

**HB**

**462**

# FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA**  
**2002 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

Fiscal Note Number: 1  
 Bill Version: HB 462  
 (H) Publish Date: 3/6/02

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. Affected: Fish and Game  
 Title Release of certain confidential records BRU Multiple  
and reports Component \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sponsor Representative Stevens  
 Requester House Fisheries Component No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

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

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
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>

<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURES</b>						
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<b>CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )</b>						
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**FUND SOURCE** (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type--Do not abbreviate)						
<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 (FY2002) cost: 0.0  
 Check this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2003 budget proposal:

**POSITIONS**

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

**ANALYSIS:** *(Attach a separate page if necessary)*

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 Approved by: Gordy Williams for Commissioner Frank Rue Date 3/1/2002  
 Agency Fish and Game

# FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
2002 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Fiscal Note Number: 2  
Bill Version: HB 462  
(H) Publish Date: 3/6/02

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. Affected: Public Safety  
Title An Act relating to the release of BRU Fish & Wildlife Protection  
certain confidential records and reports . . . Component Enforcement & Investigations  
Sponsor Representative Stevens  
Requester House Fisheries Component No. 490

**Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)**

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

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
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>

<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>0.0</b>					
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<b>CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )</b>	<b>0.0</b>					
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**FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)**

FUND SOURCE	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
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1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type--Do not abbreviate)						
<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 (FY2002) cost: 0.0

Check this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2003 budget proposal:

**POSITIONS**

Full-time	0					
Part-time	0					
Temporary	0					

**ANALYSIS:** (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This bill does not conflict with the Department's programs objectives and has no significant impact on our budget.

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Approved by: Commissioner Glenn G. Godfrey Date 3/4/2002  
Agency Department of Public Safety



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**CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 462( )**  
**IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA**  
**TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION**

**BY**

**Offered:**  
**Referred:**

**Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVE STEVENS**

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to the release of certain confidential records and reports concerning**  
2 **fishing, fish buying, or fish processing; and providing for an effective date."**

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 **\* Section 1. AS 16.05.815(a) is amended to read:**

5 (a) Except as provided in (b) and (c) of this section, records required by  
6 regulations of the department concerning the landings of fish, shellfish, or fishery  
7 products, and annual statistical reports of fishermen, buyers, and processors required  
8 by regulation of the department are confidential and may not be released by the  
9 department or by the Alaska Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission except as set  
10 out in this subsection. The department may release the records and reports set out in  
11 this subsection to the Alaska Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission. The  
12 department and the Alaska Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission may release the  
13 records and reports set out in this subsection to the recipients identified in this  
14 subsection if the recipient, other than a recipient under (5) - (9) [(5) - (8)] of this

1 subsection, agrees to maintain the confidentiality of the records and reports. The  
2 department and the Alaska Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission may release

3 (1) any of the records and reports to the National Marine Fisheries  
4 Service and the professional staff of the North Pacific Fishery Management Council as  
5 required for preparation and implementation of the fishery management plans of the  
6 North Pacific Fishery Management Council within the exclusive economic zone;

7 (2) any of the records and reports to the professional staff of the  
8 Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission who are employed in the Alaska Fisheries  
9 Information Network project for the purpose of exchanging information with users  
10 authorized by the department;

11 (3) any of the records and reports to the Department of Revenue to  
12 assist the Department of Revenue in carrying out its statutory responsibilities;

13 (4) records or reports of the total value purchased by each buyer to a  
14 municipality that levies and collects a tax on fish, shellfish, or fishery products if the  
15 municipality requires records of the landings of fish, shellfish, or fishery products to  
16 be submitted to it for purposes of verification of taxes payable;

17 (5) such records and reports as necessary to be in conformity with a  
18 court order;

19 (6) on request, the report of a person to the person whose fishing  
20 activity is the subject of the report, or to a designee of the person whose fishing  
21 activity is the subject of the report;

✓ 22 (7) on request, annual statistical reports of a fisherman, buyer, or  
23 processor to the fisherman, buyer, or processor whose activity is the subject of  
24 the report, or to a designee of the fisherman, buyer, or processor whose activity is  
25 the subject of the report;

26 (8) fish tickets, [AND] fish ticket information, saltwater charter  
27 logbooks, saltwater charter logbook information, and annual statistical reports of  
28 fishermen, buyers, and processors and information in those reports to the  
29 [DIVISION OF FISH AND WILDLIFE PROTECTION,] Department of Public  
30 Safety;

31 (9) [(8)] fish tickets, [AND] fish ticket information, and annual

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statistical reports of fishermen, buyers, and processors and information in those reports to the law enforcement personnel of the National Marine Fisheries Service and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration for the purpose of enforcing fishery laws in waters of this state and in waters of the exclusive economic zone adjacent to this state;

(10) [(9)] fish tickets and fish ticket information regarding halibut to the International Pacific Halibut Commission; and

(11) [(10)] any of the records and reports to the child support enforcement agency created in AS 25.27.010, or the child support enforcement agency of another state, for child support purposes authorized under law.

\* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).

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## Representative Gary Stevens

### SPONSOR STATEMENT – HB 462

*HB 462, "An act relating to the release of certain confidential records and reports concerning fishing, fish buying, or fish processing", provides state and federal enforcement agencies access to certain reports of fishing, buying and processing activity to help ensure proper compliance with reporting requirements.*

In addition, this bill would allow fishermen, buyers, and processors to obtain certain reports of their own activity from the Department of Fish & Game or the Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission, or to designate that such reports be released to a specified third party.