of Work

Teleconference Sites: Anchorage
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Mike McMullen - Dept of Admin - available
for questions.

4. Adjourn

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Phone #: 465-4470

Bill Number: SB 398

Bill Title: Am not relating to credited service that PFR members can claim on temporary service.

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Nancy Bear Usera
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Commissioner

4-14-92
Date

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Alan Havens
P.O. Box 2353
Palmer, AK 99645
January 24, 1994

The Honorable Randy Phillips
Alaska State Senator

Dear Senator Phillips:

Please vote for Senate Bill ~~338~~ 39.

	Cumulative Service (years)	Toward Normal Retirement (years)
State of Alaska (Peace Officer) ADFAC		
May 1966 - July 1977 Full Time Temporary	4.449	0
Aug 1977 - Jan 1994 Full Time Permanent	16.417	16.417
	20.866	16.417

Senate Bill 338 would allow me to use 4.449 years of State of Alaska full time temporary service to retire this year (with an actuarial adjustment) and vacate my pen.

Sincerely,
Alan Havens

Mr. Robert Stalnaker
Director/Div. of Retirement and Benefits
Pouch CR
Juneau, Alaska 99811

January 27, 1994

Dear Mr. Stalnaker,

I heard you speak today to a senate committee concerning SB39, the temporary time purchase bill sponsored by Senator Duncan.

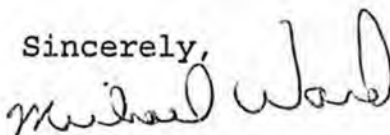
I was disappointed to hear your opinion of the bill, which apparently is also the opinion of governor Hickel's administration.

Why would anyone be opposed to providing a group of people the opportunity to help themselves, at no cost to the State?

Don't you believe us when we say we will pay the cost of the program? We will agree to all valid costs. Don't oppose the bill just because you think there will be a cost to the state. Just include the cost in the purchase price.

We are not asking the State to give us something that will cost the State money. We just want to be given the chance to help ourselves.

Sincerely,



Michael Ward
P.O. Box 421
Dutch Harbor, Alaska 99692

cc: Governor Hickel
Senator Armstrong
Senator Duncan
Senator Jacko

STATE OF ALASKA

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

DIVISION OF RETIREMENT AND BENEFITS

WALTER J. HICKEL, GOVERNOR

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February 2, 1994

The Honorable Randy Phillips
Alaska State Legislature
State Capital
Juneau, AK 99801-1182

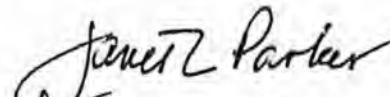
Dear Senator Phillips:

This is in response to the request that you made at the hearing on Tuesday for the enclosed amendment to SB 39 offered by Senator Duncan.

This amendment is estimated to increase the unfunded liabilities of the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) by \$20,000. This will result in a small annual cost increase due to the loss of actuarial gains resulting from this bill. The loss results from the increase in retirement payments by granting the automatic Post Retirement Pension Adjustment (PRPA) during the member's period of reemployment. The cumulative impact to the annual PERS contribution rate is \$1,200 for the State and \$800 for political subdivisions. The number of affected members is estimated to be less than 20 at any one time.

I hope this addresses your concerns. Please contact me if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,


Robert F. Stalnaker
Director

Enclosure

cc: Raga Elim, Legislative Liaison
Office of the Governor

Eileen Plate, Special Assistant
Department of Administration

A M E N D M E N T

OFFERED IN THE SENATE
TO: SB 39

BY SENATOR DUNCAN

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(1) an additional pension based on the credited service and the average monthly compensation earned during the period of re-employment in accordance with AS 39.35.370; and

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Insert "sec. 5"

FROM: Mr Terry Palisch
12001 Edgewater Cir

Anchorage AK 99515 263-4351

NON-CONSTITUENT

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MESSAGE: YOU ARE ALWAYS ASKING FOR BUDGET CUT SUGGESTIONS. START WITH DECREASING THE 61,000 DOLLAR PER EDUCATION UNIT. ITS TIME FOR OUR SCHOOL SYSTEM TO START LIVING WITHIN IT MEANS. WE CAN'T KEEP THROWING GOOD MONEY AFTER BAD IN THE NAME OF EDUCATION. NOTHING IS SCARED THIS YEAR.

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FROM: Mr Peter Robb
PO Box 1030

Kotzebue AK 99752 485-2160

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NON-CONSTITUENT

BILL#: SB 39 RETIREMENT CREDITED SERVICE & BENEFITS

SUBJECT: RETIREMENT SUPPORTS

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FROM: Mr Mickey Awbrey

FROM: Mr Charles Lean
Box 1716

Nome AK 99762 443-5167

NON-CONSTITUENT

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SUPPORTS

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January 28, 1994

Senator Randy Phillips
Community and Regional Affairs, Chairman
Alaska State Legislature
Room 103
Juneau, Alaska 99801-1182

Dear Senator Phillips:

You may already have a copy of the position paper by Commissioner Usera signed on April 14, 1992, addressing Senate Bill 338, the predecessor of Senate Bill 39 that was before your committee yesterday. Enclosed is a xerox copy of that document. Commissioner Usera stated "since the full actuarial cost of using the temporary service must be borne by the employee, the provision of this bill will not result in any cost to the retirement system. For those reasons, the department has no objection to the treatment of temporary service proposed by this bill." If the position paper that you requested from Admin by next Monday indicates no support by the Department of Administration, please ask them to clarify what elements of the bill caused the change in their decision.

Once again, we appreciate the consideration that you and Senator Leman showed to those testifying yesterday and your obvious grasp of the situation. We hope that the committee members that could not attend the meeting have an opportunity to evaluate the testimony given.

Sincerely,



Catherine Botelho

cc: Vice-Chairman, Senator Robin Taylor
Senator Loren Leman
Senator Al Adams
Senator Fred Zharoff

POSITION PAPER
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

Contact: Gary M. Bader

Bill Number: SB 333

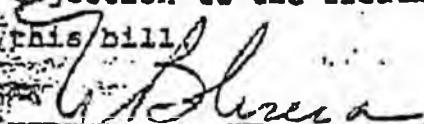
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Nancy Bear Usara
Act. Commissioner

4-14-72
Date

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1101 St
Douglas, AK 99824
January 24, 1994

Randy Phillips, Chairman
Community & Regional Affairs Committee
State Capitol
Juneau, AK

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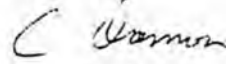
In the early 1970s I accepted a position with the Alaska Department of Education. This being a professional position, I was placed in the Teacher Retirement System. Three years latter I accepted a professional position with the Department of Highways. I was placed in the Public Employees Retirement system without any choice.

I am not vested in either program, thus not eligible for a benefit. Presently my only option is to cash out my contributions plus 4 1/2% simple interest. In another state, I was entitled for my contributions plus the 100% employer match. The other option I had was to draw my contributions upon leaving the positions. Had I accepted this offer and later returned to state employment I would have been required to pay back the withdrawn contributions plus 7% interest.

It is my opinion that 4 1/2% return through the 1980s was not fair return. I do not think it proper for the programs to benefit 100% with the matched employer contributions. To illustrate the least, the programs forced me into a very poor invest!

I wish to thank your committee in granting me the oppor unity to present my experiences. I appreciate the fact that there is an attempt to make corrections through the bill! Please advise if I may be of further assistance.

Truly,


Dr. Clark

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SENATOR JIM DUNCAN

COMMITTEES:
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MEMORANDUM

Date: January 25, 1993

To: Senator Randy Phillips, Chair
Senate Community & Regional Affairs Committee

From: Senator Jim Duncan

Subject: SB 39, relating to credited service and retirement benefits.

Please schedule SB 39, relating to credited service and retirement benefits for a hearing in the Senate Community and Regional Affairs Committee as soon as possible.

SB 39 amends a number of different sections in the retirement statutes. Basically, the amendments in SB 39 will provide for fair treatment of individuals covered by our public retirement systems.

Sections 1 and 6. Creates a Public Service Benefit. These sections will allow a member of the TRS to claim their TRS service in PERS under certain limited circumstances. An individual with service in TRS who has never vested in either system would be allowed to claim their TRS credited service in PERS. Such an individual would be required to have at least two years credited service in PERS.

The Public Service Benefit will allow individuals with service in both public retirement systems who do not have enough service to vest in either to consolidate their public service in PERS and receive a limited benefit. If the full actuarial cost of the benefit amounts to more than the transferred in and consolidated employer and employee contributions, the member will pay the difference prior to retiring with a Public Service Benefit.

Sections 2, 3, and 7. Allows a vested member of PERS to claim credited service for active duty in a unit of the National Guard or National Guard Reserve. The member must have been honorably discharged and not entitled to receive retirement benefits from the federal government for the same period.

Sections 4 and 8. Allows an individual with temporary service credit to choose whether to claim that service as years of service credit towards "twenty and out" or "thirty and out" retirement or only for calculating benefits as is currently allowed.

Section 5. 39.35.360 (l). Allows individuals with service as temporary legislative employees to claim that service at any time provided the individual pays the full actuarial cost of the service claimed. Presently all such service must have been claimed before July 1, 1980.

39.35.360 (m). Allows former employees of the Alaska State Development Corporation (the precursor of AIDEA) to claim service credit under PERS provided they pay the full actuarial cost of claiming that service.

I feel these amendments to the Public Employees Retirement System will provide fairer treatment of current and former employees and urge your support for SB 39. I have requested fiscal notes and a sectional analysis and will provide them as soon as they are received.

Attachments

DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES

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MEMORANDUM

January 26, 1993

SUBJECT: Sectional Summary of SB 39 (Credited service and retirement benefits)

TO: Senator Jim Duncan
Attention: Roxanne Stewart

FROM: Teresa B. Cramer
Legislative Counsel

You have requested a sectional summary of the above described bill. As a preliminary matter, note that a sectional summary of a bill is not considered an authoritative interpretation of the bill. The bill itself is the best statement of its contents.

Section 1 makes a technical change, adding reference to the new statute created by sec. 6, to the section that exempts amounts held in the Teachers' Retirement System (TRS) from taxation and protects those amounts from being taken by another before they are received by the beneficiary.

Secs. 2, 3, and 7 permit vested members of the Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) to receive credited service for active duty service with a unit of the national guard or the national reserve. The member claiming service is indebted to the PERS system in an amount equal to the contributions that the member would have made to the system if the member had been an employee during the time of the national guard service. However, if the member was an employee participating in PERS immediately before going into the national guard and returned to PERS employment within 90 days after discharge from the national guard, the employee does not have to make any contributions. Under sec. 7, retired PERS members may claim this credited service.

Secs. 4 and 8 permit vested PERS employees who have chosen to "buy in" employment as a temporary employee, which is not part of regular membership service in PERS, to decide whether that temporary time should be counted both when the employee's retirement benefits are figured as well as when determining whether the employee is eligible to take a normal retirement. The member is

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required to pay the full actuarial cost of the time claimed. The cost will vary depending on which choice the member makes. Under current law the time may only be considered when computing the amount of retirement benefits. Under sec. 8, members who have already received credit for temporary employment may elect whether the temporary time should be counted when determining eligibility for normal retirement.

Sec. 5 permits members of PERS to receive credited service in two circumstances. Under new subsection (l), a member could receive credited service for temporary employment with the state or territorial legislature. To receive this credited service, the member must pay the full actuarial cost of that service. Currently, under AS 39.35.360(g), an employee who claimed temporary legislative service before July 1, 1980, can receive up to 10 years of credited service for the employment before July 1, 1979. Under AS 39.35.345 (which is amended by sec. 4 of this bill), vested PERS employees may claim credited service for temporary employment with any PERS employer. Subsection (l) enacted in this bill permits employees who are not yet vested to receive credited service for temporary legislative employment.

Subsection (m) permits vested members of PERS to receive credited service for employment with the former Alaska State Development Corporation if the employee pays the full actuarial cost.

Sec. 6 establishes a public service benefit in PERS to permit members of PERS who are also members of TRS to combine their service in the two systems so that they become eligible for a benefit in PERS. The public service benefit is available to members who have not become vested in PERS or TRS, and therefore are not eligible for a benefit under either system. To receive a benefit under this section, the PERS member must have combined credited service totalling at least five years.

Sec. 7 is discussed above in conjunction with secs. 2 and 3.

Sec. 8 is discussed above in conjunction with sec. 4.

Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.

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STATE OF ALASKA
THE LEGISLATURE

POUCH Y STATE CAPITOL
JUNEAU ALASKA 99811
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LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS AGENCY

MEMORANDUM

September 28, 1988

SUBJECT: Retirement credit for national guard service
(Work Order No. 6-0065)

TO: Senator Jim Duncan

FROM: Teresa B. Cramer *TBC*
Legislative Counsel

You have requested an opinion concerning whether the Division of Retirement and Benefits is correctly implementing statutory and legislative intent language on retirement credit for service in the national guard. In my opinion, the interpretation that the division is using is proper.

Under AS 14.25.100, a member of the Teachers' Retirement System (TRS) may receive credit for having "served as an active member of the armed forces of the United States." Under AS 39.35.340, a member of the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) is entitled to "credited service for active military service in the armed forces of the United States, either by enlistment or induction, if the employee received a discharge under honorable conditions". Under the definition section of TRS, AS 14.25.220(22),

"military service" means active duty in the armed forces of the United States.

The definition under PERS, AS 39.35.680(22), is almost identical, substituting "active duty service" for "active duty."

When the PERS system was established in 1960, credit for military service was limited to "military service in the Armed Forces of the United States during war." See sec. 15, ch. 143 SLA 1960. In 1976, the legislature expanded eligibility for military service credit in PERS by removing the requirement that the service have been performed during war. At the same time, the legislature adopted a Free Conference

*Sections 2, 3 & 7
Nat'l Guard - PERS*

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Committee letter of intent, limiting the interpretation of what constitutes "active duty." The letter read, in part,

It is the intent of the Free Conference Committee that service credit only be allowed for active military service performed while a member of a regular unit in the armed forces. "Active duty" rendered while a member of a National Guard or Reserve unit which is commonly referred to as "summer camp", weekly or monthly drills and other special courses in schools are not periods of service which are eligible to be claimed under this bill.

House Journal, May 25, 1976, page 1572, and Senate Journal, May 25 1976, page 1359.

The division has applied the legislative letter of intent in the PERS system to preclude a member from receiving credited service for any activity in the national guard, including basic training. This appears to be consistent with the letter of intent. Although the letter does not specifically address basic training, it would be illogical to give credit for basic training but for no other involvement a member has in the national guard.

Under the 1960 version of TRS, credit was available for service "as an active member of the Armed Forces of the United States on or after January 1, 1940." The service had to be immediately preceded and followed by service as a teacher in a public school. See sec. 11, ch. 83 SLA 1960. (In ch. 155 SLA 1976, the legislature removed the requirement that the military service be preceded and followed by service as a teacher.) The legislature has not addressed the question of what constitutes "active duty" for TRS purposes. In the absence of a statute to the contrary, the division has continued to accept national guard service as military service. To change that result, an amendment to the TRS statutes would be necessary.

If I may be of further assistance, please advise.

TBC:zc
WKG3:125

April 10, 1989

The Honorable Fran Ulmer
Alaska State Representative
P.O. Box V
Juneau, AK 99811

Re: R.I.P. & Military Leave

Dear Representative Ulmer:

I began my employment with the Department of Highways on October 16, 1963. On August 17, 1963 I had to leave Alaska and report to Fort Ord, California for six weeks of basic training. I was then sent to Fort Leonardwood, Missouri for an additional 4.5 months of military training. On February 24, 1964 I returned to Alaska and back to the same job I left. During this six-months of military training I was on military leave with the State. Back in the 60's all males (men) had a military obligation to fulfill -- so I had no choice in this matter. Some of my co-workers (females) started their employment with the State about the same time as myself -- however, they did not have a military obligation. Therefore, they were not penalized this six-month period with regards toward their retirement credit.

I have asked Senator Duncan and his Assistant Roxanne Stewart to try to correct this situation. They are currently working on it. What I am asking you to help me with is this: If I had not had to leave the state for the six-months of military training, I would be eligible for 27 years of State service on October 16, 1990. That time in conjunction with the R.I.P. ("Retirement Incentive Program") would provide me with 30 years of service and I would not be penalized for early retirement.

I would not bother you with this matter unless I felt this is a good example of reverse discrimination.

I respectfully request your consideration in this matter. Just to sum things up -- I was employed by the State from October 16, 1963 to present, and I do not believe I should be penalized for something I was required to do by law. Especially, when other people are not. I believe this is a case of reverse discrimination.

Sincerely,



William B. Morris

cc: Senator Jim Duncan

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on this*

CHAPTER 135

AN ACT

Relating to the creation of the Alaska State Development Corporation; and providing for an effective date.

(S.B. 153)

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Alaska:

Article I

Organization of Development Corporation

Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this Act is to create an instrumentality of the state to develop, stimulate and advance the business prosperity and economic welfare of Alaska and its citizens. This shall be accomplished by providing critically needed investment capital for development loans to encourage and assist the wholesome development of new business and industry in Alaska and to rehabilitate and expand existing business and industry. By providing development loans to all types of business activity, whether of an industrial, agricultural or recreational nature, the economic stability of the state will be strengthened, the employment opportunities of its citizens enlarged, and their standard of living and general welfare enhanced.

Sec. 2. Alaska State Development Corporation. The Alaska state development corporation, hereafter referred to as the corporation, is established as a public corporation of the State of Alaska. The Corporation is an instrumentality of the state, but has a legal existence independent of and separate from the state.

Sec. 3. Board of Directors. a. The Alaska state development corporation board of directors, hereafter referred to as the board, shall conduct the business of the corporation.

b. The board consists of the commissioner of commerce and six residents of Alaska appointed by the governor, who shall serve at his pleasure. Membership on the board shall be on a non-partisan basis with due regard given to representation from the different regions of Alaska, at least one member being appointed from each major senatorial district, if a qualified appointee in the opinion of the Governor resides in each such district. One-half of the appointed members shall be active in the banking business and the

other half shall be from other professions, but should have extensive knowledge of financial matters. The appointment of members to the board shall be confirmed by the legislature meeting in joint session. Newly appointed members are qualified to act and to receive compensation between the time of their appointment and the time of confirmation or rejection by the legislature.

c. The term of service for an appointed member of the board is four years. The terms of two appointed members shall expire on February 1 of each year. At the time of the initial appointments, the governor shall designate which members have been appointed for a one, two, or three year term. It is the intent of this Act that the terms of the appointed members be staggered to insure continuity of experience. A member appointed by the governor to fill a vacancy occurring other than by expiration of a term shall serve for the unexpired term of the member he succeeds.

d. At the time of the appointment of a member to the board, or should there be reason to do so while a member, he shall declare privately, in writing, to the governor and the board any financial or business interest he has, which might conflict with the public nature of his membership on the board. If there is a serious conflict, he may be asked by the board to abstain from decisions resulting in a conflict or to resign from the board. Any loan or contract of the corporation which is otherwise valid shall not be invalid because of any personal interest therein on the part of any board member; provided that such interest is so declared and that said board member abstains from decisions pertaining to such loan or contract.

Sec. 4. Organization of Board. a. Within 90 days after the effective date of this Act, the governor shall appoint the board. Public employees are not eligible for appointment to the board. Within 14 days after the last of the original appointments, the board shall meet and organize by electing from its members a president,

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March 31, 1989

The Honorable Jim Duncan
Alaska State Legislature
P.O. Box V
Juneau, AK 99811-3100

RE: Senate Bill 215

Dear Senator Duncan:

As a former employee of the Alaska State Development Corporation (ASDC), I am delighted that this bill has been introduced for retirement credit, and I appreciate your efforts.

The bill only takes into account service before January 1, 1974, however, I have W-2s which show wages during the years 1971 through 1974, and 1976 and 1977. If the bill is passed in its present form, I would not receive service time for the years 1976 and 1977. It would seem appropriate that all service for ASDC should be eligible, and I request that you introduce an amendment to that end.

If there is some reason why the 1974 limitation is allowed to remain, I would appreciate knowing the reasons for it.

I look forward to hearing from you regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Lorinda Kassner

Lorinda Kassner
P.O. Box 020346
Juneau, AK 99802-0346

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April 10, 1992

The Honorable Fran Ulmer
House of Representatives
Room 421
State Capital
Juneau, Alaska 99801-1182

*Rayan
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Dear Representative Ulmer:

RE: Senate Bill #53

The above bill, regarding former employees of the Alaska State Development Corporation (ASDC) has been forwarded to the House Finance Committee after passing out of House State Affairs. This bill will allow "retirement credit in the public employees retirement system for employees of the former Alaska State Development Corporation".

This bill has passed the Senate; however, it was amended in the House State Affairs committee to require full actuarial costs to be paid by the employee, which is a change from the original bill presented by Senator Duncan. As a former employee of ASDC, I will be greatly effected by this bill.

At the March 1992 House State Affairs hearing, I volunteered to turn my records over to the Division of Retirement and Benefits to calculate the cost to the employee, due to the change in the wording of the bill. I have approximately 2.5 years of service with ASDC and currently have 20.7 years of service with the Department of Revenue. I have contacted two former employees and they have also turned over their records to have the "cost" factors calculated. As of this date, Retirement and Benefits has not returned the results of their calculations.

I have done extensive research into the number of individuals who might be effected by this bill. It appears to be limited to 12 people, with only 5 or 6 people who maybe able to take advantage of the service credit. To further complicate matters, it is up to the employee to verify their employment. When the personnel records from ASDC were transferred to the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority (AIDEA), they were destroyed, so it cannot be verified from that source.

I have previously discussed this bill with you, at a Juneau Association of Professional Mortgage Women meeting at which you spoke on legislative issues. You asked for comments from those in attendance who had an interest in bills that were before the House, which resulted in many industry questions as well as issues that had a personal nature. I will be more than happy to discuss this bill with you again or with any members of your staff, prior to the hearing in House Finance. This letter is to remind you of our conversation and express my interest in getting this bill through the legislative process this year.

Any consideration that you can give to this bill will be greatly appreciated. I can be reached during normal business hours at 465-2354 or at my home phone 789-0704. I have made myself available to testify on this bill in the past and will be willing to do so again.

Sincerely,

Karen Ann L. Carlson

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Juneau, Alaska 99802-1548

cc: Senator Jim Duncan
Representative Bill Hudson

Senator Randy Phillips
Chairman, Community and Regional Affairs
Alaska State Legislature
P.O. Box V
Juneau, Alaska 99811-3100

January 24, 1994

Dear Senator Phillips:

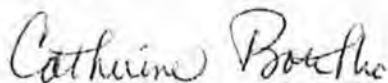
Senate Bill 39, a bill which would permit state employees with temporary service time to claim that time towards retirement years of service credit, has been scheduled for consideration on January 27th before the Community and Regional Affairs Committee. In 1992, SB 338, essentially identical to SB 39, died on the floor of the House on the last day of the session. It was a great disappointment to those of us who worked for years as temporary employees.

A letter and petition was circulated to state employees in 1992 in a loosely organized, grass-roots effort. It was supported by over 200 state employees, some of whom would not be directly affected. It is my understanding that **passage of this bill will have no fiscal impact to the State of Alaska**, because the employee would be required to pay the full actuarial cost of this option. It is also my understanding that a number of present employees may qualify, and opt, for immediate retirement, effectively resulting in a reduction in the state work force. In some small way, this may allow the state to achieve staff reductions without forcing layoffs of people with less time in state service.

Personally, I worked for 5.8 years as a temporary during the late 60's and 70's. If SB 39 passed, I would owe Retirement and Benefits approximately \$45,250 if I chose to exercise this option. While I may not be able to afford to pay this amount, I would appreciate having that option. With each passing day, the amount I would owe rises, and there are some people with more temporary time than me.

I urge you to support this bill.

Sincerely,



Catherine A. Botelho
P.O. Box 210515
Auke Bay, Alaska 99821

July 30, 1992

Dear State Employees:

As many of you remember, a petition was circulated last year to credit temporary service toward either retirement benefits or for counting the temporary time toward total service with the state. This petition was presented to Senator Jim Duncan, who agreed to sponsor what became Senate Bill 338. The bill had the support of the Department of Administration, passed the Senate, and made it through all the necessary House committees before dying on the floor of the House on the last day of the regular session. The point is that it got very, very close to being passed.

This bill moved on its own momentum due in part to the outspoken support and diligent efforts of many people throughout the state. The basic legislative research on this bill was accomplished during the last session by Senator Duncan and his staff. He is committed to sponsoring a bill with the same substance during the next legislative session.

Historical background

To provide historical background, the Blue Ribbon Commission on the State Personnel Act to the Eleventh Alaska State Legislature in 1979 concluded that temporary employees received none of the benefits provided to permanent employees by the state. As a result of the Commission's findings, Senate Bill 198 passed in 1980 to redefine the term "temporary" to "nonpermanent" and eliminate the inconsistencies and abuses in the hiring of "temporary" employees. Through this legislative reform the hiring of "non-permanent" employees after 1980 was made more equitable by law. However, this reclassifying of temporary positions, which received no benefits, to seasonal or permanent positions with benefits, did not address the issue of time spent as a "temporary" employee being counted towards service based retirement. Without legislation the system remains inequitable to employees who have worked in temporary positions during the 1960's and 1970's.

Benefits for temporary service

The legislation being proposed would allow employees eligible for "30 and out" or "20 and out" retirement to claim temporary service towards normal retirement. **There is no fiscal impact to the State** under this proposed legislation, because the employee would be required to pay the full actuarial cost of this option. Individuals interested in what the cost of this option would be should contact Ms. Liz Johnson in Retirement and Benefits (465-4460).

Request for your participation

Our goal is to have the attached petition circulated throughout the state and returned to me by November 1 so that by the time the 1993 Legislative session begins, we can have clear, well-documented support to present to Senator Duncan. Many of you signed last year's petition.

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Please sign this year's petition also. The 1993 House and Senate will be made up of many new members who should be informed of the importance of this bill to many state employees with many years of service. Your name on this petition will also allow us to keep you informed of developments and progress.

Once elections are over, you can help by writing your legislators in support of legislation to credit temporary time. If you are writing or FAXing to your legislators, **DO NOT** use State stationary or State FAX machines. These documents are circulated to every legislator and appear in every committee package and use of State supplies or equipment is inappropriate.

Please return completed petitions to:

Cathy Botelho
PO Box 210515
Auke Bay, Alaska 99821
(907) 789-4270 (res)

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Arnold Shaul	P.O. Box 2081 Kodiak, AK. 99615	21	<i>Arnold Shaul</i>
Robert Berceci	P.O. Box 106 Cold Bay, AK. 99571	13	<i>Robert Berceci</i>
Dean Beers	Box 235 TRADAKT CRIC 99683	0	<i>Dean Beers</i>

SUPPORT FOR SECTIONS 4 & 8.

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KENNETH C GRIFFIN	Box 556 Dutch Harbor 99692	17	Kenneth C. Griffin
Michael Ward	P.O. Box 421 Dutch Harbor AK 99692	11	Michael Ward
RANCE MORRISON	P.O. Box 1047 Dutch Harbor AK	19	Rance Morrison
DANN TRACY	P.O. Box 868 Dutch Harbor	0	Dann A. Tracy
Bea Kirkpatrick	Box 868 Dutch Harbor	0	Bea Kirkpatrick

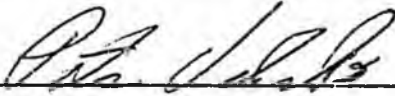
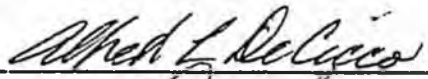
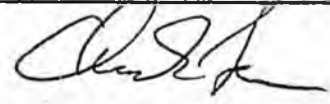
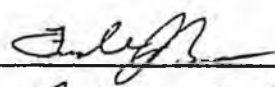
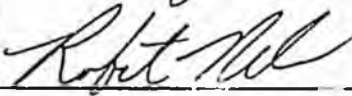
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James R. Dangel	1504 SMC, P.O. Box 219, Sitka 99835	1.3 years	James R. Dangel
DEMARIE S WOOD	P.O. Box 7391	1.3 years	Demarie Wood
Robert De Jong	1907 Cascade Creek, Sitka	12 months	Robert De Jong
Jeffrey D Kelly	2109 S.M.C. Road Sitka	28 months	Jeffrey D Kelly
Patricia M. Skarnes	Box 6035, Sitka	17 months	Patricia M. Skarnes
Janet Hall Schempf	800 Fritz Cove Road, Juneau 99801	20 months	Janet Schempf
GARY H. SANDERS	9167 RIVERWOOD DR., JUNEAU, AK 99801	20 MONTHS	Gary H. Sanders
SUSAN MILLARD	P.O. Box 211256 ANKLE BAY, AK 99821	2.7 YEARS	Susan Millard

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ALMA SEWARD	2151 A CROW HILL RD. DOUGLAS, AK 99824		Alma Seward
Doug Jones	9360 MINNER DR, JUNEAU AK	13	Doug Jones
Steve Elliott	P.O. Box 240653, Douglas AK	12	Steve F. Elliott
Roger Harding	P.O. 240463 Douglas AK		Roger Harding
KURT KONDZELA	P.O. Box 210931 ANCHORAGE AK 99821		Kurt Kondzela
ROBERT MARSHALL	P.O. BOX 211461 ANCHORAGE AK 99821		Robert Marshall
Paul Suchanek	Box 240107, Douglas, AK 99824		Paul Suchanek
Robert Johnson	1027 ARCTIC CIRCLE JUNEAU AK 99801	(APPROX) 40	Robert Johnson
Brian Glynn	2320 Fritz Cove Rd. JUNEAU AK 99801		Brian Glynn
Jandra Geyer	426 EAST ST. JUNEAU AK 99801		Jandra Geyer
Beverly A. Milton	PO BOX 220028 JUNEAU AK 99802		Beverly A. Milton
CHERYL SEIFERT	P.O. BOX 34016 JUNEAU, AK 99803		Cheryl Seifert

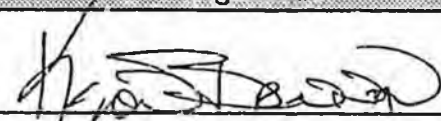
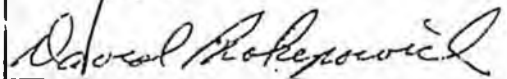
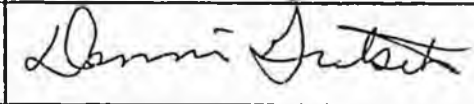
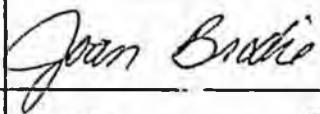
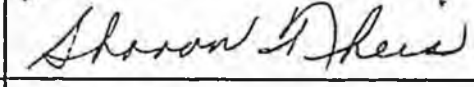

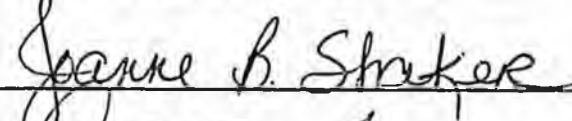
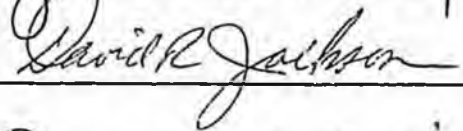
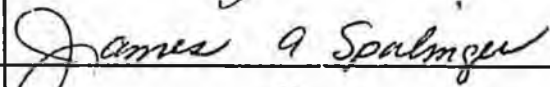
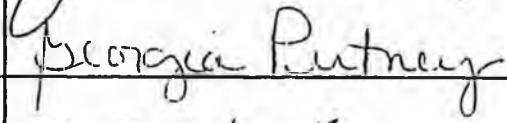
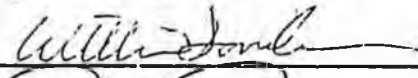

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Charles Lean	P.O. Box 1716 Nome AK 99762	15	
FRED BLUE	P.O. Box 1215 Nome AK 99762	6	
Robert Nelson	Box 202 Nome, AK 99762	10	

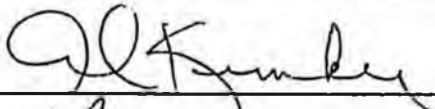
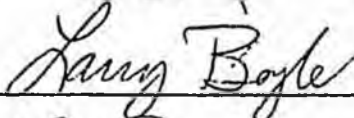


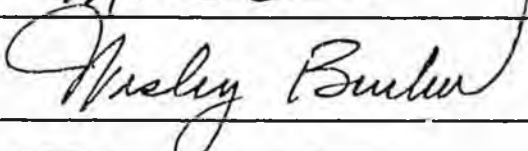

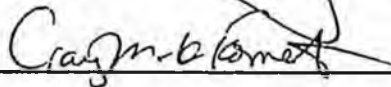
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Roger B. Smith	Box 2473 Kodiak 99615	9	Roger B. Smith
Joseph J. DiMascio	Box 5045 Kodiak 99615	12	Joseph J. DiMascio
Lois Menech	Box 631 Kodiak 99615	24 MONTHS	Lois A. Menech
Louise White	P.O. Box 4053 KODIAK 99615	12	Louise White
LESLIE J WATSON	PO Box 2473 Kodiak 99615	24+	Leslie J Watson
S. Forrest Blau	SR 7700 Kodiak 99615	12	S. Forrest Blau
Jim Blackburn	P.O. Box 948 Kodiak 99615	6	James S. Blackburn
Patricia Roche	PO Box 3015 Kodiak 99615	0	Patricia Roche
Charles O. Swanson	P.O. Box 2502 Kodiak 99615	0	Charles O Swanson
Lucinda P. Neel	P.O. Box 1071 Kodiak 99615	0	Lucinda P. Neel
SHARON HARRIS	2.35 ALDER WAY KODIAK, AK 99615	+ 18	Sharon Harris

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DAVID PROKOPOWICZ	P.O. Box 3299 / Kodiak, AK / 99615	~ 8.0	
Dennis Grotzch	2117 Mission Rd / Kodiak AK / 99615	N.S.O	
Joan Brodie	715 Upper Mill Bay / Box 296 Kodiak, AK. 99615	? if any not many	
SHARON THEIS	713 Upper Mill Bay / Kodiak	0	
Joan Peterson	1417 Baranoff St / Kodiak	0	
JOANNE B. SHAKER	P.O. Box 2898 / Kodiak, AK 99615	0	
DAVID R JACKSON	11248 KALVIN DR. KODIAK AK 99615	33	
JAMES A SPALINGER	P.O. Box 1462 / Kodiak, AK / 99615	9	
GEORGIA PUTNEY	PO Box 8201 Kodiak 99615	0	
William Donaldson	1713 Mission Rd. Kodiak AK 99615	3	
PETER J. PROBASCIO	P.O. Box 3149 / Kodiak, AK. / 99615	~ 34+	

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D. THOMAS BALLAND	PO Box 673 HOMER, AK 99603	44	
MARK DICKSON	58986 DEITZ LANE HOMER, AK. 99603	12	
WESLEY BUCKER	P.O. Box 1138 HOMER, AK. 99603	32	
Richard Gustafson	P.O. Box 4144 Homer, Ak, 99603	23	
Craig M. K. Forrest	P.O. Box 15261 Fritz Creek, AK	130	

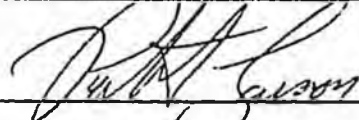

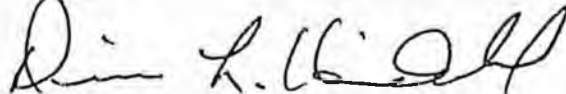
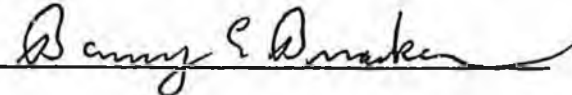
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Matthew Matt Robus	POB 240181 Douglas AK 99824	3	<i>Matthew Robus</i>
Rod Flynn	745 5 th St. Douglas, AK 99824	0	<i>Rod W Flynn</i>
Zane Clark	8817 E Valley Ct Juneau AK 99801-8976	0	<i>Zane Clark</i>
Tom PAUL	Box 20628 JUNEAU, AK. 99802	1	<i>Tom Paul</i>
Anne Post	9355 Rivercourt Way, Juneau 99801	0	<i>Anne Post</i>
DENNIS LEMOND	Box 240248 Douglas, AK. 99824	58	<i>Dennis Leonard</i>
Gail Blundell	Box 35054 Juneau, AK 99803	3	<i>Gail Blundell</i>
Lavern Beier	Box 021116 Juneau, AK 99802	72	<i>Lavern R. Beier</i>
Matthew Kirschhoff	11678 Auke St. JUNO AK 99802	0	<i>Matthew Kirschhoff</i>
Marilyn Sigmor Mandy Sigmor	Box 240009, Douglas, AK 99824	7	<i>Marilyn Sigmor</i>
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Sue WORLEY	315 5 th St. #5 Juneau		<i>Sue Worley</i>

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Barb Richmond	P.O. Box 857 Petersburg, AK 99833	0	Barb Richmond
TIMOTHY KOENEMA	P.O. Box 1324 PETERSBURG, ALASKA 99833	16	Timothy Koenema
Beth Rhoden	P.O. Box 426 Petersburg, AK 99833	0	Beth Rhoden
Charles R Land	Box 1348 Petersburg, AK 99833	0	Ch Land
Thomas W. Roche	Box 1305 PETERSBURG, AK 99833	3	Thomas W. Roche
Brian L. Lynch	Box 1247 Petersburg, AK 99833	10	Brian L. Lynch
Donald A. Cornelius	P.O. B. 1737 Petersburg, AK 99833	0	Donald A. Cornelius
William Bergmann	Box 130 PETERSBURG, ALASKA	4	Will Bergmann
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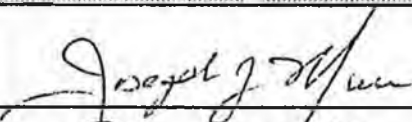
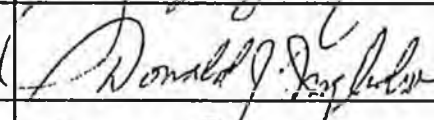
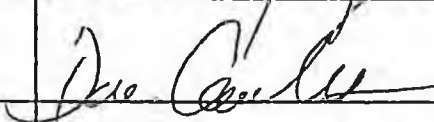

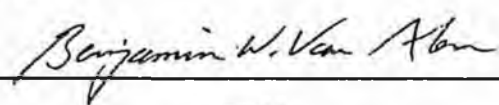
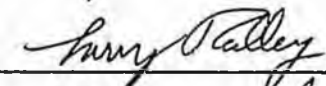
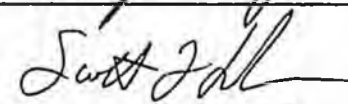
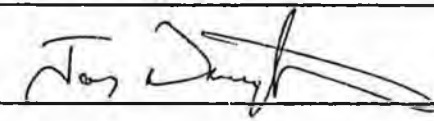
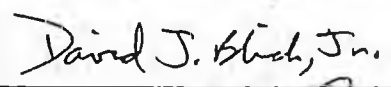
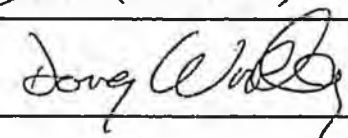
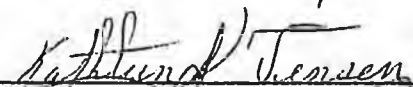
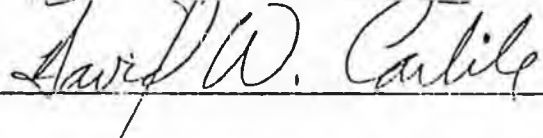
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Robert T Larson	PO Box 862 Petersburg AK 99833	5	
Janra Johnson	PO Box 115 Petersburg, AK 99833	0	
DENNIS L. HEIMDAHL	Box 256, PETERSBURG, AK 99833	0	
Barry E. Brackin	Box 1201, Petersburg, AK	32	

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Keith Pahlke	8515 Nugget Pl Juneau, AK 99801	8	<i>Keith Pahlke</i>
Kenneth K. Imamura	156 Behrends Ave Juneau, AK 99801	0	<i>K. K. Imamura</i>
Fred E. Bergander	P.O. Box 210675 Auke Bay, AK 99821	0	<i>Fred E. Bergander</i>
Karl Hofmeister	11275 Goat hill rd Juneau, AK 99801	24	<i>Karl Hofmeister</i>
Richard Bloomquist	176 Behrends Ave Juneau 99801	0	<i>Richard Bloomquist</i>
Marc Pritchett	PO Box 211192 Auke Bay 99821	0	<i>Marc Pritchett</i>
John Clark	P.O. Box 210515 Auke Bay AK 99821	0	<i>John Clark</i>
Andrew Mcgregor	P.O. Box 240945 Douglas AK 99824	2	<i>Andrew Mcgregor</i>
Glen Oliver	8189 Threadneedle Juneau, AK 99801	?	<i>Glen Oliver</i>
Scott McPherson	P.O. Box 240911 Douglas, AK 99824	0	<i>Scott A. McPherson</i>
CRAIG W. FARRINGTON	P O BOX 33064 JUNEAU AK 99803	0	<i>Craig Farrington</i>
Iris S. Frank	P.O. BOX 240864 Douglas, AK 99824	8	<i>Iris S. Frank</i>

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Joseph Muir	4537 Sarna Cir Juneau 99801	15	
Donald J. Fingledie	3748 Glacier Hwy, Juneau, AK 99801	14	
Dave Gaudet	Box 22202 Juneau, AK 99602	0	
Leon D. Shaul	1316 3rd St., Douglas, AK 99824	9	
Benjamin W. Van Allen	6731 Gray St., Juneau, AK 99801	~ 14 ?	
Larry Talley	3041 Douglas Hwy Juneau AK 99801	15	
Scott Johnson	8697 Ordley St Juneau AK 99801	?	
JAY DRUYESTEN	2212A GRT WEST, Douglas	?	
David J. Blick, Jr.	P.O. box 240225, Douglas, AK 99824 (2214 Muir St, Juneau)	0	
Doug Woody	3240 Nowell Ave, Juneau 99801	9	
KATHLEEN TENSEN	1316 3RD ST. DOUGLAS, AK 99824	0	
Dave Carlile	15580 Glacier Hwy 99801	0	

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Peter Hagen	P.O. Box 210005 Anchorage AK 99821	0	<i>Peter Hagen</i>
KRISTEN M MUNK	POB 34356 JUNEAU AK 99803	7+	<i>Kristen Munk</i>
KENT F. CRABTREE	P.O. BOX 241014 DOUGLAS, AK. 99824	3	<i>Kent F. Crabtree</i>
Mark A. Olsen	P.O. Box 33334 JUNEAU, AK. 99803	2	<i>Mark A. Olsen</i>
EVELYN P. LUMDA	P.O. BOX 22577, JUNEAU, AK 99802	11	<i>Evelyn P. Lumda</i>
Linda Kinnunen	P.O. Box 20313, Juneau, AK 99802	15+	<i>Linda Kinnunen</i>
Joan E. Beier	2145-C CROW HILL DR., DOUGLAS 99824	0-	<i>Joan E. Beier</i>
ROBERT D. MECUM	3471 MEANDER WAY JUNEAU AK 99801	0	<i>Robert D. Mecum</i>

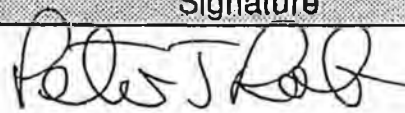


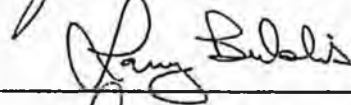
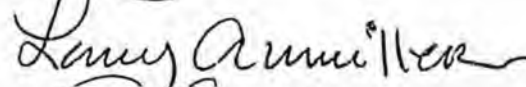
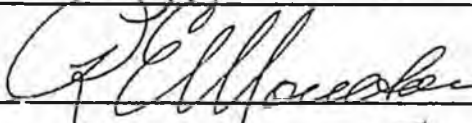
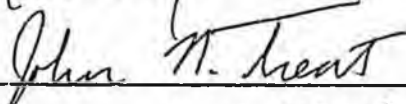
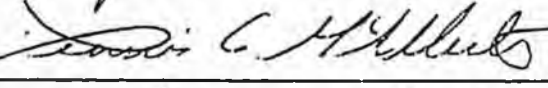
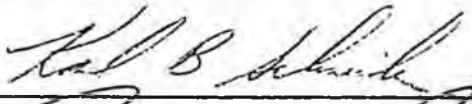

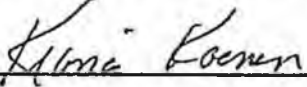
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Martha F. Betts	PO Box 240635, Douglas 99824	16 months	Martha F. Betts
Yvonne K. Howard	P.O. BOX 34705, Juneau, 99903	3 mth	Yvonne K. Howard
Shannon K Alps	P.O. Box 33414, Juneau 99803	9 months	Shannon K Alps
Gordon Adams	P.O. Box 240635, Douglas 99824	12 months	Gordon Adams
RICHARD REED	9155 SKYWOOD LANE JUNEAU, AK 99801	-0-	Richard D. Reed

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D. Craig Whitmore	HCO 1 Box 6022 Palmer AK 99645	36.37	D. Craig Whitmore
Dana Sweet	PO Box 871314 Wasilla 99687	12	Dana Sweet
Terrence J. Bradley	HCO4, Box 9205 Palmer, AK 99645	42	Terrence J. Bradley
Alan C Havens	PO Box 2383 Palmer, AK 99645	54	Alan C Havens
Craig L Baer	Box 245 Sutton, AK 99674	1.5	Craig L Baer
JACKIE J. KEPHART	P.O. BOX 1862 PALMER, AK. 99645	0	Jackie J. Kephart
Rena A. Hile	P.O. BOX 2696 Palmer, AK 99645	0	Rena A. Hile
HERMAN J. GRIESE	P.O. BOX 836 PALMER, AK 99645	0	Herman J. Griese
MARK A. MASTELLER	Box 965 PALMER AK 99645	0	Mark Masteller
RONALD D. MODAFFERI	HCO4 Box 557 PALMER, AK 99645	0	Ronald D. Modafferi
SUSIE KAISER	8321 Henry Cir Anch AK 99507	8-9 mo	Susie Kaiser
Karen B Saunders	PO Box 230268 Anchorage, AK. 99523	11 mo.	Karen B. Saunders

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PETER J ROB	Box 1030 KOTZEBUE 99752	40 months	
Tim McDaniel	10540 OUR RD Anchorage 99516	14 months	
John Schoen	12640 Lupine Rd. Anchorage, AK 99516	8 mo	
LARRY BUBLIS	2615 BROOKE DR. Anchorage, AK 99517	18 months	
Larry Amiller	1812 BELLEVUE LOOP ANCH. AK 99515	4 1/2 YRS	
Ruth Moulton	120 W. 11th Avenue Anchorage AK 99501	2 years	
John Trent	920 Lighthouse Drive Anchorage, AK 99525	~ 20 MONTHS	
DENNIS C. McALLISTER	P.O. Box 110728 ANCHORAGE, AK 99511	10 MONTHS	
Karl B Schneider	11620 OUR RD Anchorage, AK 99516	19 mo	
NICHOLAS P. STEEN	HC 32 BX 6561 WASILLA, AK 99654	6 mo	
Kiana Koerner	P.O. 3410 PALMER, AK 99645	3 mo.	
Katherine Powell	3605 Arctic Blvd #1257 Anchorage	2 yrs	