

SJR

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FISCAL NOTE

No. 1
 Bill Version: STR10
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STATE OF ALASKA
 1999 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction) _____ Dept. Affected Office of the Governor
 Title Constitutional Amendment relating to BRU Elective Operations
supermajority for tax levies Component General and Primary
 Sponsor Senator Ward
 Requester Senale State Affairs Committee Component Serial No 22

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
Personal Services						
Travel						
Contractual	1.5					
Supplies						
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
TOTAL OPERATING	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES						
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ()						
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FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF	1.5					
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type)						
TOTAL	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY99) cost: _____

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This figure includes the cost of providing information about this issue in the Official Election Pamphlet, as required by AS 15.58. However, only six measures can be printed on an 8-1/2 by 14 inch ballot. If this measure requires printing an 8-1/2 by 18 inch ballot, the cost will increase by \$22.0.

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 Approved by Lt. Governor Fran Ulmer Date 2/26/99
 Agency Office of the Lieutenant Governor

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For fur: _____ ? Governor's Legislative Office

SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 3/12/99

FURTHER: Finance

DATE TURNED
IN TO OFFICE: _____

Judiciary Committee considered **SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10**

Proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Alaska requiring that the provisions of a bill that levy new state taxes or increase the rate of a state tax require the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the membership of each house of the legislature.

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 <u>DO</u> PASS	DP	OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS	NR	DNP	AM
		<i>Wynn</i>	✓		
		<i>Dawson</i>	✓		
		<i>Ellis</i>		✗	
CHAIR: <i>Arnie Taylor</i>	✓	CHAIR:			

NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S):*

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal
<i>Gov.</i>	<i>3/12</i>		✗

APPROPRIATION -- no fiscal note

*include fiscal notes accompanying Governor's bill



SENATOR JERRY WARD

ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

SPONSOR STATEMENT SJR 10

SJR 10 is a Constitutional amendment that requires a 2/3rd majority vote of both the House and the Senate to levy any new state taxes or increase the rate of any present state tax. This Constitutional amendment shall be placed before the voters at the next general election.

14 other states have enacted similar or more stringent legislation to enact or increase various state taxes:

- Delaware, Florida, Mississippi, and Oregon all require 3/5th vote of legislature to enact taxes. Florida also requires 2/3rd vote of public to enact new taxes.
- Arizona, California, Louisiana, Nevada, South Dakota, and Washington all require 2/3rd vote of legislature to enact taxes. Missouri requires 2/3rd vote of public.
- Arkansas, Colorado, and Oklahoma all require 3/4th vote of legislature to enact taxes.



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March 18, 1999

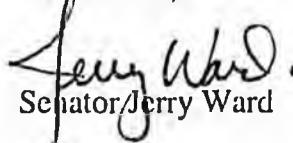
Senator Robin Taylor, Chair
Senate Judiciary Committee

Senator Robin Taylor,

SJR 10 is a constitutional amendment requiring a super majority of both Houses of the Legislature to raise state taxes or enact new state taxes.

Please schedule SJR 10 in the Senate Judiciary Committee at your earliest convenience.

Thank You,


Senator Jerry Ward