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Introduced: 2/2/73
Referred: Finance and
Rules

1 IN THE SENATE

BY RADER

2 SENATE BILL NO. 109

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

EIGHTH Legislature FIRST Session

SENATE BILL..... NO. 109...

By ..RADER.....

"An Act repealing legislative per diem; fixing legislative compensation; and providing for an effective date."

(repealing legislative per diem)

Introduced in the Senate ..2/2.., 19 73

HISTORY IN THE SENATE

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Finance and Rules

Reported back with recommendation that

Read second time and

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PASS : Yeas
Nays
Absent
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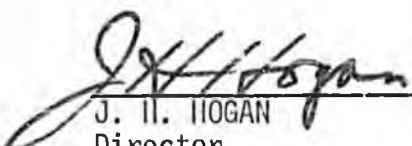
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23 FISCAL NOTE: Assumes 100 day legislative session at \$35 per day
24 (\$3,500) added to current salary. The longer the legislative session,
25 the less each legislator makes; and vice versa.

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28 J. H. HOGAN
Director
Legislative Finance Division

Committee Report

Ref: Rules

S E N A T E

2/2/73

_____ Date

Mr. President:

The Committee on FINANCE has had SB 109
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(repealing legislative per diem)

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"An Act making a special appropriation as a loan to the 1972 Flood Control and Small Boat Harbor Projects Fund; and providing for an effective date."

COMMITTEE REPORT

2-27-73

HOUSE

Mr. Speaker:

Date 3/6/73

The Committee on FINANCE has had SB 111am

under consideration. A Majority of the members of the Committee

recommends it DO PASS

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recommends it BE REPLACED WITH CS FOR _____ AND THAT
CS FOR _____ DO PASS

"and" recommends it BE REFERRED TO THE _____
COMMITTEE

reports it back WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

"other"

Members signing the Majority report:

<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	_____
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	_____
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Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

_____ recommends:

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_____ recommends:

[Signature] Chairman

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SB 278

Capital improvements to Public Works for flood control and small boat harbor projects.* "The specific uses of the proceeds of these bonds shall be determined by the governor and apportioned to, but not limited to the following projects and estimates:

\$20,000,000

- (1) \$10,000,000 - flood control projects
 (2) \$10,000,000 - small boat harbor projects, as follows:
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|----------------------------|--|
| (A) \$300,000 - King Cove | (I) \$400,000 - Unalaska |
| (B) \$850,000 - Sand Point | (J) \$500,000 - Bethel |
| (C) \$850,000 - Hoonah | (K) \$3,600,000 - other harbor projects under investigation by the Corps of Engineers, including but not limited to Ketchikan, Anchorage, Kenai, St. Paul and Port Lions." |
| (D) \$300,000 - Kake | |
| (E) \$700,000 - Wrangell | |
| (F) \$700,000 - Metlakatla | |
| (G) \$800,000 - Haines | |
| (H) \$1,000,000 - Kodiak | |

* The \$10,000,000 flood control appropriation is primarily for Fairbanks. The small boat harbor projects, according to the fiscal note, are to be funded:

Project	Federal Cost	State Cost (G.O. Bonds)	Local Cost
King Cove Small Boat Harbor	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 300,000	\$ 5,000
Sand Point Small Boat Harbor	2,400,000	850,000	8,000
Hoonah Small Boat Harbor	2,600,000	650,000	7,500
Kake Small Boat Harbor	2,200,000	300,000	6,000
Wrangell Small Boat Harbor	1,000,000	700,000	5,000
Metlakatla Small Boat Harbor	2,000,000	700,000	5,000
Haines Small Boat Harbor	1,000,000	800,000	5,000
Kodiak Small Boat Harbor	6,000,000	1,000,000	7,000
Unalaska Dock	600,000	400,000	2,500
Bethel Dock	1,300,000	500,000	200,000
Ketchikan Small Boat Harbor	1,000,000	900,000	7,000
Anchorage Small Boat Harbor	1,000,000	900,000	135,000
Kenai Small Boat Harbor	1,500,000	800,000	10,000
St. Paul Small Boat Harbor	1,000,000	500,000	3,500
Port Lions Small Boat Harbor	250,000	500,000	3,000
	<u>\$24,850,000</u>	<u>\$10,000,000</u>	<u>\$409,500</u>

STATE OF ALASKA

WILLIAM A. EGAN, GOVERNOR

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

POUCH K — STATE CAPITOL
JUNEAU 99801

February 7, 1973

Mr. Jay Hogan, Fiscal Analyst
Division of Legislative Finance
Alaska State Legislature
Juneau, Alaska

Re: S.B. 111

Dear Mr. Hogan:

I am writing in response to your request for additional information expanding on the remarks of the Governor in his cover letter to the Legislature in connection with S.B. 111.

Independent bond counsel retained by the State Bond Committee has indicated that a legal question exists regarding the validity of Ch. 201, SLA 1972 (S.B. 278). Under §13, Art. II, Alaska Constitution, S.B. 278 is required to be confined to one subject. Chapter 201 provides for the issuance of general obligation bonds for capital improvements for flood control and for small boat harbor projects. The "dual proposition" issue is a matter that has been contested in a number of other states but upon which there is no ruling case law in Alaska.

Because a substantial question is involved, bond counsel for the State Bond Committee cannot approve the bonds for sale without test litigation in our courts. Other bond counsel share this view. A favorable decision by the Alaska Supreme Court approving the constitutionality of Ch. 201 would make sale of the bonds possible.

Bond counsel for the State Bond Committee has also indicated to the Attorney General's office that repayment of the special appropriation of \$9.8 million for a loan to the 1972 Flood Control and Small Boat Harbor Projects Fund from the proceeds of the bonds authorized by Ch. 201, assuming a favorable outcome of the test litigation on Ch. 201, poses no such legal problems. Bond counsel has stated there

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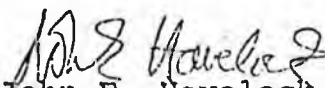
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According to Commissioner Easley, the appropriation for a loan for flood control projects is needed at this time since the Corps of Engineers is ready to immediately proceed with the Chena River project. Without the proposed loan the project would have to be indefinitely postponed.

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Sincerely,


John E. Havelock
Attorney General

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Alaska State Legislature
House

JUNEAU ALASKA

MEMORANDUM

TO: Representative Warwick

FROM: Earl D. Hillstrand, Chairman,
House Finance Committee

SUBJECT: SB 111

DATE: February 20, 1973

Referred to you for incorporation in your files on SB 111 relative to flood control and small boat harbor projects is a letter received by Representative Fischer from a Deputy Attorney General.

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February 13, 1973

The Honorable Helen Fischer
Chairman, State Affairs Committee
Alaska House of Representatives
Juneau, Alaska

Re: S.B. 111 am

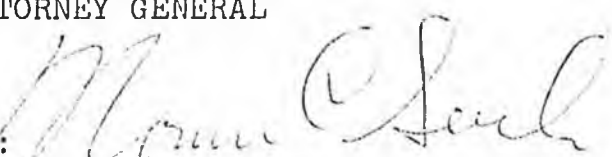
Dear Chairman Fischer:

Since S.B. 111 has been amended by the Senate prior to approval of the bill in the Senate, we feel a minor change in the wording of S.B. 111 am is now necessary. At line 18, "for this purpose" should be changed to "for these purposes" because S.B. 111 am now deals with an appropriation for flood control projects and for small boat harbor projects. We believe the suggested change is consonant with bond counsel practices in such matters.

Sincerely,

JOHN E. HAVELOCK
ATTORNEY GENERAL

By:


Norman C. Gorsuch
Deputy Attorney General

NCG:sc

Attachment

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FINANCE COMMITTEE BILL ASSIGNMENT

TO: Representative Warwick
House Finance Committee

DATE: February 28, 1973

FROM: Earl D. Hillstrand
Chairman
House Finance Committee

BILL NO.: SENATE BILL 111 am

TITLE: "An Act making a special appropriation as a loan to the 1972 Flood Control and Small Boat Harbor Projects Fund; and providing for an effective date."

COMMENTS: This bill has been referred to you for your review and research and eventual presentation to the committee for their consideration.



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Committee Report

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(approx. to 1972 Flood Control & small boat harbors - loan)
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E. H. ... _____
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Stephen ...
CHAIRMAN

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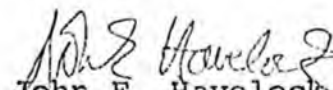
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CHAPTER 201 - SLA 1972

\$10,000,000 SMALL BOAT HARBOR BOND PROPOSITION

LOCATION	TYPE OF IMPROVEMENT		APPROXIMATE BOAT CAPACITY	FEDERAL COST 1/	BASIN DREDGING	HARBOR & DOCK FACILITIES
King Cove	New Harbor	(1974)	100	\$1,000,000	---	\$ 300,000
Sand Point	New Harbor	(1974)	250	2,400,000	\$ 400,000	450,000
Hoonah	New Harbor	(1976)	225	2,600,000	450,000	400,000
Kake	New Harbor	(1975)	150	2,200,000	---	300,000
Wrangell	New Harbor	(1974)	150	1,000,000	400,000	300,000
Bethel	New Dock	(1974)	---	1,000,000	---	500,000
Metlakatla	New Harbor	(1976)	100	2,000,000	400,000	300,000
Haines	Expansion	(1974)	150	1,000,000	500,000	300,000
Kodiak	New Harbor	(1978)	230	6,000,000	100,000	600,000
Unalaska	Dock & Harbor	(1978)	50	600,000	---	400,000
Ketchikan	Expansion	(1975)	200	5,750,000 ^{2/}	2,100,000 ^{2/}	1,500,000 ^{2/}
Anchorage	New Harbor	(1982)	250			
Kenai	New Harbor	(1982)	200			
St. Paul	New Harbor	(1980)	100			
Port Lions	New Harbor	(1979)	100			
				\$25,550,000	\$4,650,000	\$5,350,000
				\$10,000,000		

1/ Federal costs are based on estimates furnished by the Alaska District Corps of Engineers.

2/ Detailed cost estimates for individual projects are not available at this time pending completion of comprehensive feasibility studies by the Corps of Engineers and the Division of Water and Harbors.

February 2, 1973

The Honorable Terry Miller
President of the Senate
Alaska State Legislature
Juneau, Alaska 99801

Dear Mr. President:

Pursuant to the Uniform Rules of the Legislature I am transmitting a bill which appropriates \$9,839,500 as a loan to the 1972 Flood Control and Small Boat Harbor Projects Fund. The money will be available only for flood control projects and will be repaid to the general fund from the proceeds of the bonds authorized by ch. 201, SLA 1972 and approved by the voters or from the proceeds of bonds subsequently authorized for flood control purposes.

With the enactment of this legislation the necessary funding will be immediately available for the Chena River flood control project. Without the legislation the project would be delayed during the expected pendency of test litigation on the bond issue.

Sincerely,

William A. Egan
Governor



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James O. Smith
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4/26/89
Date

Introduced: 2/6/73
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE SENATE

BY KERTTULA

2 SENATE BILL NO. 113

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

EIGHTH Legislature FIRST Session

SENATE BILL NO. 113

By KERTTULA

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(special approp. Dept. Commerce)

Introduced in the Senate 2/6, 1973

HISTORY IN THE SENATE

19	73	Read first time and referred to Committee on Finance
2	6	Reported back with recommendation that
		Read second time and
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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE		

HISTORY IN THE HOUSE

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CHIEF CLERK OF THE HOUSE		

HISTORY IN THE SENATE

19		Received from House
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		Chapter No.

Introduced: 2/6/73
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The Legislature of the State of Alaska
FISCAL NOTE
First Session - Eighth Legislature

I. REQUEST

Bill Identification: Senate Bill No. 113
 Title: Special Appropriation
 Requested by: Legislative Finance Date: February 6, 1973
 Return Date Requested: February 13, 1973
 Agency: Department of Commerce Program: _____

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Budget Request Unit(s) Affected: _____

A. EXPENDITURES: (Thousands of dollars)

Administrative costs only-impossible to project the rate of loans.

OBJECT	FY 73	FY 74	FY 75	FY 76	FY 77	FY 78
100 PERSONAL SERVICES						
200 TRAVEL						
300 CONTRACTUAL	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0
400 COMMODITIES						
500 EQUIPMENT						
600 LAND & STRUCTURES						
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.						
TOTAL	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0

B. FUNDING: (Thousands of dollars)

GENERAL FUND	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						

C. POSITIONS:

PERMANENT/TEMPORARY	/	/	/	/	/	/
MAN MONTHS (P./T.)	/	/	/	/	/	/

III. ANALYSIS (See Fiscal Note Preparation Instructions, Section III)
 Funding shown above only covers the cost of providing contractual review of proposed projects, construction standards, and auditing of records. It is impossible to project the rate of loan activity under this bill, however, the availability of REA funding would have a direct impact. Almost all Alaskan projects would be eligible under this bill and even if REA funding continued, the loans could be used to cover costs, REA will not finance.

IV. ATTACHMENTS

V. DATE: 2/13/73 PREPARED BY: Donald B. Lind

Original: Legislative Finance
 cc: Budget and Management
 Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)

Committee Report

S E N A T E

2/6/73

_____ Date

Mr. President:

The Committee on FINANCE has had SB
EXX 113
(special appropriation Dept. of Commerce)
under consideration. A majority of the members of the Committee

- recommends it do pass
- recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____ and that
CS for _____ do pass
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MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

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_____ CHAIRMAN



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4/26/89
Date

COMMITTEE REPORT

3-7-73

HOUSE

Mr. Speaker:

Date 3/14/72

The Committee on FINANCE has had SB 114am

under consideration. A Majority of the members of the Committee

recommends it DO PASS

recommends it DO NOT PASS

recommends it DO PASS WITH ATTACHED AMENDMENT(S)

recommends it BE REPLACED WITH CS FOR _____ AND THAT

CS FOR _____ DO PASS

"and" recommends it BE REFERRED TO THE _____

COMMITTEE

reports it back WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

"other"

Members signing the Majority report:

<u>WADSWORTH</u>	<u>WADSWORTH</u>	_____
<u>WADSWORTH</u>	<u>WADSWORTH</u>	_____
<u>WADSWORTH</u>	<u>WADSWORTH</u>	_____
<u>WADSWORTH</u>	<u>WADSWORTH</u>	_____

Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ Chairman

Introduced: 2/6/73
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE SENATE

BY PALMER, KERTTULA AND THOMAS

2 SENATE BILL NO. 114

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4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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11 DEBT. (a) During each fiscal year the state shall allocate to an
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13 if school construction is for vocational education facilities as deter-
14 mined by the commissioner, three-quarters of the following sums [, EX-
15 CLUSIVE OF ANY FUNDS RECEIVED FROM STATE OR FEDERAL SOURCES FOR SCHOOL
16 CONSTRUCTION COSTS]:

17 (1) payments made by the borough or city during the fiscal
18 year two years prior for the retirement of principal and interest on
19 bonds, notes, or other indebtedness incurred to pay costs of school
20 construction;

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22 a borough or city two years prior for the retirement of principal and
23 interest on bonds, notes, or other indebtedness incurred to pay costs
24 of school construction had the borough or city issued bonds, notes, or
25 other indebtedness of 10 years duration bearing interest at the rate
26 of six per cent a year to finance the costs rather than paying those
27 costs through taxes or other local sources;

28 (3) cash payments made by the borough during the fiscal
29 year two years earlier to pay costs of school construction.

1 (b) The commissioner shall administer the program of reimbursement
2 authorized under this section and shall provide by regulation for the
3 filing of applications for reimbursement, the form of proof of costs
4 for which application for reimbursement is made, and other regulations
5 necessary to administer the program. The commissioner shall exclude
6 from the total school construction cost of the local district all state
7 and federal funds included in such costs except funds provided under
8 AS 43.50.140 and AS 43.18.100. In approving applications for
9 reimbursement, the commissioner shall offset against the amount of
10 reimbursement authorized the amount of any funds distributed to the
11 borough or city in the second preceding fiscal year from the school
12 fund provided for in AS 43.50.140.

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18 available shall be distributed pro rata among the eligible local
19 governments.

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22 amount required for the allocations authorized in this section reverts
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7 specialists or consultants, costs of labor, materials, equipment and
8 supplies, costs of authorization, issuance and sale of bonds, notes,
9 or other evidences of debt.

10 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval
11 or on the day it becomes law without approval.

The Legislature of the State of Alaska
 FISCAL NOTE
 First Session - Eighth Legislature

SB 114
 Ch 28

I. REQUEST

Bill Identification: S. B. #114
 Title: State School Building Aid
 Requested by: Legislative Finance Date: 2/6/73
 Return Date Requested: 2/13/73
 Agency: Education Program: Pre.-Elementary-Secondary

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Budget Request Unit(s) Affected: Financial Support

A. EXPENDITURES: (Thousands of dollars)

OBJECT	FY 73	FY 74	FY 75	FY 76	FY 77	FY 78
100 PERSONAL SERVICES						
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300 CONTRACTUAL						
400 COMMODITIES						
500 EQUIPMENT						
600 LAND & STRUCTURES						
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.						
TOTAL	-0-	-0-				

B. FUNDING: (Thousands of dollars)

GENERAL FUND	-0-	-0-				
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						

C. POSITIONS:

PERMANENT/TEMPORARY	/	/	/	/	/	/
MAN MONTHS (P./T.)	/	/	/	/	/	/

III. ANALYSIS (See Fiscal Note Preparation Instructions, Section III)

SB #114 - FY 73	\$3,550,471	SB #114 - FY 74	\$4,752,000
FY 73 Appropriation	<u>3,450,000</u>	FY 74 - Gen. Budget	<u>4,000,000</u>
Difference	100,471		752,000

FY 73 difference is due to an estimating error when the FY 72 budget was being developed. FY 74 difference is due to the deduction of Ch. 249 payments (AS 43.18.100 when developing the Governor's FY 74 budget).

IV. ATTACHMENTS

Estimated payments for FY 73 under SB #114. The Attorney General ruled that Ch. 249 payments for the second prior fiscal year should not be deducted in a ruling dated 1/29/73.

V. DATE: 2/20/73 PREPARED BY: [Signature]

Original: Legislative Finance
 cc: Budget and Management
 Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)



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SB The following statement accompanied the Finance Committee
114 report on SENATE BILL NO. 114:

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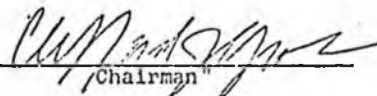
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SENATE BILL NO. 114

"State Aid for Retirement of School Construction Debt"

SENATE BILL NO. 114, as amended, makes technical corrections to the "State Aid for Retirement of School Construction Debt" program. Both the Department of Education and the Legislative Auditor have requested this legislation. This legislation will provide:

1. Clarification of computation methods;
2. Clarification of legislative intent that AS 43.18.100 provide reimbursement to cities and boroughs for one-half of school construction debt remaining after funding received from other state sources; and
3. "Leveling out" of annual payments received from year to year.


Chairman

SJR The Community and Regional Affairs Committee has had
25 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 25 (supporting HJR 1) under consideration, and the committee recommends it do pass. The report was signed by Senator Rader, Chairman, and concurred in by Senators Hensley and Hohman.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 25 was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

TO: Senate Finance Committee

DATE : February 21, 1973

FROM: Jack D. Baker, Supervisor
Division of Legislative AuditSUBJECT: SB 114 - State Aid for
Retirement of School
Construction Debt

Finance Committee Report on SB 114 states that "Both the Department of Education and the Legislative Auditor have requested this legislation".

I would like to clarify the position of the Legislative Auditor. Legislative Audit in its audit report recommended that the Department of Education introduce legislation to clarify the provision of law (AS 43.18.100) that deals with school construction debt. We did not recommend or endorse any specific piece of legislation.

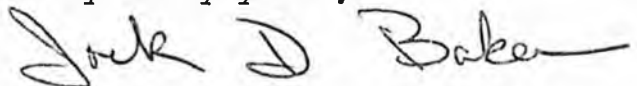
Computing the amount of state funds that will be distributed to school districts for school construction debt expense is subject to different interpretations and is confusing. SB 114 provides one way of clarifying the situation. There are others (as evidenced by four other bills introduced regarding the same matter). Each can have different financial implications.

The Division of Legislative Audit has made it policy in the past not to endorse specific bills, feeling that this would be an intrusion into the law-making area of responsibility and could create problems.

We do, however, whole-heartedly endorse the attempt to clarify a confusing statute and hope that one of the bills introduced will pass the legislature.

I am available to discuss any aspect of any of the bills introduced on school construction debt should you so desire.

Very truly yours,

Jack D. Baker, Supervisor
Division of Legislative Audit

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IN THE HOUSE

CS HB 77

& SB 114

*with change shown
on p2 from SB 114
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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

A BILL

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(b) The commissioner shall administer the program of reimbursement authorized under this section and shall provide by regulation for the filing of applications for reimbursement, the form of proof of costs for which application for reimbursement is made, and other regulations necessary to administer the program. *Exclude from* [The commissioner shall ~~offset~~ the total *from SB114* school cost of the local district *here only* ~~by~~ all state and federal funds included *AS 43.18.100* in such costs except funds provided under AS 43.50.140. *In approving*] applications for reimbursement, the commissioner shall offset against the amount of reimbursement authorized the amount of any funds distributed to the borough or city in the second preceding fiscal year from the school fund provided for in AS 43.50.140. *nc*

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Committee Report

SENATE

2/6/73

2/20/73

Date

Mr. President:

The Committee on FINANCE has had SB 114
(state school building aid)
under consideration. A majority of the members of the Committee

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MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

_____ John C. Sargent _____
R. F. ... _____
... _____
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MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

- _____ recommends:
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CHAIRMAN

A M E N D M E N T

Offered in the SENATE

By FINANCE

To: _____ SENATE BILL NO. 114

_____ HOUSE BILL NO. _____

AMENDMENT: Page 7 Line 5

After program, the following language is inserted:

The commissioner shall exclude from the total school construction cost of the local district all state and federal funds included in such costs except funds provided under AF 47.50.147 and AF 47.10.100.

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20 SB 114

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Introduced: 2/6/73
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BY PALMER

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FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

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"State Aid for Retirement of School Construction Debt"

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This legislation will provide:

1. Clarification of computation methods;
2. Clarification of legislative intent that AS 43.18.100 provide reimbursement to cities and boroughs for one-half of school construction debt remaining after funding received from other state sources; and
3. "Leveling out" of annual payments received from year to year.

Chairman



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Signature of Camera Operator

4/26/89
Date

Introduced: 2/7/73
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE SENATE

BY SACKETT

2 SENATE BILL NO. 119

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

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ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

EIGHTH Legislature FIRST Session

SENATE BILL NO. 119
By SACKETT

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(study - transportation system Yukon River - approp.)

Introduced in the Senate 2/7, 19 73

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Absent
Excused

Effective Date

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The Legislature of the State of Alaska
 FISCAL NOTE
 First Session - Eighth Legislature

I. REQUEST

Bill Identification: SB 119
 Title: Approp. P. Works Yukon River Transport
 Requested by: Legislative Finance Date: 2/7/73
 Return Date Requested: 2/15/73
 Agency: _____ Program: _____

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Budget Request Unit(s) Affected: _____

A. EXPENDITURES: (Thousands of dollars)

OBJECT	FY 73	FY 74	FY 75	FY 76	FY 77	FY 78
100 PERSONAL SERVICES		0				
200 TRAVEL		0				
300 CONTRACTUAL		100.0				
400 COMMODITIES		0				
500 EQUIPMENT		0				
600 LAND & STRUCTURES		0				
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.		0				
		0				
TOTAL		100.0				

B. FUNDING: (Thousands of dollars)

GENERAL FUND		100.0				
FEDERAL FUNDS		0				
OTHER		0				

C. POSITIONS:

PERMANENT/TEMPORARY	/	% / %	/	/	/	/
MAN MONTHS (P./T.)	/	% / %	/	/	/	/

III. ANALYSIS (See Fiscal Note Preparation Instructions, Section III)

These funds will be utilized to engage the services of a private engineering or consulting firm with specialized knowledge of river transportation. The scope of the study will be as outlined in S.B. No. 119.

The wide scope of the study with the magnitude of details to be collected, analyzed and reduced to plausible recommendation make this study beyond the capabilities of the present staff of the Department of Public Works.

IV. ATTACHMENTS

V. DATE: _____
 February 13, 1973

PREPARED BY: Bert A. Esmond
 Bert A. Esmond

Original: Legislative Finance
 cc: Budget and Management
 Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)

Committee Report

S E N A T E

2/7/73

_____ Date

Mr. President:

The Committee on FINANCE has had SB 119
SPECIAL approp. study for a transportation system on the Yukon River
under consideration. A majority of the members of the Committee

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MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

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CHAIRMAN



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Introduced: 2/7/73
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and Finance

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Original sponsor: Croft

Offered: 3/13/74
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 121

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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The Legislature of the State of Alaska
FISCAL NOTE
Second Session - Eighth Legislature

I. REQUEST

Bill Identification: Senate Bill 121 Amended

Title: Definition of Peace Officer & Fireman for PERS Purposes (Fish and Game Personnel

Requested by: Legislative Finance

Date: March 15, 1974

Return Date Requested: ASAP

Agency: Retirement Section

Program: Peace Officers and
Firemens Retirement

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Budget Request Unit(s) Affected: ALL

A. EXPENDITURES: (Thousands of dollars)

OBJECT	FY 74	FY 75	FY 76	FY 77	FY 78	FY 79
100 PERSONAL SERVICES	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
200 TRAVEL	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
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600 LAND & STRUCTURES	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
100 Other	-0-	218.5	229.4	240.9	252.9	265.6
TOTAL	-0-	218.5	229.4	240.9	252.9	265.6

B. FUNDING: (Thousands of dollars)

GENERAL FUND	100%	-0-	218.5	229.4	240.9	252.9	265.6
FEDERAL FUNDS		-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
OTHER		-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-

C. POSITIONS:

PERMANENT/TEMPORARY	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0
MAN MONTHS (P./T.)	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0

III. ANALYSIS (See Fiscal Note Preparation Instructions, Section III)

The inclusion of this group would have no administrative cost impact. The projection of the Benefits Cost was based upon an increase in the employers contribution rate of .19% times an estimated payroll of \$115,000,000.00. It is estimated that this would apply to approximately 214 positions.

A five percent annual increase in salaries is assumed.

IV. ATTACHMENTS

Letter from Marsh and McLennan dated March 7, 1973.

V. DATE: 3/15/74

PREPARED BY: Robert S. Gates

Robert S. Gates
Benefits Administrator

Original: Legislative Finance
cc: Budget and Management
Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)

MARSH & McLENNAN

March 7, 1973

Mr. Robert S. Gates
Retirement Administrator
State of Alaska
Touch C
Juneau, Alaska 99801

Alaska Public Employees' Retirement System
Police and Fire Provisions

Dear Bob:

Apparently, as was the case in the 1972 legislative session, legislation has either been proposed or introduced regarding the inclusion of certain additional employee groups under the Police and Fire provisions of the Alaska Public Employees' Retirement System. In order to comment on such legislation, the basic intent and the philosophy underlying those provisions should be discussed.

It is my understanding that these provisions were enacted, during the 1970 legislative session, in order to provide for earlier retirement and larger death and disability benefits for policemen and firemen. The improved benefit provisions are made available under the System to such employees, whose day to day work involves the maintenance of the public peace and safety and involves substantial exposure to physical risk. Police officers and fire fighters risk their lives as a matter of occupational course.

The large death and disability benefits provided under this portion of the System are intended to ensure that the family of each such employee will be financially secure in case he is struck down by the physical hazards which he faces on a routine day to day basis.

The earlier retirement age and larger retirement benefits per year of service provided in this portion of the System reflect the fact that, in order to perform such hazardous work, the employee must be in top flight physical and mental condition. The physical requirements of this type of work forces employees into retirement at an earlier age than do those of most other occupations.

MARSH & McLENNAN

Mr. Robert S. Gates

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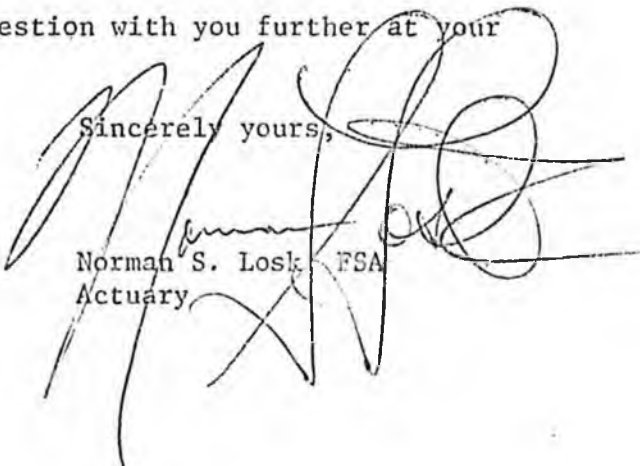
March 7, 1973

In summary, then, it should be noted that more liberal benefits are provided under the Alaska Public Employees' Retirement System to those employees who risk their lives on a routine, day to day basis in order to preserve the public peace and safety.

Based upon our latest a uerial valuation of the Public Employees' Retirement System, we find that the contribution level which would be required were the Police and Fire portion of the System a separate retirement program, standing on its own, would be 25% of covered pay. This can be used as a basis of estimation of the effect on the total State rate of providing Police and Fire coverage to other groups.

I'd be happy to discuss this question with you further at your pleasure.

Sincerely yours,


Norman S. Losk FSA
Actuary

NSL:dk



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Committee Report

SENATE

3/8/73

3/31/73

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CHAIRMAN

A M E N D M E N T

Offered in the SENATE

By Senate Finance

To: _____ SENATE BILL NO. 121

_____ HOUSE BILL NO. _____

AMENDMENT: Page 1 Line 12

Delete "a state park ranger,"

Page 1 Line 14

After "fire chief" delete ", " and insert "this paragraph applies only to Fish and Game personnel who are in the field under hazardous working conditions,"

Introduced: 2/7/73
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* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10 .070(c).

*1. Explanation - Commission.
2. fiscal note.*

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