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SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 3/13/02

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SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

FURTHER:

DATE TURNED
IN TO OFFICE:

3/21/02

Finance Committee considered

SENATE BILL NO. 279

SB 279 SPORT FISH LICENSES FOR 9/11 RESPONDERS

"An Act authorizing the commissioner of fish and game to issue complimentary sport fishing licenses and tags to September 11 emergency responders and their spouses; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends:

- be replaced with CS SB 279 (FIN)
- adopt previous CS CS FORTHCOMING ()
- attached amendment(s) _____
- adopt Letter of Intent by _____ Committee
- further referral to _____ Committee

Senate Bill:

- same title
- new title

House Bill:

- same title
- technical title
- new: SCR # _____

NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department	Date	Fiscal	Zero	FN#
Fish + Game	3/19/02		✓	

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department	Date	Fiscal	Zero	FN#

APPROPRIATION - no fiscal note

SIGNATURES AND RECOMMENDATIONS:	DO PASS	DO NOT PASS	NO REC	AMEND
<i>Alan Cristy</i>	✓			
<i>[Signature]</i>	X			
<i>Brew S. Hansen</i>	✓			
<i>Gary White</i>	✓			
<i>[Signature]</i>	✓			
COCHAIR: <i>[Signature]</i>	✓			
COCHAIR: <i>[Signature]</i>	✓			

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 279(FIN)
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered:
Referred:

Sponsor(s): SENATORS WILKEN, Kelly, Therriault, Taylor

A BILL
FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act authorizing the commissioner of fish and game to issue complimentary sport
2 fishing licenses and tags to September 11 emergency responders and their spouses; and
3 providing for an effective date."

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

5 * Section 1. The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section
6 to read:

7 COMPLIMENTARY SPORT FISHING LICENSES FOR SEPTEMBER 11
8 EMERGENCY RESPONDERS. The commissioner of fish and game may issue a
9 complimentary sport fishing license and appropriate sport fishing tag to a visitor to the state
10 who, at some time between September 11, 2001, and November 11, 2001, inclusive,
11 participated as a fire fighter, police officer, or emergency medical services provider at the site
12 of the World Trade Center in New York City or the Pentagon in Washington, D.C., for use in
13 any one season before December 31, 2003, during the fire fighter's, police officer's, or
14 emergency medical service provider's visit to the state. A complimentary license and tag may

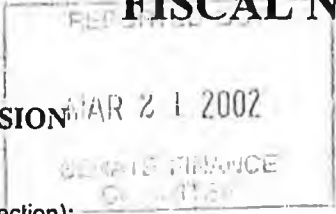
1 also be issued to the spouse of an eligible fire fighter, police officer, or emergency medical
2 services provider. The commissioner may not issue more than 250 complimentary licenses
3 and 250 complimentary tags during a calendar year under this section.

4 * **Sec. 2.** Section 1 of this Act is repealed December 31, 2003.

5 * **Sec. 3.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).

FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA
2002 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**



Fiscal Note Number: _____
 Bill Version: CSSB 279 (RES)
 () Publish Date: _____

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: Fish and Game
 Title: Complimentary sport fish licenses and tags for BRU Administration
September 11 responders Administration
 Sponsor: Senator Wilken
 Requester: Senate Finance Component No. 479

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						
TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES						
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ()	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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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						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type--Do not abbreviate)						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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)

Prepared by: Kevin Brooks Phone 415-5999
 Division: Administration Date/Time: 3/19/02 12:20 PM
 Approved by: Commissioner Frank Rue Date: 3/19/2002
 Agency: Department of Fish and Game

SENATE FINANCE
COMMITTEE

ADOPTED

Amendment Number: #1

Bill Number: SB 279

Sponsor: Wilken Date: 3/20/02

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AMENDMENT!

OFFERED IN THE SENATE

BY SENATOR WILKEN

TO: CSSB 279(RES)

- 1 Page 1, line 12, following "season":
- 2 Insert "before December 31, 2003,"

SENATE FINANCE
COMMITTEE

ADOPTED

Amendment Number: #2

Bill Number: SB 279

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Sponsor: Wilken Date: 3/20/02

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AMENDMENT 2

OFFERED IN THE SENATE
TO: CSSB 279(RES)

BY SENATOR WILKEN

- 1 Page 1, line 10, following "who":
- 2 Insert ", at some time between September 11, 2001, and November 11, 2001,
- 3 inclusive,"
- 4
- 5 Page 1, lines 11 - 12:
- 6 Delete "on September 11, 2001,"

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SPONSOR STATEMENT

Senate Bill 279 Sport Fishing Licenses for 9/11 Responders

On September 11th, the United States experienced terrorist attacks within its borders. These attacks were not only on the United States, but on the entire civilized world; citizens of more than 80 countries perished.

Senate Bill 279 authorizes the Commissioner of Fish and Game to issue up to 250 complimentary sport fishing licenses and salmon tags, as appropriate, per year to firemen, police, and EMTs who responded to the events on September 11th, 2001 at the World Trade Center in New York and the Pentagon in Washington D.C. and their spouses. This section would sunset on December 31st, 2003.

This bill would be a small gift that the State of Alaska could make to those brave men and women who served so admirably in the shadow of these horrible events.

provided by
Senator Gray Wilkey

Quilts, macaroni and more flood N.Y.

The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Love came to New York City in boxes of grapefruit, heaps of homemade quilts and 17 tons of macaroni and cheese.

Supporters have donated hundreds of millions of dollars since the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks. But when a check didn't quite express the right sentiment, they sent, well, just about everything else.

The city has received three firetrucks, including the 29-foot, 42,000-pound pumper sent from Louisiana last week to replace some of the 35 trucks lost in the attacks.

Many gave practical items, like the Kansas elementary school students who brought work socks and lip balm for rescue workers this week. A group of Iowans sent 1,500 quilts. Florida schoolchildren collected mittens.

High school students from North Dakota brought 229,320 servings of macaroni and cheese.

"We were going to send money, but then we thought North Dakota is famous for its pasta, so why don't we send something that really shows what we do and where we're from," said Morgan Greaves, 15.

She and eight other students delivered the 17 tons of macaroni to City Harvest, a New York organization that feeds the needy and provides meals to workers at the World Trade Center site.

Eleven citrus growers in Texas sent 26,000 grapefruits last week. The 30,000 pounds of fruit were unloaded in a parking lot at Yankee Stadium.

"We're known down here for growing the Texas red grapefruit," said Lucy Garcia, a spokeswoman for TexaSweat Citrus Marketing. "More than money, we wanted to give them a taste of Texas."

Food donations and practical items for rescue workers flowed to New York City almost immedi-

They love New York

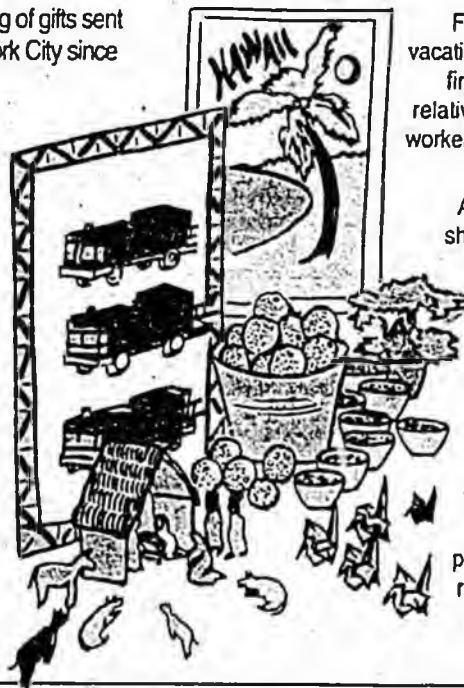
A sampling of gifts sent to New York City since Sept. 11:

1,500 quilts from Iowa

3 firetrucks

26,000 grapefruits from Texas

A one-ton Nativity scene from Naples, Italy



Free Hawaiian vacations for police, firefighters and relatives of rescue workers killed in the attacks

A Manhattan-shaped bonsai forest from California

229,320 servings of macaroni from North Dakota

Thousands of origami paper cranes, representing peace and good will

ately after the trade center tragedy, along with thousands of booties and tons of pet food for search-and-rescue dogs.

For a city that has everything, other, less practical gifts have ar-

rived as well, such as the thousands of Japanese origami paper cranes sent from all over the nation. The cranes represent peace and good will, according to Japanese tradition.

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Provided by Senator Wilke.



~~SB 279~~-SPORT FISH LICENSES FOR 9/11 RESPONDERS
SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

SIGN-IN

✓ NAME: KEVIN BROOKS Subject/Bill No: SB 279
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Do you wish to testify? ___Yes ___No Respond To Questions

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