

**SB**

**19**

# ENATE COMMITTEE RE: RT First Committee of Referral

DATE: 1/13/97

FURTHER: Judiciary

Date of 5-Day Notice: 1/30/97  
(in accordance with Uniform Rule 23)

DATE TURNED  
IN TO OFFICE: 2/6/97

Resources Committee considered      SENATE BILL NO. 19

"An Act repealing the power and duty of the commissioner of fish and game to assist in the enforcement of federal laws relating to fish and game."

and recommends:

- be replaced with \_\_\_\_\_ CS \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_)
- adopt previous \_\_\_\_\_ CS \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_)
- attached amendment(s)
- adopt Letter of Intent by \_\_\_\_\_ Committee
- further referral to the \_\_\_\_\_ Committee

- Senate Bill:**
- same title
  - new title
- House Bill:**
- same title
  - technical title
  - new: SCR# \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNING DO PASS	DP	OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS	NR	DNP	AM
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<i>Bert Sharp</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
<b>CHAIR:</b> <i>Rich Halford</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>CHAIR:</b>			

**NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):**

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal
<i>Tribal Salary</i>	<i>1/31</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

**PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S):\***

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal

APPROPRIATION -- no fiscal note

\*Include fiscal notes accompanying Governor's bill

## SPONSOR STATEMENT

Senate Bill 19- Senator Bert Sharp

Senate Bill 19 repeals the present statutory mandate <AS 16.05.050.(1)> that the State of Alaska will assist the federal government agencies in the enforcement of federal laws and regulations as they apply to fish and game resources in Alaska.

In light of aggressive federal actions to assume management of fish and game over large areas of our state in violation of our statehood compact, I believe repeal of this statute is prudent and in the best interests of the citizens of Alaska. I urge your expeditious and favorable approval of SB 19.

# FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
1997 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO: SB 19

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. Affected: Public Safety  
 Title: An Act relating to the Commissioner of Fish BRU: Fish and Wildlife Protection  
Game Component: Detachments  
 Sponsor: Senator Sharp  
 Requestor: S. RES COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 0490

**EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars) (inflation not included)**

	FY 98	FY 99	FY 00	FY 01	FY 02	FY 03
<b>OPERATING</b>						
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
<b>CAPITAL</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
<b>CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Revenue Code						

**FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)**

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program						
1006 GF/MHTIA						
Other						
<b>TOTAL</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-

Estimate of current year (FY 97) impact: \$ -0-

**POSITIONS:**

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

ANALYSIS. (Attach a separate page if necessary.)  
 This Bill will not impact this Department's programs or budget.

Prepared By: Lt. Joel L. Hard Phone: 269-5409  
 Division: Fish and Wildlife Protection Date: January 31, 1997  
 Approved by Commissioner: *Joel Smith* Date: 1/31/97  
 Agency: Ronald L. Otte, Department of Public Safety

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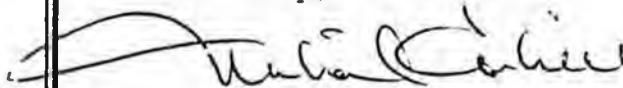
Senator Bert Sharp  
Alaska State Legislature  
State Capitol (MS 3100)  
Juneau, Alaska 99801-1182

Dear Senator Sharp,

On behalf of the Alaska Peace Officers Association, I would like to inform you of our position on Senate Bill 19. At a recent meeting of the APOA State Board, we decided unanimously to oppose this piece of legislation. We believe that this bill is contrary to a unified and consolidated effort in the enforcement of fish and game laws and would only hamper interagency cooperation in the investigation of fish and game violation cases.

We encourage you to call on us when there are hearings on this bill. Please call me at 451-5316, or our business manager, Joseph Young at 277-0515, if you have questions about the position the Alaska Peace Officers Association has on this issue.

Sincerely,



Michael Corkill  
APOA State President