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Re: HB127

Date: 3/6/03

3 pages including cover

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I support HB 127.

Standard roadside signs = statistics. This is fine, but Alaska has the worst drunk-driving record in the nation. We have to remind drivers that it is personal, it happened here, to this person, to this family, to this community. To someone who was loved, not just a statistic.

Heather's friends stopped to add flowers to her marker one day, and a motorist stopped. She said she had a history of drinking and driving. She thought "it will never happen to me"—but this marker enlightened her and caused her to change her habits. It got personal. Moved beyond statistics.

Would a standard, state sign have this effect?

I don't think so.

I encourage every committee member to review the slides submitted by Sheryl Maree Reily and to take this issue to heart. I also suggest you google "roadside memorial" and look at some of these sites. This form of human expression takes place not only in Alaska, but nationally and internationally.

Does Alaska want to be known for a lack of human interest? Such human interest replaced with mere statistics? I have lived in AK my entire life. We thrive on individuality up here, our freedom to express ourselves, both individually and as communities.

Do we really want to summarize our personal loss & our shameful national record in identical blue & white statistics?

I don't.

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Roadside memorials are visible on many of Alaska's highways and roads. These markers play a significant role in recognizing and acknowledging the humanity all of us share.

When still a Fairbanks resident, I heard about a family of five killed by a drunk driver on the Glen Hwy just outside Anchorage. Each time I drive into Anchorage, I see their memorial and think of that family. I never met them; I don't remember their names—but I wish them well, I acknowledge their lives and deaths, I think of the people left behind who love them.

I think of other specific sites: two along the Richardson near Eilson airforce base; two on Chena Hot Springs Road near Fairbanks; two on Minnesota St. in Anchorage; one on Northern Lights Dr. near the Anchorage airport. The last one names "brother" and "daddy" as the person or persons killed there.

In passing these sites (to name just a few), I have not been distracted from driving. I see the markers as I see the landscape—but the image travels with me, makes me more human. My 17-year-old sister-in-law was killed by a drunk driver in Fairbanks. The family put up a memorial on the Old Steese Hwy for Heather Dowdy. People driving by regularly have stopped at a nearby turnout and told us how the site has impacted them. A grandmother told us how her very young grandson asked about Heather. Grandma explained what had happened, and the child refers to Heather by name. Another person told us that she used to drive after drinking: she no longer does, because this memorial made real to her what the consequences can be.

In Oregon last year, I saw the official road signs that marked traffic deaths, including drunk driving deaths. I like those signs also—I think we have a right to know, should know every spot where a drunk driver has killed or injured someone. I think we should have signs that say how many people have been killed on various sections of hwy by drunk drivers—just like we have a sign on the Glen saying how many moose have been killed there—good: but not as important as people. The official signs are about statistics and documentation and a condemnation of a system that does not adequately deal with drunk drivers in our state. I want those signs also.

But they do not replace the memorials—the signs that make us aware of and able to care about the people we have never met and who have died on the roads we drive every day.

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Sponsor Statement

HB 127 – Roadside Memorials

When a person dies on an Alaska road, family and friends often express their grief by placing items near where the tragedy occurred, in a kind of memorial to their loved one. Sometimes, even strangers are moved to add to the memorial when particularly touched by the loss.

These memorials serve two purposes. One, to allow the grieving to express their sorrow, and two, to remind those who travel, of the inherent dangers in driving Alaska's roads, particularly when excessive speed or alcohol contributed to the cause of the accident. Many Alaskans instinctively check their speed and take extra care in driving when passing one of these personal memorials.

Recently, the State of Alaska Department of Transportation informed the creators of such memorials that these encroachments to the right of way would no longer be tolerated. They warned that the department would remove them if they were not taken down by a date certain. This action is in response to a perceived threat to federal highway funding if the state allowed the memorials, as well as an interpretation of the state law that bans billboards.

The liberty to express our grief, the desire to memorialize a fallen officer, the wish to recognize a tragedy among our community, is a very personal freedom that must not be unnecessarily infringed by government.

HB 127 sets out to clarify that, while the state does not attempt to discourage the placing of such memorials, they will be reasonably regulated so as not to allow unsafe distractions and hazards in Alaska's right of ways.

23 USC §131 (The Highway Beautification Act)

The Highway Beautification Act was introduced in the 1960s to govern advertising outside the right-of-way of Interstates, primary Federal-aid highways, and the National Highway System. When it passed the Act, Congress found that advertising “should be controlled in order to protect the public investment in such highways, to promote the safety and recreational value of public travel, and to preserve natural beauty” (23 USC §131(a)). Congress has not repealed or changed this declaration in 37 years.

The FHWA bases its interpretation of advertising within the right-of-way in part on the Highway Beautification Act. The Act specifically regulates signing outside of the right-of-way, excluding on-premise signs. It does not address advertising within the right-of-way. The FHWA attributes this omission to the fact that right-of-way advertising did not exist in the 1960s and Congress did not foresee it becoming an issue in the future.

Beginning in 1968, states faced a 10 percent cut in Federal-aid highway funds if they did not make “provision for effective control of the erection and maintenance... of outdoor advertising signs, displays, and devices which are within 660 feet of the nearest edge of the right-of-way and visible from the main traveled way....” Beginning in 1975, the prohibition against outdoor advertising was extended beyond 660 feet for signs, displays, and devices located outside urban areas. Today, the FHWA has agreements in place with each state regarding the size, lighting, and spacing of advertising signs in commercial and industrial zones along highways.

Over three decades later, support for the Highway Beautification Act remains strong. Travelers have long voiced their opinion through surveys on the high value placed on the visual experience while driving, and are generally wary of “ad creep” on the nation’s highways. For example, recent statewide polls conducted in Missouri revealed that 60 percent of registered and likely voters favor a state law to prohibit new billboards. Sixty-nine percent prefer official state highway signs over commercial billboards; 81 percent agree that billboards should be restricted by size, location, and number; and 62 percent support a state law that would stop construction of new billboards or remove all billboards.²

Generally speaking, the public’s tolerance for roadside advertising – both inside and outside the right-of-way, depends on four factors: 1) sign frequency and spacing, 2) sign location relative to the roadway, 3) sign size and height, and 4) sign location relative to cultural, scenic, and historic features beyond the right-of-way, such as scenic vistas and historic areas.

² Scenic Missouri, “Summary of Polling Data on Registered Voter Attitudes About Billboards in Missouri,” October 2001. The polls cited were conducted in January 1997 and May 2000.

Sec. 19.25.075. Findings and intent of the people of the State of Alaska.

(a) The people of the State of Alaska find that the **presence of billboards** visible from Alaska's highways endanger Alaska's uniqueness and its scenic beauty.

(b) It is the intent of the people of the State of Alaska that **Alaska shall forever remain free of billboards.**

Sec. 19.25.080. Purpose.

The purposes of AS 19.25.080 - 19.25.180 are

(1) **to protect the public safety and the welfare** of persons using the highways of the state **by having outdoor advertising signs, displays, and devices along the highways controlled;**

(2) **to prevent unreasonable distraction** of operators of motor vehicles; to prevent confusion with regard to traffic lights, signs, or signals or other interference with the effectiveness of traffic regulations, and to promote the safety, convenience, and enjoyment of travel on, and protection of the public investment in, highways in this state; to preserve and enhance the natural scenic beauty or aesthetic features of the highways and adjacent areas; and to attract tourists;

(3) **to regulate outdoor advertising signs, displays, and devices** in areas adjacent to the rights-of-way of the interstate, primary, and secondary systems within this state in accordance with this chapter and the regulations adopted under this chapter;

(4) to provide that outdoor advertising signs, displays, and devices that are not in conformity with the requirements of this chapter are a public nuisance;

(5) to provide a statutory basis for regulation of outdoor advertising signs, displays, and devices consistent with the public policy declared by the Congress relating to areas within and adjacent to the right-of-way of a highway of the interstate, primary, or secondary systems.

Sec. 19.25.090. Outdoor advertising prohibited.

Except as provided in AS 19.25.105 , all outdoor advertising is prohibited.

Sec. 19.25.100. Rural signs. [Repealed, Sec. 14 ch 155 SLA 1970].

Repealed or Renumbered

Sec. 19.25.150. Unlawful advertising.

An advertising sign, display, or device that violates the provisions of AS 19.25.080 - 19.25.180 is a public nuisance. The department shall give 30 days' notice, by certified mail, to the owner of the land on which the advertising sign, display, or device is located, ordering its removal if it is prohibited by AS 19.25.080 - 19.25.180 or ordering the owner to cause it to conform to regulations if it is authorized by AS 19.25.080 - 19.25.180. If the owner of the property fails to comply within 30 days as required in the notice, the department shall remove the outdoor advertising sign, display, or device at the expense of the owner of the land or the person who erected it.

Sec. 19.25.160. Definitions..

In AS 19.25.080 - 19.25.180

(1) "billboards" means any signboards, signs, displays, notices or forms of outdoor advertising that do not strictly comply with the provisions of AS 19.25.075 - 19.25.180, or with any permit or permits issued pursuant to AS 19.25.075 - 19.25.180;

(2) "interstate system" means that portion of the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways located in this state, as officially designated, or as may hereafter be so designated, by the commissioner, and approved by the secretary of transportation (or by the secretary of commerce before the effective date of the transfer of functions under Public Law 89-670 (80 Stat. 931)), under the provisions of 23 U.S.C.;

(3) "outdoor advertising" includes any outdoor sign, display, or device used to advertise, attract attention or inform and which is visible to a person on the main-traveled way of a highway of the interstate, primary, or secondary systems in this state, whether by printing, writing, painting, picture, light, drawing, or whether by the use of figures or objects, or a combination of these, or any other thing designed, intended, or used to advertise, inform, or attract attention;

(4) "primary system" or "secondary system" means that portion of connected main highways, as officially designated, or as may hereafter be so designated, by the commissioner, and approved by the secretary of transportation (or by the secretary of commerce before the effective date of the transfer of functions under Public Law 89-670 (80 Stat. 931)), under the provisions of 23 U.S.C.

Sec. 19.25.200. Encroachment permits.

(a) An encroachment may be constructed, placed, changed, or maintained across or along a highway, but only in accordance with regulations adopted by the department. An encroachment may not be constructed, placed, maintained, or changed until it is authorized by a written permit issued by the department, unless the department provides otherwise by regulation. The department may charge a fee for a permit issued under this section.

(b) The provisions under (a) of this section do not apply to a mailbox or a newspaper box attached to a mailbox.

Sec. 19.25.210. Relocation or removal of encroachment.

If, incidental to the construction or maintenance of a state highway, the department determines and orders that an encroachment previously authorized by written permit must be changed, relocated, or removed, the owner of the encroachment shall change, relocate, or remove it at no expense to the state, except as provided in AS 19.25.020 , within a reasonable time set by the department. If the owner does not change, relocate, or remove an encroachment within the time set by the department, the encroachment shall be considered an unauthorized encroachment and subject to the provisions of AS 19.25.220 - 19.25.250.

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ATTACHMENT

September 21, 2001

RE: DOT's decision to remove roadside memorials

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Governor Tony Knowles
PO Box 110001
Juneau, AK 99811-0001

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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Dear Governor Knowles:

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In driving to town today, I saw dozens of American flags planted along side our highways and also at individuals drives. Be it as a nation suffering from a national tragedy, or as individuals suffering from a personal tragedy, we should be allowed to express our sorrow by placing the American flag on our roadways, as many thousands of individuals have done across the country. In light of this, how can flowers, wreaths, and crosses placed on our nation's highways to memorialize the death of a loved one be any different. Surely you will not be telling the American public to take down our flag because it is distracting to drivers. Then the same must be held true for the personalized, roadside memorials that have been a tradition in our great country for as long as I can remember.

In collecting these signatures, many people shared that instead of these memorials being a distraction, they were a signal that they should be more alert, slow down, and take care as someone before them had lost their life at that spot.

I ask that you use the power of your position to allow these memorials to stay.

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Name	Address	Volter	Tax Payer	Date
Buckara A. Dewey	Fairbanks, AK 99712 1051 Eastwood Ln.	X	X	8-29-01
Ann D. Roberts	2821 Totem Dr. Fairbanks, AK 99707	X	X	8/31-01
Bonnie Butcher	2738 Beverly Lane, Fairbanks, AK 99709	X	X	8-30-01
Mary Lou Weese	P.O. Box 10042, FAIRBANKS AK 99710			9/14/01
Phyllis	1245 B Rangeview Dr. North Pole 99705	X	X	
Bertha Becker	P.O. Box 10086 Fairbanks, AK 99710			
[Signature]	P.O. Box 58561 FAIRBANKS AK 99711			
Kene Wood	P.O. Box 10455 FAIRBANKS AK 99710	X	X	9-8-01
Nancy Wood	893 Spelwood Rd Fairbanks AK 99712			
Fate ER	4207 60th St #3 FT Wainwright, Alaska 99703	X	X	9-9-01
Elizabeth Hampton	1140 Georgian Way Apt #1 Fairbanks Alaska 99711 Student 9/10/01			
Subrah Johnson	2816 Mayfield Court Apt #2 Fairbanks Student 9/10/01			
Wesley Janssen	174 Crest Dr. 1 hr, AK 99712	X	X	9-15-01

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Steve Subert	P.O. Box 12313 Fairbanks, AK	99710/8-23-01	X	X
Dennie Stockton	11626 Palomino Dr. N.P. AK.	99705	X	X
Grosgiana W Brennen	1314 Viewpointe Dr Fairbanks, Ak	99708	X	X
Joseph M. Cairor	33 ANNA ST. FAIRBANKS, AK.		X	X
Randolph Whiteley	Box 60955 S-PRK AK		X	X
Janet Towler	H33 Breckenridge Flks.	99701	X	X
Jana Jensen	2770 Bear Ave. N.P. AK	8-25-01	X	X
Maria E. Gowry	1050 Duile Dr. N.P. ALASKA		X	Voter
Meredith L. Lyster	1106 Joyce Dr. Fbks, AK.	99701		
Sarahy Glass	P.O. Box 83036 Fbks, AK	99708	X	8-27-01
Jane Arnold	1014 22nd Ave., Fbks	99701	X	8-27-01
Julia B...	1810 Central Ave Fbks	99709	X	8-27-01
Patricia Hill	PO Box 84103 Fbks	99708	X	8-27-01 TP

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Albert Breenha	1062 Eastwood Ln	X	X	8/26/01
Mubriels Burnham	1062 Eastwood Ln Fbx		X	8/26/01
Fisley Culhart	558 Falcon View St Fbx	X	X	8/26/01
Anne Aleshire	4824 Chena Hot Spring Rd	X	X	8/26/01
Ben Hammond	109 E Birch Hill Rd	X	X	8/26/01
Debra Moses	200 C St. # A Fbks	X	X	8/26/01
Mary Schwetz	#717 Bentley Dr U Fbks	X	X	8-26-01
PH Cobden	1266 GARDENVIEW Fbx	X	X	8/26/01
Laura Cohen	" " "	"	"	8/26/01
Thomas Smith	P.O. Box 10255 Fbks AK	X	X	8/26/01
John Watson	512 Pansarum	X	X	8/26/01
James Wiley	P.O. Box 73535 Fbks AK			8/26/01
Debra Kay	P.O. Box 73535 Fbks	X	X	8-26-01

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D. Janni	936 NORTHERN LIGHTS DR FBKS 99712	(X)	(X)	8-26-01
Wendy Campbell	PO Box 73622 FBKS AK 99707			8/26/01
Jackie Debever	3662 Handluck Dr FBKS 99709	X	X	8/26/01
Ray Corral	PO Box 210, S.E.T. 99725	X		8/26/01
Frederick E. Worth Jr	638 Steele Creek Rd Fairbanks 99712	X	X	8/26/01
RANDALL E. TOBEY	14401st. View Dr. FBKS 99707	X	X	8-26-01
Charles D. [unclear]	PO Box 35050 Fairbanks 99707	X	X	8-26-01
William [unclear]	PO Box 70905 Fairbanks 99707	X	X	8-26-01
[unclear]	1932 W. Farrell AK 99929	X	X	8-26-01
Ms. Julia S. Tolvi	1110 Skyline Dr. FBKS, AK 99712			
MaryAnn Fathauer	Fairbanks, AK 99708			
Karen Cath-Trochim	913 Side Way Fbks AK 99702	X	X	8-28-01
Danny A. Lewis Sr.	419 Leann Drive Fbks AK 99707			8/29/01

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MARY K. ARNDT Mary K. Arndt	PO BOX 57159, N. HTL. POL. AK 99704	X	X	8/26/01
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Peggy Sheek of	PO Box 71310, FBKs, AK 99707	X	Y	8/26/01
Shirley R. Arndt	PO Box 10721 FBKs, AK 99710	X	X	8/26/01
W. R. Arndt	PO Box 10505 FBKs AK 99710	X	X	8/26/01
Thomas A. Arndt	1132 Eastward Ln. FBKs AK 99712	X	X	8/26/01
Lena Johnson	1195 Lowellite Dr. FBKs AK 99712	X	X	8-26-01
Risali Stoddard	127 Concord Av. FBKs 99712	X	X	8/26/01
Betty J. Johnson	281 Hill Claim Ave. FBKs. 99712	X	X	8-26-01
(Arthur) Teber	144 Mt VW Dr. 99707			8-26-01
Sally R. Arndt	875 Gold Par Rd. ⁹⁹⁷¹²	X	X	8/28/01
Bonnie Roberts	916 Senate Loop	X	X	8/29/01
Sharon P. Lovell	583 Bullion Dr FBK AK 99712	X	X	8/29/01

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Lynn Johnson	1018 Joyce Dr. FBKS AK	X	X	8-27-01
Diane Hansen	1067 Daisy Dr FBKS AK 99712	X	X	8-27-01
Mary Ann Adams	423 Farewell Ave FBKS AK 99701	X	X	8/27/01
Barbara Burch	891 Goldmine Tr.	X	X	8/27/01
Charles Wacker	1106 Joyce Dr Fairbanks AK	X	X	8/27/01
Charles Zupin	2271 Dawson Rd N. Pole 99705	X	X	8-30-01
Diana Zupin	2271 Dawson Rd N. Pole 99705	X	X	8-30-01
Allen L. Stevens	110 Amazon Ln Fairbanks, AK 99712	X	X	8-30-01
Laura Jolly Knapman	1280 Gilmore Tr FBK 99712	X	X	8-30-01
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W. C. Roberts	2921 Totem Dr. Fairbanks AK	X	X	8/30/01

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Patty White	727 Ebershandt rd	X	X	8/29/01
Bob Marok	735 Habbit Hill, Fbks. 99712	X	X	8/29/01
Carol Parker	1149 Southwood Ln. Fbks.	X	X	8-29-01
Frank Nye	524 3RD AVE FARR			8-29-01
Wes Parker	1049 Southwood LA Fbks, AK 99712	X	X	8/31/01
Theron Sulluck	3070 Dennis Rd ⁰⁴⁴ Fbks AK 99709	X	X	8/31/01
James Holzer	159 Wecorick Fbks AK 99712	X	X	8/31/01
John A. Stewart	956 High Grade Fbks AK 99712	X	X	8-31-01
Holly Stahl	4041 Mallard Way Fbks AK 99719	X	X	8-31-01
Pat Mack	307 Gold Colson Fairbanks AK 99712			8-31-01
Jacqueline Proffice	PO Box 10509 Fbks AK 99710			8-31-01
Denise S. Reed	291 Ester, AK 99725			8-31-01
Bob Hall	960 million Hillcrest Fairbanks, AK			8-31-01

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Spencer	107 ... (A)	X	X	8-31-01
Tracy ...	1087X ... FBKS AK 99708	X	X	8-31-01
Ginger E. Meta	POB 456, Ester, AK	X	X	8-31-01
Grant A. ...	POB 10430 Fairbanks 99700	X		8-31-01
Julian Bevins	P.O. Box 80407 FBKS 99708	X	X	8/31/01
Rainie ...	POB 75151 FBKS 99707	X	X	9/2/01
Ken ...	1544 Holy Cross FBKS 99707	X	X	9/2/01
DAVID L. BARNES	POB 84256 FBKS 99708	X	X	9/2/01
Cyndi Barnes	P.O. Box 84256 FBK 99708	X	X	9-2-01
Nancy Gibson	1351 Little Fox Trl FBKS 99712	X	X	9-2-01
Donald C. Moore	1434 Michael Lane N. Pole 99705	X	X	9/2/01
Charles F. ...	1062 Steele Cir Road 99712	X	X	9-3-01
Paula ...	1089 Violet Dr 99717	X	X	9-3-01

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Karen Bush	1215 Dolly Varden Fairbanks	X	X	9/6/01
Lisa Bondy	4440 Condon Cir Fairbanks AK 99712	X	X	9-6-01
Charlotta Bostrom	PO Box 75 Estes AK	X	X	9-7-01
Lee Cole	420 Eureka Fairbanks AK	X	X	9/7/01
Eric Brown	5579 KOALA WAY FAIRBANKS AK	X	X	9/9/01
Lyndee Burt	203 Water Drive Fairbanks AK	X	X	9/10
John Bent	203 State Drive Fairbanks, AK	X	X	9/18/01
Karen Jorgensen	900 Smythe Fairbanks AK	X	X	9/12/01
Lara Bos	1618 Army Rd Fairbanks	X	X	9/15/01
Forest Selzer	Box 1010 Delta AK	X	X	9/15/01
David Buckell	PO Box 81672 Fairbanks AK	X	X	9/15/01
Chadwick Adams	1142 Propwash Fairbanks	X	X	9/15/01

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Margaret Johnson	BOX 81013 FBKS AK 99708	X	X	9-15-01
Melvin Hennrich	Box 82382 " " " " " "	X	X	9-15-01
Yvonne Taylor	PO Box 81587 " " 99708	X	X	9-15-01
Vasyl Kozak	P.O. Box 83887 Fairbanks, 99708	X	X	9-15-01
Nancy Kourmal	PO Box 82779 FBKS 99708	X	X	9/15/01
Zina Kourmal	PO Box 82779 FBKS 99708			student 9/15/01
Dale A. Welby	11049 TAMARACK ST FBKS AK 99709	X		9-15-01
Kyle Welby	" " " " " "			9-15-01
Stacy M. Bertines	1170 Sunflower Ln 99709	X	X	9-15-01
Dale D...	WFA Travers Cir. Mishawaka, IN 46595			9/15/01
Howard M...	109 New Rd, houses DE, 19958			9/15/01
Pauline M...	129 New Rd houses DE, 19958			9/15/01
Eric...	3850 Birch Ln Fairbanks AK 99709			9/15/01

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Mari Jorgenson	1263 Nordin Rd Fbks	X	X	8/28/01
Aimee L. Clausen Gossett	3520 Steese Hwy, 99712	X	X	8/28/01
Marilyn Russell	221 Well St 99701	X	X	8-29-01
Barb Purcell	284 Cindy Dr. Fairbanks AK	X	X	9/18/01
Cheli Guzman	P.O. Box 10313 FBKS 99720	X	X	9/18/01
Anthony H Miller	P.O. Box 71503 FBKS AK 99707	X	X	9/18/01
Beatrice P. Miller	686 Steele Creek Rd FBKS AK 99712	X	X	9/18/01
Dorinda Henry	1612 - 17th Upper Fairbanks AK 99707	X	X	
Theresa D. Dantz	966 Castwood Lane Fairbank, Al. 99712	X	X	
Kesl Matson	999 EASTWOOD LN FBK, AK 99712	X	X	
Lisa Matson	999 Eastwood Ln FBK, AK 99712	X	X	
Reid Lyth	996 Eastwood Ln FBK, AK 99712	X	X	

To Rick K.

Petitions from

Barbara Dowdy

Fairbanks - Alaska

907-457-8880

Thank you.

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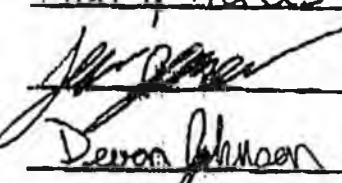
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Anders Gillis	1403 Elliot Tr. 99709			10/30/01
Garrett Armstrong	3273 Rosie Creek Rd. 99709			
Angela Churchwell	4870 Palo Verde Avenue 99709			10/30/01
FLOW JAMES	3900 Mitchell Ave 99709			10/30/01
Ryan Daffy	2717 Fall Spruce			10/30/01
Wanda Aske	1405 Michaela Ct 99709			10/30/01
Katherine Pedgley	64 Steadfast Rd 99709			10/30/01
Untsey Kline	5150 Milkoot Dr. 99709			10/30/01
Mary Haas	3760 Rosie Creek Rd			10/30/01
	656 Fairbanks St A-3			10/30/01
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Rachelle Dowdy	PO BOX 478 99725	X	X	10.15.01
Meryl Reily	P.O. Box 22, Ester AK 99725		X	10/15/01
Ann Turner	3820 Ullrich Rd. 94707	X		11/1/01
Sandra Keith	PO Box 478 Ester, AK 99725	X	X	10/15/01
Nancy Bunkam	PO Box 330 Ester AK 99725	X	X	10/15/01
Mary Lonnahme	1210 Dolly Varden Dr Fairbanks AK 99709	X	X	10/17/01
Jane Grand	950 Cooper Ave. #23 Fairbanks AK 99701	X	X	11/23/01
Jack Myers	1627 27th Ave FBKS 99701	X	X	10-24-01
Aaron Malzahn	1326 Gray Fox Ct FBKS, 99712	X	X	10-24-01
Theresa Ely	1113 EASTWOOD LN 99712	X	X	10-26-01
Jean A. Wough	PO Box 55053, North Pole, AK	X	X	10-11-01
John W. Wilson	3210 parks Hy #2 Fairbanks Ak			10-20-01
Christopher R. Blackburn	1761 Dulcinea Dr. Fairbanks - AK			10-20-01

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<u>Isakson, Jason</u>	<u>P.O. Box 84575 Fairbanks 99708</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>9/22/01</u>
<u>Ducky Walker</u>	<u>P.O. 58760 Fbks, AK 99701</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>9/24/01</u>
<u>W. E. Taylor</u>	<u>P.O. Box 89595 Fairbanks AK 99701</u>			<u>10/30/01</u>
<u>Brandon Barnes</u>	<u>1327 Garay St. Fairbanks, AK 99709</u>			<u>10/30/01</u>
<u>John Baker</u>	<u>P.O. Box 80123 Fbks, AK 99708</u>			<u>10/30/01</u>
<u>Barbara N. Pass</u>	<u>1150 Powell Dr. Fairbanks, AK 99712</u>			<u>10-30-01</u>
<u>Ryan Campbell</u>	<u>P.O. Box 82422 Fairbanks, AK 99708</u>			<u>10-30-01</u>
<u>Ashley McPherson</u>	<u>2210 Jack St F B K S , AK 99709</u>			<u>10-30-01</u>
<u>Kari Martin</u>	<u>P.O. Box 195 Ester, AK 99725</u>			<u>10-30-01</u>
<u>Chelene Hata</u>	<u>706 Dalton Tr. Fairbanks AK 99709</u>			<u>10-30-01</u>
<u>Sean Holden</u>	<u>P.O. Box 81201 Fbks AK 99708</u>			<u>10-30-01</u>
<u>Robert J. Taylor</u>	<u>P.O. Box 194 Ester AK 99725</u>			<u>10-30-01</u>
<u>M. D. R.</u>	<u>485 Marshall Dr. Fairbanks AK 99701</u>			<u>10/30/01</u>

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Jens Saakvitne 6760 Crooked Tree Circ Anch. 99507 ✓ ✓ 10/12/01

Sharon STASSNY 755 E. 110th Ave. 99516 ✓ ✓ 10/12/01

Kitty Mirer PO Box 111326 ALAK 99511 ✓ ✓ 10/12/01

Christine White 4607 E 7th Ave Anch AK 99508 ✓ ✓ 10-12-01

Marilyn Dumond 3116 Donnington Dr Anchorage, AK 99504 ✓ ✓ 10-12-01

Karen Purgand P.O. Box 234233 Anchorage, AK 99503 ✓ 10-12-01

Nancy Davis 6820 Round Tree Dr. Anch. AK 99507 ✓ ✓ 10/12/01

Monica Upton 19033 Whirlaway Eagleliner AK 99577 ✓ ✓ 10/12/01

Bruce Zelnick 10739 Stewart River Eagle River AK 99577 ✓ 10/12/01

Katrina White 829 W 72nd Anch., AK 99518 ✓ ✓ 10/12/01

Krishna Jenson P.O. Box 58961 North Pole AK 99705 ✓ ✓ 10/12/01

DIANA WOODLOCK 237 ELLINGSON ST FORT ALAK 99701 ✓ ✓ 10/12/01

Celia E. Bates PO Box 84461 1200 Dolly Varden FORTS, AK 99708 ✓ ✓ 10/12/01

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David Spungala David Szumigala	211 Hawk Rd, Fairbanks, AK 99712	x	✓	10/1/01
Betty Klayes Patty Hbyas	971 Gold Mine Tr. Fbks 99712	X	X	10/28/01
Alan M. Ambruster	1637 Willow St Fairbanks 99709	X	X	10/15/01
Jane Wheeler	Box 70171 - FBKS 99707	X	✓	10/28/01
Sarah C. Hanson	PO Box 10944 FBKS AK 99710	x	x	10/28/01
Leanne Johnson	2006 Southern Avenue Fbks 99709	x	x	10/28/01
Wynola Passenti	1399 Dolly Varden Ln. - Fbks 99709	x	x	10/28/01
Barbara McKindy	P.O. Box 58700 FBKS 99711	x	x	10/28/01
Oliver Montminy	P.O. Box 55514 North Pole 99705	x	x	11/25/01
Micheline Ellis	94 Garswold Avenue #12	X		10/28/01
Sarah Atkins	201 Kody Dr. Fbks, AK			10/28/01

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Ray MAUPIN	961 GOLDMINE TRAIL FAIRBANKS, 99712	✓	✓	7-1-01
RAMONA BERRY	957 VAIL VIEW DR. FAIRBANKS AK	99712		9-1-01
Pam Harrison	957 Vail View Dr. FBKS, AK	99712		9-2-01
Noel Robinson	1241 Joyce Dr. FBKS 99701	X	X	9-16-01
Lou Kersey	P.O. Box 10680 Fairbanks AK 99710	X	X	10-1-01
Wendy (Patricia)	1067 W. Chena River Dr.	X	X	10-6-01
Rachelle Schruf	706 Hillcrest Dr., Fairbanks 99712	X	X	10/12/01
Monica Reed	516 Juneau Ave. Fairbanks 99701	X	X	10-13-01
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Barbara Schruf	706 Hillcrest Dr. Fairbanks 99712	X	X	10-15-01
Aileen Cole	827 Goldmine Tr. Fairbanks	X	X	10-17-01
Brienna Marcik	735 Hobbit Hill Dr. Fairbanks	X	X	11-1-01
Rebecca Koop	196 Kodu Dr. Fairbanks	X	X	10-21-01
Cassandra White	469 Snowy Owl Ln Fairbanks	X	X	10-31-01

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Kim Verabee	1990 Weston Dr. Fbks	X	X	10/25/01
MARCIA MARTIN	4463 Dartmouth Rd. 99709	X	X	10-26-01
Jana Hyatt	375 Hagelbarger Ave ⁹⁹⁷¹²	X	X	10/26/01
Linda L. Pearson	3252 Helen Pl. Fbx 99723	X	X	10/26/01
Peter J. Juncos	PO Box 84262 Fbks, AK 99708	X	X	10/26/01
Tommy Strang	PO Box 55582 North Pole, AK	X	X	10/27/01
Wayne Smith	PO Box 10101 Fbks AK	X	X	10/29/01
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Petition Roadside Memorials (2001)

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These memorials are a tribute to the people in our community who lost their lives at those particular spots. Many of these deaths have been to drunken drivers. These memorials are one of the few deterrents the community has to drinking and driving, because they serve as a constant reminder of what can happen when one chooses to drink and drive.

The State of Alaska has decided that a generic sign would not be a distraction the way a more personalized cross or wreath is and the State would only charge the grieving families \$500.00 to leave the sign in place 2 years. This is unsatisfactory! People need to be allowed the personal freedom of decorating this hallowed ground to suit their own religious freedoms (cross, flowers, statue, etc.).

We therefore request that the State of Alaska, Governor's Office, and Dept. of Transportation all agree that the roadside memorials can remain.

Name	Address	Voter	Tax Payer	Date
Michael Jackson	P.O. box 81393	X	X	10/30/01
Riley Z. Witte	P.O. Box 60393	X	X	10/25/01
Kim Akhio	480 Halverson Rd, FBKS, AK 99701	X	X	11/1/01
Kim Pagan	605 Cranberry Rd. Dr. FBKS AK 99712	X	X	10/20/01
Linnea Johansen	1887 Arctic Loop Circle, FBKS AK 99709	X	X	10/20/01
Hein Grubb	670 Finsbury Ct. FBKS AK 99701	X	X	1/1/01
Micha Claypole	Box 60223	X	X	10/30/01
Shawn Brown	Hilton Ave. 1475 apt. 1 P.O. Box 83167	X	X	10/30/01
Dean Wheeler	1301 Benbridge Blvd. Fairbanks, AK	X	X	10/2/01
Alex Mohrmann	870 Chena Ridge Rd. Fairbanks AK	X	X	10/30/01

CC: All Comm. & Dir. of Transportation, Comm. Trans. & Infrastructure, Subcomm. Ground Transportation, Rep. Don Young, Gov. Tony Knowles, Lt. Gov. Fran Ulmer, Sen. Gene Theriault, and Rep. Hugh Tate

Jay Sims - Wims 10/30/01

Jakob Johnson 1412 McFarland St. 10-30-01

Russell Peterer 4320 Peartree loop 10-30-01

Dominik Healey 1245 Sutton loop 10-30-01

Thomas Wilson 3210 Parkes HY Apt. 2 10-30-01

Emily [unclear] 1110 Red Ridge Rd. 10-30-01

Wyatt Wilson 9966 Guinevere Place 10-30-01

Kristin Johnson - 4c Steelhead - 10-30-01

MEMORANDUM**State of Alaska**Department of Transportation & Public Facilities
Office of the Commissioner

TO: Distribution

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Stwd. Design & Eng. Svcs
Director's OfficeFROM:  Joseph L. Perkins, P.E.
Commissioner

SUBJECT: FHWA Oversight Agreement

The Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21) has changed the provisions of the United States Code that address the stewardship of Federal-aid highway projects. TEA-21 eliminated Section 117 of Title 23, Certification Acceptance, by replacing it in entirety with another subject. Section 1305 of the TEA-21 amends Section 106 of Title 23, Project Approval and Oversight, to include revised provisions for oversight of Federal-aid highway projects. The amended Section 106 requires that the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the State enter into a new agreement relating to the extent to which the State will assume the responsibilities of the FHWA. The agreement applies to the oversight of projects during design and construction. I have attached for your information and use a fully executed copy of this new agreement, the "Federal-aid Project Oversight Responsibility Agreement."

The Design and Construction Standards staff working under my guidance negotiated this agreement. The agreement goes beyond Certification Acceptance in establishing the Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities as the responsible party for the stewardship of Federal-aid highway projects. With only a few exceptions, the Department has agreed to be responsible for the stewardship of projects to the fullest extent allowable under the U.S. Code.

The agreement included a requirement that the Department develop procedures to implement the responsibilities of the agreement. Those policies, procedures and manuals are initially the same as under Certification Acceptance, and will continue to be developed by the D&C Standards section. The exception is the financial provisions that are developed by the Statewide Planning and Administrative Services Divisions. The attached matrix of responsibilities may be amended as needed and agreed to by FHWA.

Please distribute this agreement to your staff and ensure that they follow the provisions of the agreement and the accompanying supporting documents.

Attachment

cc: Div MARS
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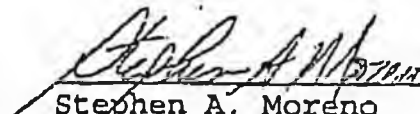
cc: Stephen A. Moreno, Alaska Division Administrator, FHWA

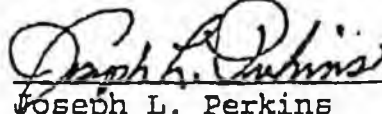
FEDERAL-AID PROJECT OVERSIGHT RESPONSIBILITY AGREEMENT
BETWEEN THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION (FHWA) AND
THE ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND
PUBLIC FACILITIES (ADOT&PF)

Section 106 of Title 23, United States Code was amended by the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21), Section 1305, Project Approval and Oversight. Amended Section 106 requires that the FHWA and the State shall enter into an agreement documenting those projects for which the State will assume the responsibilities of the FHWA. This agreement, will replace Certification Acceptance and Exempt project procedures which were eliminated by the enactment of TEA-21.

For all projects that are eligible for Federal-aid, including projects on the National Highway System and projects not on the National Highway System, the ADOT&PF will assume the responsibilities of the FHWA under Title 23 for design, plans, specifications, estimates, right-of-way certification statements (part of PS&E), contract awards, and inspections/final acceptance of projects. This responsibility does not extend to other Federal actions required outside of Title 23 (for example NEPA). Further, the general requirements of Title 23, such as metropolitan and statewide planning, procurement of services or contracts, disadvantaged business enterprises, wage rates, etc., continue to apply to projects where the ADOT&PF has assumed the responsibilities noted.

The ADOT&PF shall develop procedures to implement responsibilities under this agreement. This agreement is effective from the date of signature and may be modified, if agreed to by both parties, as the need arises.


Date 8/22/99
Stephen A. Moreno
FHWA
Division Administrator


Date 8/24/99
Joseph L. Perkins
ADOT&PF
Commissioner

FHWA - State of Alaska DOT&PF Project Oversight Agreement

Category	Activity/Item	NHS Projects		Non-NHS Projects	
		ADOT&PF Action	FHWA Action	AKDOT&PF Action	FHWA Action
Safety	Proposed HSIP Project List	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	HSIP Annual Report	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Annual Work Zone Traffic Control Report	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Annual Work Zone Accident Report	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Alaska Traffic Manual Supplement and updates	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Alaska Sign Design Specifications and updates	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	ITS projects (regional architecture compatibility)	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
Finance	Financial Submittals (PR 37)	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Financial Procedures	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	State Infrastructure Bank Reports	Prepare	Information	Prepare	
	ATP	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
Data	Bid Price Data form FHWA A-45, NHS Projects > \$500,000	Prepare	Information		
Environment	Programmatic Categorical Exclusion	Prepare, Approve	Concur	Prepare, Approve	Concur
	Documented Categorical Exclusion	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Environmental Assessment	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Finding of no Significant Impact (FONSI)	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Environmental Impact Statement	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Record of Decision	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Reassessment of Previous Determination	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
Environmental Procedures Manual and updates	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve	
Right of Way	Non Highway use of R-O-W/Leases	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Disposal of R-O-W	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	Information
	Disposal of access control	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Hardship and Protective Buying	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	R-O-W Manual and Updates	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Use of Right of Entry to obtain possession	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	Information
	Annual R-O-W Acquisition and Relocation Statistics Report	Prepare	Information	Prepare	Information
	R-O-W Plans	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	Information
	R-O-W Certification	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	Information
Use of fee negotiators/fee attorneys	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve		

Category	Activity/Item	NHS Projects		Non-NHS Projects	
		AKDOT&PF Action	FHWA Action	AKDOT&PF Action	FHWA Action
Design	New/revised standard drawings/specifications	Prepare	Approve	Prepare, Approve	Information
	SEP 14 Experimental Features work plan	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Waiver of Buy America Steel	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Preconstruction Manual and updates	Prepare	Approve	Prepare, Approve	Information
	Design Project Status Report	Prepare	Information	Prepare	Information
	Draft Design Study Report	Prepare		Prepare	
	Design Study Report	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	
	Design Exceptions	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	
	Hydraulics Manual and updates	Prepare	Approve	Prepare, Approve	Information
	Bid Tabs	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	
	Public Interest Finding	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	
	PS&E Review Assembly	Prepare		Prepare	
	Authority to Advertise memorandum	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Professional Services Agreement	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Geotechnical Manual and updates	Prepare	Approve	Prepare, Approve	Information
	Geotechnical Reports	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Local review plans	Prepare		Prepare	
	"Plans-In-Hand" review plans	Prepare		Prepare	
	Utility Agreements	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Addendum to Contract Documents	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Utility Certification	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Professional Services Agreement Procedures and updates	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	Information
	Design/Build projects	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
Toll Facilities/agreements	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve	
Major Structures and Tunnels	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	Information	
Life Cycle Cost Analysis and Value Engineering	Prepare	Information	Prepare		
Reimbursement for State Furnished Materials	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve	
Utilities Manual and updates	Prepare	Approve	Prepare, Approve	Information	
Construction	Confirmed Contract and FHWA certifications checklist	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	Information
	Request for concurrence in contract award	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Supplemental Agreements	Prepare	Approve	Prepare	Approve
	Form FHWA 1446C	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	Information
	Construction Manual and updates	Prepare	Approve	Prepare, Approve	Information
	Construction Project Status Reports	Prepare	Information	Prepare	Information
	Statement of Materials and Labor, form FHWA-47, NHS > \$1,000,000	Prepare	Information		

Category	Activity/Item	NHS Projects		Non-NHS Projects	
		AKDOT&PF Action	FHWA Action	AKDOT&PF Action	FHWA Action
	Final Estimate Assembly, project history (full package)	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	
	Internal memorandum (AKDOT&PF)	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Directive	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Biweekly Report	Prepare		Prepare	
	Project Construction Report	Prepare	Information	Prepare	
	Progress Estimate	Prepare		Prepare	
	Letter of Intent to Award	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Letter of Award	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	
	Designation Letters	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Subcontract Approvals	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Change Orders	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Interim Work Authorizations	Prepare, Approve		Prepare, Approve	
	Letter of Project Completion	Prepare, Approve	Information	Prepare, Approve	Information
	Materials Certification for NHS projects	Prepare, Approve	Information		
	Alaska Test Methods and updates	Prepare	Approve	Prepare, Approve	Information

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2003 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Fiscal Note Number: _____
 Bill Version: HB127
 () Publish Date: _____

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: DOT&PF
 Title An Act allowing certain roadside memorials to BRU Design and Engineering Services
be placed in the right-of-way of a state highway Component Norther Region D&ES
 Sponsor Whitaker
 Requester HTRA Component No. 2299

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
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	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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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)

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 (FY2003) cost: 0.0
 Mark this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2004 budget proposal:

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

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