

**SB**

**124**

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## Sponsor Statement

### SB 124: Charitable Gaming Salmon & Race Classic

This legislation amends AS 05.15.100(a) by including race classics as one of the games of skill and chance which municipalities or qualified organizations are allowed to conduct. One function of this bill is to authorize a classic for the Seward Mt. Marathon Race, to be operated by the Seward Chamber of Commerce Convention & Visitors' Bureau. The bill therefore includes a definition for "race" classics.

The bill also amends AS 05.15.690(40) by extending the definition of a salmon classic to include the Seward Silver Salmon Derby Classic and the Sterling Area Senior Citizen's, Inc. Sockeye Salmon Crossing Classic.

Both the Seward Chamber of Commerce Convention & Visitors' Bureau and the Sterling Area Senior Citizen's, Inc., are non-profit corporations. Both entities provide a valuable community service and, like many local service organizations, they are searching for ways to supplement their revenues.

Providing these potential revenue vehicles will assist these service organizations in the continuation of the services they provide for their respective communities.

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## Sectional Analysis

### SB 124: Charitable Gaming Salmon & Race Classic

**Section 1:** Amends AS 05.15.100(a) by inserting "race classics".

**Section 2:** Amends AS 05.15.115(c) by inserting "race classics".

**Section 3:** Amends AS 05.15.180(b) by inserting "race classics".

**Section 4:** Amends AS 05.15.690(40) by inserting:

- (A) New subsection "A" to renumber for additions (B) and (C);
- (B) New subsection and language authorizing a Seward Silver Salmon Derby Classic;
- (C) New subsection and language authorizing a Sterling Area Senior Citizen's, Inc. Sockeye Salmon Crossing Classic.

**Section 5:** Amends AS 05.15.690 by inserting new subsection which defines a "race classic".

**Sections 6-8:** These bill sections amend a 1995 session law. They are necessary due to the sunset or repealer provided in ch. 13, SLA 1995. That session law provided for mushing sweepstakes and for the sunset of those sweepstakes in 2000. The sunset was accomplished by having sections 2, 4, and 6 of the session law take effect in the year 2000. Because those sections are going to be repealed and reenacted in 2000, it is necessary to amend the session law to include any intervening amendments to those sections to avoid the repeal of intervening amendments - like this one for "race classics".

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. Affected: Revenue  
 Title: Charitable Gaming Salmon and Race Classic BRU: Revenue Operations  
 Component: Charitable Gaming Division  
 Sponsor: Sen. Torgerson  
 Requestor: (STA) COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 1883

Expenditures/Revenues: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 98	FY 99	FY 00	FY 01	FY 02	FY 03
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
CAPITAL EXPENDITURES						
CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )						

FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

Estimate of any current year (FY97) cost \$ 0.0

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This bill seeks to add Race Classics as a new charitable gaming activity. It also adds two new Salmon Classics to existing Alaska Statutes. The Department of Revenue, Charitable Gaming Division does not anticipate any changes in program receipts in respect to this bill.

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 Approved by Commissioner: Wilson L. Condon *WLC* Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
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