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HB 613 thru SHB 615 438



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COMMITTEE REPORT

HOUSE

4/6/76

Mr. Speaker:

Date _____

The Committee on FINANCE has had HB 613

under consideration. A Majority of the members of the Committee

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CS FOR _____ DO PASS

"and" recommends it BE REFERRED TO THE _____

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reports it back WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

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Members signing the Majority report:

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Chairman

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MIKE HERSHBERGER _____

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Leslie E. Suvanan recommends: no Rec.
Frankington recommends: no Rec.
Alvin Peterbach recommends: no Rec.
_____ recommends:
_____ recommends:

[Signature] Chairman

AMENDMENT

OFFERED IN THE HOUSE:

By: House Resources Committee

To: Amend HOUSE BILL No. HB 713

SENATE BILL No. _____

PAGE: 2

LINE: 4, 10, 11

Line 4 Delete "State wide" insert "Anchorage and Fairbanks"
Line 10 Change "150,000" to "250,000"
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ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

...NINTH Legislature SECOND Session

HOUSE ... BILL ... NO. 413...

By ... REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

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Introduced in the House ... 1/19, 19...76

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April 6, 1976

The report contained in this folder was a request by Rep. Ted Smith. The committee decided to send HB 613 as amended, to the Finance Committee and if the committee would like to adopt Rep. Smith's proposal, it can be done by the Finance Committee.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Guy A. Van Doren".

Guy Van Doren
Staff Assistant
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COMMITTEE REPORT - TO FINANCE COMMITTEE

April 5, 1976

The Resources Committee recommends that HB 409, which is in your committee, be replaced with a Committee Substitute for HB 409, adopting the language contained in HB 613, Page 1, Line 28, through Page 2, Line 28, with the following changes.

Line 4, Item (4) Change the word "statewide" to "Anchorage and Fairbanks".

Line 10, Item (10) Change 150,000 to 250,000

Line 11, Item (11) Change 150,000 to 50,000

Delete Page 2 Line 29 through Page 3 Line 3.

The rest of the language contained in HB613 will remain and should be included in the Committee Substitute for HB 409.

The above changes appear in finished form attached to this letter.

Nels A. Anderson, Jr., Chairman

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 409

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(19) Caines Head Recreation Area - development	Seward area	350,000
(20) Chugach State Park - development	Anchorage area	725,000
(21) Matching funds for grants to local government recreation projects		2,000,000

Sec. 3. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified voters of the state, the amount of \$24,500 or as much of that amount as is found necessary is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the state bond committee to carry out the provisions of this Act and to pay expenses incident to the sale and issuance of the bonds authorized in this Act. The amounts expended from the appropriation authorized by this section shall be reimbursed to the general fund from the proceeds of the sale of the bonds authorized by this Act.

Sec. 4. The amount withdrawn from the Public Facility Planning Fund for the purpose of advance planning for the improvements financed under this Act shall be reimbursed to the fund from the proceeds of the sale of bonds authorized by this Act.

Sec. 5. The question whether the bonds authorized in this Act are to be issued shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state at the next state general election and shall read substantially as follows:

Proposition

State General Obligation Parks and Recreation Area

Bonds \$7,000,000

Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds in the principal amount of not more than \$7,000,000 for the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements to parks and recreation areas?

Bonds Yes ()

Bonds No ()

Sec. 6. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.070(c).

CHILKAT STATE PARK MEETING

The House Resources Sub-committee on Chilkat State Park met in Haines, Alaska, February 13, 1976 at 7:30 P.M. to hear concerns of the people of Haines regarding Chilkat State Park and to hear the development plans proposed by the State Division of Parks. Attending were Sub-Committee Chairman, Ted Smith, Representatives Mike Miller and Jim Duncan and staff assistant, Guy Van Doren. Fifty-five people from Haines attended.

Rep. Smith opened the hearing and the State Division of Parks made their presentation for development of the park. Mr. Carl Hienmiller presented some of the concerns of the people including the fact that the legislative intent in creating the park was not acquisition, but development. The people of the area want the park and they want the park to be developed. He stated that the Division of Parks could have started the development phase of the park and people could have been working all winter. Mr. Hienmiller also brought out that the proposed state park bond proposal includes \$150,000 for development and \$150,000 for acquisition. He felt that there was no reason for the acquisition and that the full amount of money should be used for park development.

Mr Russ Cahill stated that there was no money allocated for development in the park last year and that the monies in the bond bill would be used for development, but he would like to have some monies available for acquisition because

some land owners adjacent to the park have indicated willingness to sell their property to the park system. He felt that this land would be beneficial to the future development of the park.

Mr. Cahill also stated that the park development plan would be whatever the people of the area wanted. The Division of Parks presented three alternatives for the people to discuss and the hearing was then open to a town forum type of meeting with questions and answers from the people and the Division of Parks.

Some people were concerned with the fact that tourists and commercial vehicles would further deteriorate the existing road and that the State Dept. of Highways should include paving of the Mud-Bay road in their plans.

People also questioned the possibility of parking facilities nearer to the beginning of the park and in the area that visitors, mainly Canadians, use at the present time. This was to be looked into.

The main concern of the people seemed to be the rapid development of facilities. Sewage, food, camping and picnicing facilities. The need was expressed for at least sixty campsites to be developed as soon as possible.

The hearing was adjourned at 10:00 P.M. with the Division of Parks stating that they would take into consideration the recommendations of the people. The sub-committee did not feel that there were any major unsolvable problems and that the Division of Parks seemed to be responding to the needs of the people in the area, and that those people seemed, for the most part to be happy with the State Park System.



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Date

Committee Report

S E N A T E

5/18/76

5/27/76
Date

Mr. President:

The Committee on Finance has had HOUSE BILL (H.R.)

S. 327, 815, 000 for cost of capital improvements to Post Office facilities
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:

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

_____ recommends:

CHAIRMAN

Original Sponsor: Rules Committee by
request of the Governor

Offered: 5/18/76
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE
2 SENATE CS FOR CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 615
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION
5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for the issuance of general obliga-
7 tion bonds in the amount of \$29,205,000 for the purpose
8 of paying the cost of capital improvements to fish and
9 game management and development facilities; and pro-
10 viding for an effective date."

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

12 * Section 1. For the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements
13 to fish and game management and development facilities, general obligation
14 bonds of the state in the principal amount of not more than \$29,205,000 shall
15 be issued and sold. The full faith, credit and resources of the state are
16 pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest and redemption
17 premium, if any, on these bonds. These bonds shall be issued under the
18 provisions of AS 37.15 as those provisions read at the time of issuance.

19 * Sec. 2. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
20 voters of the state, a special fund of the state to be known as the "1976
21 Fish and Game Construction Fund" shall be established, to which shall be
22 credited the proceeds of the sale of the bonds described in sec. 1 of this
23 Act except for the accrued interest and premiums. There is appropriated from
24 the "1976 Fish and Game Construction Fund" to the Department of Fish and
25 Game the amount of \$29,205,000. The proceeds of these bonds shall be allo-
26 cated by the governor in accordance with the following projects and esti-
27 mates:

28	Project	Location	Amount
29	(1) Hatchery and rearing facilities		

1	to produce at least 65 million		
2	salmon fry, including 20 million		
3	coho and chinook salmon	Cook Inlet Basin	\$ 6,770,000
4	(2) Russian River fish passage		
5	facility	Cook Inlet Basin	300,000
6	(3) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
7	to produce 25 million salmon		
8	fry and added lake and saltwater	Prince William	
9	rearing of coho salmon	Sound - Whittier	2,970,000
10	(4) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
11	to produce at least 20 million		
12	sockeye and 30 million pink/chum	Kodiak -	
13	fry	Alaska Peninsula	6,720,000
14	(5) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
15	to produce sheefish, grayling,	Fairbanks -	
16	trout, and salmon	AYK	655,000
17	(6) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
18	to produce at least 100 million		
19	salmon fry in Southeastern		
20	Alaska, including coho and	Southeastern	
21	chinook salmon	Alaska	7,450,000
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24	(8) Acquire sonar fish counters	Kenai-Kasilof	236,500
25	(9) Vessel modification -		
26	M/V Resolution	Homeport	122,400
27	(10) Construct fish ladder (Frazier		
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5	(14) Construct warehouse and		
6	quarters	Sand Point	246,800
7	(15) Vessel purchase	Initial use -	
8		Southeast Alaska	500,000
9	(16) Construct warehouse and shop	Palmer	235,700
10	(17) Construct warehouse	Dillingham	288,000
11	(18) Salmon development projects	Statewide	1,390,000

12 * Sec. 3. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
13 voters of the state, the amount of \$102,200 or as much of that amount as is
14 found necessary is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
15 state bond committee to carry out the provisions of this Act and to pay
16 expenses incident to the sale and issuance of the bonds authorized in this
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26 general election and shall read substantially as follows:

27 Proposition

28 State General Obligation Fish and Game Management and
29 Development Facilities Bonds \$29,205,000

1 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds
2 in the principal amount of not more than \$29,205,000 for
3 the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements to
4 fish and game management and development facilities?

5 Bonds Yes []

6 Bonds No []

7 * Sec. 6. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
8 0' 0(c).

SS HB 615

FEB 23 1976

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Speaker of the House
Alaska State Legislature
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Speaker:

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Sincerely,

Jay S. Hammond
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Offered: 5/18/76
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3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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13	fry	Alaska Peninsula	6,720,000
14	(5) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
15	to produce sheefish, grayling,	Fairbanks -	
16	trout, and salmon	AYK	655,000
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18	to produce at least 100 million		
19	salmon fry in Southeastern		
20	Alaska, including coho and	Southeastern	
21	chinook salmon	Alaska	7,450,000
22	(7) Anan Creek fish passage	Southeastern	
23	facility	Alaska	655,000
24	(8) Acquire sonar fish counters	Kenai-Kasilof	236,500
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3	(13) Construct sewage treatment		
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5	(14) Construct warehouse and		
6	quarters	Sand Point	246,800
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27 Proposition

28 State General Obligation Fish and Game Management and
29 Development Facilities Bonds \$29,205,000

1 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds
2 in the principal amount of not more than \$29,205,000 for
3 the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements to
4 fish and game management and development facilities?

5 Bonds Yes []

6 Bonds No []

7 * Sec. 6. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
8 0'0(c).

Original Sponsor: Rules Committee by
request of the Governor

Offered: 5/6/76
For Today's Calendar

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 615 (Finance)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for the issuance of general obliga-
7 tion bonds in the amount of \$27,815,000 for the purpose
8 of paying the cost of capital improvements to fish and
9 game management and development facilities; and pro-
10 viding for an effective date."

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

12 * Section 1. For the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements
13 to fish and game management and development facilities, general obligation
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15 be issued and sold. The full faith, credit and resources of the state are
16 pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest and redemption
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18 provisions of AS 37.15 as those provisions read at the time of issuance.

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20 voters of the state, a special fund of the state to be known as the "1976
21 Fish and Game Construction Fund" shall be established, to which shall be
22 credited the proceeds of the sale of the bonds described in sec. 1 of this
23 Act except for the accrued interest and premiums. There is appropriated from
24 the "1976 Fish and Game Construction Fund" to the Department of Fish and
25 Game the amount of \$27,815,000. The proceeds of these bonds shall be allo-
26 cated by the governor in accordance with the following projects and esti-
27 mates:

28	Project	Location	Amount
29	(1) Hatchery and rearing facilities		

1	to produce at least 65 million		
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4	(2) Russian River fish passage		
5	facility	Cook Inlet Basin	300,000
6	(3) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
7	to produce 25 million salmon		
8	fry and added lake and saltwater	Prince William	
9	rearing of coho salmon	Sound - Whittier	2,970,000
10	(4) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
11	to produce at least 20 million		
12	sockeye and 30 million pink/chum	Kodiak -	
13	fry	Alaska Peninsula	6,720,000
14	(5) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
15	to produce sheefish, grayling,	Fairbanks -	
16	trout, and salmon	AYK	655,000
17	(6) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
18	to produce at least 100 million		
19	salmon fry in Southeastern		
20	Alaska, including coho and	Southeastern	
21	chinook salmon	Alaska	7,450,000
22	(7) Anan Creek fish passage	Southeastern	
23	facility	Alaska	655,000
24	(8) Acquire sonar fish counters	Kenai-Kasilof	236,500
25	(9) Vessel modification -		
26	M/V Resolution	Homeport	122,400
27	(10) Construct fish ladder (Frazier		
28	Lake)	Kodiak	315,000
29	(11) Bear Lake fish facility		

1	improvement	Seward	75,000
2	(12) Beaver Falls holding facility	Ketchikan	105,000
3	(13) Construct sewage treatment		
4	facility	King Salmon	170,600
5	(14) Construct warehouse and		
6	quarters	Sand Point	246,800
7	(15) Vessel purchase	Initial use -	
8		Southeast Alaska	500,000
9	(16) Construct warehouse and shop	Palmer	235,700
10	(17) Construct warehouse	Dillingham	288,000

11 * Sec. 3. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
12 voters of the state, the amount of \$97,300 or as much of that amount as is
13 found necessary is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
14 state bond committee to carry out the provisions of this Act and to pay
15 expenses incident to the sale and issuance of the bonds authorized in this
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22 authorized by this Act.

23 * Sec. 5. The question whether the bonds authorized in this Act are to be
24 issued shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state at the next
25 general election and shall read substantially as follows:

26 Proposition

27 State General Obligation Fish and Game Management and
28 Development Facilities Bonds \$27,815,000

29 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds

1 in the principal amount of not more than \$27,815,000 for
2 the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements to
3 fish and game management and development facilities?

4 Bonds Yes []

5 Bonds No []

6 * Sec. 6. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
7 070(c).

Original Sponsor: Rules Committee by
request of the Governor

Offered: 4/12/76
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SPONSOP SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 615

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for the issuance of general obliga-
7 tion bonds in the amount of \$19,735,000 for the purpose
8 of paying the cost of capital improvements to fish and
9 game management and development facilities; and pro-
10 viding for an effective date."

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

12 * Section 1. For the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements
13 to fish and game management and development facilities, general obligation
14 bonds of the state in the principal amount of not more than \$19,735,000 shall
15 be issued and sold. The full faith, credit and resources of the state are
16 pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest and redemption pre-
17 mium, if any, on these bonds. These bonds shall be issued under the pro-
18 visions of AS 37.15 as those provisions read at the time of issuance.

19 * Sec. 2. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
20 voters of the state, a special fund of the state to be known as the "1976
21 Fish and Game Construction Fund" shall be established, to which shall be
22 credited the proceeds of the sale of the bonds described in sec. 1 of this
23 Act except for the accrued interest and premiums. There is appropriated from
24 the "1976 Fish and Game Construction Fund" to the Department of Fish and Game
25 the amount of \$19,735,000. To the extent feasible, the proceeds of these
26 bonds shall be allocated by the governor in accordance with the following
27 projects and estimates:

28 Project	Location	Amount
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29 (1) Russian River fish passage		
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1	facility	Cook Inlet Basin	\$ 300,000
2	(2) Hatchery and rearing facilities	Karluk - Kodiak	
3	to produce at least 70 million	(20 million sockeye)	3,150,000
4	salmon fry	Alaska Peninsula -	
5		Russell Creek (50	
6		million pink/chum)	4,850,000
7	(3) Hatchery and rearing facilities	Yukon	100,000
8	to produce sheefish, grayling,	Tanana	100,000
9	trout, and salmon (AYK)	Fairbanks	200,000
10		Kuskokwim	100,000
11		Bering Straits -	
12		Unalakleet	100,000
13		Kotzebue	100,000
14	(4) Anan Creek fish passage facility	Southeastern Alaska	655,000
15	(5) Acquire sonar fish counters	Kenai - Kasilof	236,500
16	(6) Vessel modification -		
17	M/V Resolution	Home port	122,500
18	(7) Construct fish ladder (Frazier)	Kodiak	315,000
19	(8) Bear Lake fish facility		
20	improvement	Seward	150,000
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24	(11) Construct warehouse and quarters	Sand Point	246,800
25	(12) Vessel purchase	Initial use -	
26		Southeast Alaska	500,000
27	(13) Construct warehouse and shop	Palmer	235,600
28	(14) Construct warehouse	Dillingham	288,000
29	(15) Cook Inlet hatchery and	25 million pink/chum	

1	rearing facilities	10 million coho	3,890,000
2	(16) Southeast Alaska hatchery	50 million including	
3	and rearing facility	3 million coho	3,820,000

4 * Sec. 3. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
5 voters of the state, the amount of \$69,073 or as much of that amount as is
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17 issued shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state at the
18 next general election and shall read substantially as follows:

19 Proposition

20 State General Obligation Fish and Game Management and
21 Development Facilities Bonds \$19,735,000

22 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds
23 in the principal amount of not more than \$19,735,000 for the
24 purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements to fish
25 and game management and development facilities?

26 Bonds Yes []

27 Bonds No []

28 * Sec. 6. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
29 070(c).

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Introduced: 1/19/76
Referred: Resources and
Finance

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 615

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for the issuance of general obliga-
7 tion bonds in the amount of \$4,455,100 for the pur-
8 pose of paying the cost of capital improvements to
9 fish and game management and development facilities;
10 and providing for an effective date."

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

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13 to fish and game management and development facilities, general obligation
14 bonds of the state in the principal amount of not more than \$4,455,100
15 shall be issued and sold. The full faith, credit and resources of the
16 state are pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest and
17 redemption premium, if any, on those bonds. These bonds shall be issued
18 under the provisions of AS 37.15 as those provisions read at the time of
19 issuance.

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24 Act except for the accrued interest and premiums. There is appropriated
25 from the 1976 Fish and Game Construction Fund to the Department of Fish
26 and Game the amount of \$4,455,100. To the extent feasible, the proceeds of
27 these bonds shall be allocated by the governor in accordance with the
28 following projects and estimates:

29

<u>Project</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Amount</u>
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1	(1) Acquire Sonar Fish Counters	Kenia-Kasilof	\$ 236,500
2	(2) Vessel modification -		
3	M/V Resolution	Homeport	122,500
4	(3) Construct Fish Ladder (Frazier)	Kodiak	315,000
5	(4) Bear Lake Fish facility		
6	improvement	Seward	75,000
7	(5) Beaver Falls holding facility	Ketchikan	105,000
8	(6) Construct sewage treatment		
9	facility	King Salmon	170,600
10	(7) Construct warehouse and quarters	Sand Point	246,800
11	(8) Construct sockeye substrate		
12	incubation units	Kenai Peninsula	2,160,000
13	(9) Vessel purchase	Initial use -	
14		Southeast Alaska	500,000
15	(10) Construct warehouse and shop	Palmer	235,700
16	(11) Construct warehouse	Dillingham	288,000

17 * Sec. 3. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
18 voters of the state, the amount of \$15,600 or as much of that amount as is
19 found necessary is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
20 state bond committee to carry out the provisions of this Act and to pay
21 expenses incident to the sale and issuance of the bonds authorized in this
22 Act. The amounts expended from the appropriation authorized by this section
23 shall be reimbursed to the general fund from the proceeds of the sale of
24 the bonds authorized by this Act.

25 * Sec. 4. The amount withdrawn from the Public Facility Planning Fund
26 for the purpose of advance planning for the improvements financed under
27 this Act shall be reimbursed to the fund from the proceeds of the sale of
28 bonds authorized by this Act.

29 * Sec. 5. The question whether the bonds authorized in this Act are to

1 be issued shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state at the
2 next state general election and shall read substantially as follows:

3 Proposition

4 State General Obligation Fish and Game Management and
5 Development Facilities Bonds \$4,455,100

6 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds in the
7 principal amount of not more than \$4,455,100 for the purpose of paying
8 the cost of capital improvements to fish and game management and
9 development facilities?

10 Bonds Yes []

11 Bonds No []

12 * Sec. 6. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.-
13 10.070(c).



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Date

"An Act providing for the issuance of g.o. bonds in the amount of \$44,455,100 for the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements to fish and game management and development facilities; effective date."

COMMITTEE REPORT

HOUSE

4/12/76

Mr. Speaker:

Date May 11 1976

The Committee on FINANCE has had SSHB 615

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 SSHB 615 AND THAT

CS FOR SSHB 615 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>
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Members NOT concurring in the Majority report:

_____ recommends:

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[Signature] Chairman

Original Sponsor: Rules Committee by
request of the Governor

1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 615 (Finance)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for the issuance of general obliga-
7 tion bonds in the amount of \$27,815,000 for the purpose
8 of paying the cost of capital improvements to fish and
9 game management and development facilities; and pro-
10 viding for an effective date."

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

12 * Section 1. For the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements
13 to fish and game management and development facilities, general obligation
14 bonds of the state in the principal amount of not more than \$27,815,000 shall
15 be issued and sold. The full faith, credit and resources of the state are
16 pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest and redemption
17 premium, if any, on these bonds. These bonds shall be issued under the
18 provisions of AS 37.15 as those provisions read at the time of issuance.

19 * Sec. 2. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
20 voters of the state, a special fund of the state to be known as the "1976
21 Fish and Game Construction Fund" shall be established, to which shall be
22 credited the proceeds of the sale of the bonds described in sec. 1 of this
23 Act except for the accrued interest and premiums. There is appropriated from
24 the "1976 Fish and Game Construction Fund" to the Department of Fish and
25 Game the amount of \$27,815,000. The proceeds of these bonds shall be allo-
26 cated by the governor in accordance with the following projects and esti-
27 mates:

28	Project	Location	Amount
29	(1) Hatchery and rearing facilities		

1	to produce at least 65 million		
2	salmon fry, including 20 million		
3	coho and chinook salmon	Cook Inlet Basin	\$ 6,770,000
4	(2) Russian River fish passage		
5	facility	Cook Inlet Basin	300,000
6	(3) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
7	to produce 25 million salmon		
8	fry and added lake and saltwater	Prince William	
9	rearing of coho salmon	Sound - Whittier	2,970,000
10	(4) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
11	to produce at least 20 million		
12	sockeye and 30 million pink/chum	Kodiak -	
13	fry	Alaska Peninsula	6,720,000
14	(5) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
15	to produce sheefish, grayling,	Fairbanks -	
16	trout, and salmon	AYK	655,000
17	(6) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
18	to produce at least 100 million		
19	salmon fry in Southeastern		
20	Alaska, including coho and	Southeastern	
21	chinook salmon	Alaska	7,450,000
22	(7) Anan Creek fish passage	Southeastern	
23	facility	Alaska	655,000
24	(8) Acquire sonar fish counters	Kenai-Kasilof	236,500
25	(9) Vessel modification -		
26	M/V Resolution	Homeport	122,400
27	(10) Construct fish ladder (Frazier		
28	Lake)	Kodiak	315,000
29	(11) Bear Lake fish facility		

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the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements to
fish and game management and development facilities?

Bonds Yes []

Bonds No []

* Sec. 6. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
070(c).

Original Sponsor: Rules Committee by
request of the Governor

Offered: 4/12/76
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 615

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for the issuance of general obliga-
7 tion bonds in the amount of \$19,735,000 for the purpose
8 of paying the cost of capital improvements to fish and
9 game management and development facilities; and pro-
10 viding for an effective date."

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

12 * Section 1. For the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements
13 to fish and game management and development facilities, general obligation
14 bonds of the state in the principal amount of not more than \$19,735,000 shall
15 be issued and sold. The full faith, credit and resources of the state are
16 pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest and redemption pre-
17 mium, if any, on these bonds. These bonds shall be issued under the pro-
18 visions of AS 37.15 as those provisions read at the time of issuance.

19 * Sec. 2. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
20 voters of the state, a special fund of the state to be known as the "1976
21 Fish and Game Construction Fund" shall be established, to which shall be
22 credited the proceeds of the sale of the bonds described in sec. 1 of this
23 Act except for the accrued interest and premiums. There is appropriated from
24 the "1976 Fish and Game Construction Fund" to the Department of Fish and Game
25 the amount of \$19,735,000. To the extent feasible, the proceeds of these
26 bonds shall be allocated by the governor in accordance with the following
27 projects and estimates:

28	Project	Location	Amount
29	(1) Russian River fish passage		

Original Sponsor: Rules Committee by
request of the Governor

Offered: 4/12/76
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 615

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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24 the "1976 Fish and Game Construction Fund" to the Department of Fish and Game
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26 bonds shall be allocated by the governor in accordance with the following
27 projects and estimates:

28 Project	Location	Amount
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29 (1) Russian River fish passage		
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1	facility	Cook Inlet Basin	\$ 300,000
2	(2) Hatchery and rearing facilities	Karluk - Kodiak	
3	to produce at least 70 million	(20 million sockeye)	3,150,000
4	salmon fry	Alaska Peninsula -	
5		Russell Creek (50	
6		million pink/chum)	4,850,000
7	(3) Hatchery and rearing facilities	Yukon	100,000
8	to produce sheefish, grayling,	Tanana	100,000
9	trout, and salmon (AYK)	Fairbanks	200,000
10		Kuskokwim	100,000
11		Bering Straits -	
12		Unalakleet	100,000
13		Kotzebue	100,000
14	(4) Anan Creek fish passage facility	Southeastern Alaska	655,000
15	(5) Acquire sonar fish counters	Kenai - Kasilof	236,500
16	(6) Vessel modification -		
17	M/V Resolution	Home port	122,500
18	(7) Construct fish ladder (Frazier)	Kodiak	315,000
19	(8) Bear Lake fish facility		
20	improvement	Seward	150,000
21	(9) Beaver Falls holding facility	Ketchikan	105,000
22	(10) Construct sewage treatment		
23	facility	King Salmon	170,600
24	(11) Construct warehouse and quarters	Sand Point	246,800
25	(12) Vessel purchase	Initial use -	
26		Southeast Alaska	500,000
27	(13) Construct warehouse and shop	Palmer	235,600
28	(14) Construct warehouse	Dillingham	288,000
29	(15) Cook Inlet hatchery and	25 million pink/chum	

1	rearing facilities	10 million coho	3,890,000
2	(16) Southeast Alaska hatchery	50 million including	
3	and rearing facility	3 million coho	3,820,000

4 * Sec. 3. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
5 voters of the state, the amount of \$69,073 or as much of that amount as is
6 found necessary is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
7 state bond committee to carry out the provisions of this Act and to pay
8 expenses incident to the sale and issuance of the bonds authorized in this
9 Act. The amounts expended from the appropriation authorized by this section
10 shall be reimbursed to the general fund from the proceeds of the sale of the
11 bonds authorized by this Act.

12 * Sec. 4. The amount withdrawn from the Public Facility Planning Fund for
13 the purpose of advance planning for the improvement financed under this Act
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15 ized by this Act.

16 * Sec. 5. The question whether the bonds authorized in this Act are to be
17 issued shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state at the
18 next general election and shall read substantially as follows:

19 Proposition

20 State General Obligation Fish and Game Management and
21 Development Facilities Bonds \$19,735,000

22 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds
23 in the principal amount of not more than \$19,735,000 for the
24 purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements to fish
25 and game management and development facilities?

26 Bonds Yes []

27 Bonds No []

28 * Sec. 6. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
29 070(c).

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Introduced: 2/23/76
Referred: Resources and
Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 615
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for the issuance of general obliga-
7 tion bonds in the amount of \$44,455,100 for the pur-
8 pose of paying the cost of capital improvements to
9 fish and game management and development facilities;
10 and providing for an effective date."

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

12 * Section 1. For the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvements
13 to fish and game management and development facilities, general obligation
14 bonds of the state in the principal amount of not more than \$44,455,100
15 shall be issued and sold. The full faith, credit and resources of the
16 state are pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest and
17 redemption premium, if any, on these bonds. These bonds shall be issued
18 under the provisions of AS 37.15 as those provisions read at the time of
19 issuance.

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21 voters of the state, a special fund of the state to be known as the 1976
22 Fish and Game Construction Fund shall be established, to which shall be
23 credited the proceeds of the sale of the bonds described in sec. 1 of this
24 Act except for the accrued interest and premiums. There is appropriated
25 from the 1976 Fish and Game Construction Fund to the Department of Fish
26 and Game the amount of \$44,455,100. To the extent feasible, the proceeds
27 of these bonds shall be allocated by the governor in accordance with the
28 following projects and estimates:

29

<u>Project</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Amount</u>
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1	(1) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
2	to produce at least 100 million		
3	salmon fry, including 30 million		
4	coho and chinook salmon	Cook Inlet Basin	\$10,660,000
5	(2) Russian River fish passage		
6	facility	Cook Inlet Basin	300,000
7	(3) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
8	to produce 50 million salmon		
9	fry and added lake and saltwater	Prince William	
10	rearing of coho salmon	Sound - Whittier	6,500,000
11	(4) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
12	to produce at least 70 million	Kodiak -	
13	salmon fry	Alaska Peninsula	8,000,000
14	(5) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
15	to produce sheefish, grayling,	Fairbanks -	
16	trout, and salmon	AYK	655,000
17	(6) Hatchery and rearing facilities		
18	to produce at least 130 million		
19	salmon fry in Southeastern		
20	Alaska, including coho and	Southeastern	
21	chinook salmon	Alaska	14,000,000
22	(7) Anan Creek fish passage	Southeastern	
23	facility	Alaska	655,000
24	(8) Acquire sonar fish counters	Kenai-Kasilof	236,500
25	(9) Vessel modification -		
26	M/V Resolution	Homeport	122,500
27	(10) Construct fish ladder (Frazier)	Kodiak	315,000
28	(11) Bear Lake fish facility		
29	improvement	Seward	75,000

1	(12)	Beaver Falls holding facility	Ketchikan	105,000
2	(13)	Construct sewage treatment		
3		facility	King Salmon	170,600
4	(14)	Construct warehouse and		
5		quarters	Sand Point	246,800
6	(15)	Vessel purchase	Initial use -	
7			Southeast Alaska	500,000
8	(16)	Construct warehouse and shop	Palmer	235,700
9	(17)	Construct warehouse	Dillingham	288,000
10	(18)	Salmon development projects	Statewide	1,390,000

11 * Sec. 3. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
12 voters of the state, the amount of \$155,600 or as much of that amount as is
13 found necessary is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the
14 state bond committee to carry out the provisions of this Act and to pay
15 expenses incident to the sale and issuance of the bonds authorized in this
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22 bonds authorized by this Act.

23 * Sec. 5. The question whether the bonds authorized in this Act are to
24 be issued shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state at the
25 next state general election and shall read substantially as follows:

26 Proposition

27 State General Obligation Fish and Game Management and
28 Development Facilities Bonds \$44,455,100

29 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds in the

1 principal amount of not more than \$44,455,100 for the purpose of
2 paying the cost of capital improvements to fish and game management
3 and development facilities?

4 Bonds Yes []

5 Bonds No []

6 * Sec. 6. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.-
7 10.070(c).
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Introduced: 1/19/76
Referred: Resources and
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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 615

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act providing for the issuance of general obliga-
7 tion bonds in the amount of \$4,455,100 for the pur-
8 pose of paying the cost of capital improvements to
9 fish and game management and development facilities;
10 and providing for an effective date."

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

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13 to fish and game management and development facilities, general obligation
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16 state are pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest and
17 redemption premium, if any, on these bonds. These bonds shall be issued
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20 * Sec. 2. If the issuance of these bonds is authorized by the qualified
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22 Fish and Game Construction Fund shall be established, to which shall be
23 credited the proceeds of the sale of the bonds described in sec. 1 of this
24 Act except for the accrued interest and premiums. There is appropriated
25 from the 1976 Fish and Game Construction Fund to the Department of Fish
26 and Game the amount of \$4,455,100. To the extent feasible, the proceeds of
27 these bonds shall be allocated by the governor in accordance with the
28 following projects and estimates:

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<u>Project</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Amount</u>
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1	(1) Acquire Sonar Fish Counters	Kenia-Kasilof	\$ 236,500
2	(2) Vessel modification -		
3	M/V Resolution	Homeport	122,500
4	(3) Construct Fish Ladder (Frazier)	Kodiak	315,000
5	(4) Bear Lake Fish facility		
6	improvement	Seward	75,000
7	(5) Beaver Falls holding facility	Ketchikan	105,000
8	(6) Construct sewage treatment		
9	facility	King Salmon	170,600
10	(7) Construct warehouse and quarters	Sand Point	246,800
11	(8) Construct sockeye substrate		
12	incubation units	Kenai Peninsula	2,160,000
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6 Shall the State of Alaska issue its general obligation bonds in the
7 principal amount of not more than \$4,455,100 for the purpose of paying
8 the cost of capital improvements to fish and game management and
9 development facilities?

10 Bonds Yes []

11 Bonds No []

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SS N6115

FEB 23 1976

The Honorable Mike Bradner
Speaker of the House
Alaska State Legislature
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with AS 24.30.000(b) and the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, I am transmitting a sponsor substitute for HB 615 to increase the number of fisheries facilities projects to be funded by a bond issue, as recommended by the Fisheries Council.

Sincerely,

Jay S. Hammond
Governor

ESTIMATE SUMMARY
1976 FISH AND GAME FUND
ENHANCEMENT PROJECTS

<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Fry Production</u>	<u>Capital Cost</u>
Tutka, Halibut Cove, Big Lake & Crooked Creek	4 million coho/king	\$ 530,000 — ?
Hidden/Skilak	20 million sockeye, 6 million coho	2,350,000
Cook Inlet (Kenai)	25 million pink/chum, 10 million coho	3,890,000
Cook Inlet Total	65 million	\$ 6,770,000
Cannery Creek	25 million (including 1 million coho)	\$ 2,670,000
Whittier	100,000 coho post-smolts	300,000 — ?
Prince William Sound Total	25 million	\$ 2,970,000
Karluk	20 million sockeye	\$ 3,150,000
Trout Creek	30 million pink/chum	3,570,000
AP/Kodiak Total	50 million	\$ 6,720,000
Hidden Falls	50 million (including 3 million coho)	\$ 3,630,000
Klawak Lake	50 million (including 3 million coho)	3,820,000
Southeastern Total	100 million	\$ 7,450,000
Statewide Facilities	240 million	\$23,910,000
Russian River fish passage facility - Cook Inlet Basin		\$ 300,000
Hatchery and rearing facilities to produce sheefish, grayling, trout, and salmon - Fairbanks-AYK		655,000 — ?
Anan Creek fish passage - Southeastern		655,000 —
Acquire sonar fish counters - Kenai-Kasilof		236,500
Vessel modification-M/V Resolution - Homeport		122,500
Construct fish ladder (Frazer) - Kodiak		315,000
Bear Lake fish facility improvement - Seward		75,000
Beaver Falls holding facility - Ketchikan		105,000
Construct sewage treatment facility - King Salmon		170,600
Construct warehouse and quarters - Sand Point		246,800
Vessel purchase - Initial use-Southeastern		500,000
Construct warehouse and shop - Palmer		235,700
Construct warehouse - Dillingham		288,000
Salmon development projects - Statewide		1,390,000 — ?
		\$ 5,295,100
TOTAL BOND REQUEST		\$29,205,100

*question marks
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Cook Inlet (Susitna)	25 million pink/chum, 10 million coho	3,890,000
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Cook Inlet Total	100 million	\$10,660,000
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Cannery Creek	25 million (including 1 million coho)	\$ 2,070,000
Whittier	100,000 coho post-smolts	300,000
Prince William Sound	30 million (including 1 million coho)	3,530,000
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Prince William Sound Total	55 million	\$ 6,500,000
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Karluk	20 million sockeye	\$ 3,150,000
Trout Creek	50 million pink/chum	4,850,000
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AP/Kodiak Total	70 million	\$ 8,000,000
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Hidden Falls	50 million (including 3 million coho)	\$ 3,630,000
Tenakee	1 million coho post-smolts	1,300,000
Klawak Lake	50 million (including 3 million coho)	3,820,000
Thorne River	50 million (including 3 million coho)	5,250,000
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Southeastern Total	150 million	\$14,000,000
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Statewide Facilities	375 million	\$39,160,000
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Russian River fish passage facility - Cook Inlet Basin		\$ 300,000
Hatchery and rearing facilities to produce sheefish, grayling, trout, and salmon - Fairbanks-AYK		655,000
Anan Creek fish passage - Southeastern		655,000
Acquire sonar fish counters - Kenai-Kasilof		236,500
Vessel modification-M/V Resolution - Homeport		122,500
Construct fish ladder (Frazer) - Kodiak		315,000
Bear Lake fish facility improvement - Seward		75,000
Beaver Falls holding facility - Ketchikan		105,000
Construct sewage treatment facility - King Salmon		170,600
Construct warehouse and quarters - Sand Point		246,800
Vessel purchase - initial use-Southeastern		500,000
Construct warehouse and shop - Palmer		235,700
Construct warehouse - Dillingham		288,000
Salmon development projects - Statewide		1,390,000
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		\$ 5,295,100
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TOTAL BOND REQUEST		\$44,455,100

Present were Hershberger, Huntington, Osterback, Rhode, Brown, Staff Assistant Van Doren and Chairman Anderson.

Subject: HB 878 CS HB 615

Phil Holdsworth began testimony. During the last session the governor asked that no action be taken on a bill comparable to HB 878. On Nov. 6 and 7, in Anchorage, agreements were reached with the Dept. of Revenue on aspects of this bill (HB878) The mining license tax has been on the books without changes since 1965. There is no real mining industry in Alaska today.

A suggested amendment: Smaller miners shouldn't have to do all of the complicated forms. Dept. of Revenue has tried to clarify the issue.

Other incentives might result in acceleration of the mining industry in Alaska. \$35 million was spent in exploration in Alaska in 1975.

Holdsworth felt that this was a "workable" bill.

Hershberger asked where we were in the status of precious metals in Alaska. Holdsworth answered that it depends on the area. In the Brooks range there is a richness of precious metals.

Chairman Anderson stated that letters received have expressed concern that special taxes are discriminatory. Some think we should be giving monetary incentives instead of taxing.

Holdsworth answered that most people don't even realize that there is already a mining tax law on the books.

Mr. Fred Betch, of the Dept. of Commerce, stated that the Dept. of Revenue was involved in the background of this bill. The bill basically has clarified how the taxes are to be assessed. He also agreed with Holdsworth as to the need for the amendment.

Question: How much will be added to the "coffers" with this bill
Answer: No more, as it stands now. There just isn't much mining in Alaska. Also, receipts aren't recognized until a sale of the product takes place.

Chuck Hawley of the Alaska Miners Association, testified that they generally support HB878. He added that there is felt that since the state has recognized the industry with a special tax, the state then has some obligation to the industry. (Roads, specifically, and also air access)/ There are only two sizeable operations in the state at present--Usibelli and Goodnews Bay. A.J. in Juneau was the last hardrock mine, and was closed around 1945.

However, Industry didn't write the bill. There are possible inequities.

- 1) It is set up the opposite of the way royalty rates usually work, i.e. an escalating rate.
- 2) Exemptions are needed for capital improvement costs.
- 3) Net operating losses should be carried over to succeeding years.

Corporate income taxes would still be paid to the state during this time.

Regarding special taxes--mining has not developed because of lack of transportation. Possibly the Haul Road could be kept open. Possibly Railroad extensions could be built. This would not be in the same category as a depletion allowance.

Brown asked whether mining gets the same types of benefits as oil, etc.
Answer: No.

Chairman Anderson asked about the fixed tax at the intermediate level.
Answer: It would do away with the escalation basis. Obviously, a large mining industry will pay more. Also, the state would end up gaining revenue if the capital recouping were allowed.

The District Manager for the Bear Creek Mining Company spoke. His group is a subsidiary of the Kennicott Copper Co. New areas of Alaska are being explored that appear to have a favorable mining future. The Cost of production in Alaska is higher than other Western States. Mining is one of the few industries that can go in rural Alaska. Incentives are needed--transportation, communication, ports, etc. Also stability is needed. Additional taxes would be harmful.

An amendment was presented adding language to clarify that two locations of the same company could be considered as one operation for tax purposes. The current problem is that after initial 3-year "tax holiday" is passed, if the company begins at a new location, the original costs of that new location need to be regained by the company.

Rhode suggested that as items of cost are amortized, they should be charged and taxable at that time.

It was stated that the main problem with mining in Alaska has been that costs of development are so high. Stability of the tax structure is needed.

Dale Tubbs, Deputy Director of the Division of Lands, mentioned the "sleeper" in the bill. It now includes sand and gravel. In the definitions on Page 9, Line 27, sand and gravel aren't included. Sand and gravel need to be listed as a material, not a mineral. Also, regarding the multiple-site situation, sand and gravel need to be split off from this. It can be cleared up with definitions. Clarification needs to be defined as to "mined" vs. "excavate". It must be kept in mind that sand and gravel are the biggest source of "mining" income now.

Re: clay and stone--it is not clear yet.

Chairman Anderson asked that Tubbs and VAn Doren redraft Page 9.

Wallace MacGreggor, of the Northwest Mining Association, spoke. He was concerned with the semantics problem (net proceeds, severance, etc.) Alaska's corporate tax is second only to that of Minnesota. Usually, the states with the highest taxation have a mature industry. This is not the case with Alaska.

Mr. Brown asked whether Mr. MacGreggor advises people as to whether to invest in Alaska. A. No. As to whether this bill really won't change the tax, Brown was answered that this was true.

Macgreggor stated, that regarding the percentage of net to gross, as you increase the initial costs of operation, it takes more capital to cover the costs. The mining license tax is much higher than a business license tax. Revenue derived by the state from mining could be greater than any other industry. The way it stands now, 2 out of 3 dollars received in mining would go to taxes. Because Alaska's base figure is higher than other states, the end result is that low-grade operations are cut out.

Carl McCowan, of the U.S. Borate and Chemical Corporation, stated that they have a propsect in Alaska. He stated that corporations contribute to the resource and economic well-being of the country. Their company will spend about one million dollars in exploration in Alaska in 1976. The government gets the biggest share of profits in any mining operation.

Question was asked as to what good the bill was if it hasn't produced any income yet.

It takes capital to create jobs. It takes people willing to take a risk. A profit isn't always possible in the first year. The 3 1/2 year "tax holiday" per operation is needed to recoup. Economic changes are needed in the state. We need to harvest the minerals.

Brown stated that it is the general feeling that the law is not unfavorable. Also, there are tremendous differences between mining and oil and gas.

(Meeting recessed, and resumed at 1:30 p.m.)

Donald McDonald, a propector, spoke. There is a question regarding taxing royalties. Would you be paying double on the same money? The company pays a tax on net proceeds. Are royalty payments deducted first?

Mr. Betch answered. Royalties are a deduction to the operator, and the receiver pays the tax.

Question: The difference between the mining Development Company, and the owner of the land needs to be clarified. Proving up a claim can take a long time.

Betch answered that he had no idea why the situation wasn't taken care of in the original bill.

McDonald: More time is needed to recoup expenses. Existing leases can't be rewritten to take care of the new tax structure. The problem is the royalty payments.

Also, if sand, rock and gravel are going to be taxed, must they be filed as mineral claims?

Bill Huff, of the Ketchikan Miners Association, presented testimony. Sand and gravel must now be purchased from the state. There is a problem regarding state leases as opposed to mining claims.

McDonald stated that if gravel and sand is treated separately, it should be put in a separate bill. Make it completely separate, or operable under a mining claim.

You can't hold a mining claim unless you are processing a metal.

Huff: Changes in the law have prohibited staking a gravel claim. Why call it a mineral now.

Vance Thornsbury, of Inspiration Exploration, testified. This bill would somewhat stabilize the taxation policy of Alaska. However, the rate as expressed in the bill shouldn't be escalating. It should be declining, or a solid 5%. Alaska must attract industry by a declining or set rate.

Inspiration is working on Chichagoff Island at this point. If the mine goes into operation, everything will be done except smelting on location. Refining could be done, possibly, in the future. As to the number of people to be employed, 200 was the estimate.

Eliason asked about land classification. Thornsbury stated that a wilderness classification would make it impossible to meet the requirements in order to mine.

Bill Huff spoke about land withdrawals vs. national security. We must have good domestic mineral supply. There is a long time-lag between finding minerals and developing them. An example of mining that must be developed is the nickel deposit in Glacier Bay.

Chairman Anderson expressed committee support of development. Rural areas must be developed to support themselves. However, there are many anti-development people in Alaska.

It was moved to add the amendment on Page 10, Line 16 and 17. Motion passed.

Betch expressed concern about the amendment. The "one mining business" wording could be a loophole for several mines, and lots of deductions. He had no objection to the first amendment. It was Line 9 of that amendment that was the problem.

Discussion of the "one business" situation ascertained that "mining business operations" needs to be clarified as opposed to "mining business"

Betch said that the second amendment would allow separation for taxation. The rate schedule would be applied. Motion carried to add the amendment to Line 8.

Motion to amend Line 9 passed, with Smith objecting.

Re: Line 15, Betch stated that this is standard accounting language that is proposed. No action was taken on the amendment.

Motion was made to amend Line 4, page 3, by adding the words "exploration and". Motion carried.

Motion was made to amend Page 3 Line 11 by adding a new subsection allowing offsetting losses in subsequent years. Motion passed.

Re: definition of minerals on page 9, Line 27 and 28, discussion included the fact that molibdanum, uranium and titanium should be added to the list of minerals. "Sand and gravel" should be struck from the mineral list and classified as "materials." Also, on Pg. 4, every place minerals occurs, "or materials" should be added.

Eliason asked about the handling of rock quarries. Smith answered that they are "materials" under a state sale.

McDonald stated that even dirt is a mineral. Valuable metals should be the term, not minerals.

Smith suggested listing by exception instead of attempting to name all of the minerals.

Re: definitions, "all locatable and leasable minerals except sand, gravel, building materials, topsoil, oil and gas" Motion to adopt the definitions passed.

Motion to adopt the new subsection 8 on page 10 and add "materials" and also on page 4 wherever "minerals" occurs, passed.

Betch questioned page 1, the net proceeds tax wording, and the graduated increase based on ability to pay. A flat rate would give the incentive to the larger operator.

Eliason suggested listing the changes line by line for the Finance Committee.

Re: CSSS HB 615. Motion was made to adopt the new \$19,690,000 amount. Smith stated that he was not concerned with detail. Experts will take care of that. Also, non-profit groups will take over alot of what Fish and Game has proposed. He would exclude items 2, 3, 15 and 16 from the list of projects. "Let's not support hatcheries yet."

Eliason stated that we need to either get with it or get out of it. By removing hatchery programs we're regressing.

Smith stated that he had no qualms about the hatchery program, but do we want hatchery programs? It is the first phase of a 300 million dollar program.

Eliason stated that most people seem to be behind the program.

Chairman Anderson mentioned the lack of definitive site selection information at this time.

Eliason stated the difficulty in Southeast as to getting together on

projects. The private sector can't do it in SE.

Huntington stated that the Interior rivers need to be rehabilitated.

Motion to amend to delete items 2, 3, 15 and 16 was defeated.

Motion was made to specify areas and amounts, specifying by line item certain projects totaling \$45,000.

Anderson asked what Huntington would do with the facility? Huntington answered that experiments could be done, with development at the same time.

Brown answered that the intent of the motion is to make distribution of the monies specific. He favored it.

As to what to do if the designated areas don't lend themselves to development, Huntington answered that a small unit could be developed and used.

Motion to pass the Huntington amendment passed.

Motion to pass the original motion as amended passed, with a majority of Do Pass recommendations.

Re: CS HB 654. The Committee Substitute was presented. There was brief discussion, including that the definition of minerals is different for tax purposes than for land. Discussion also zeroed in on the need for a 60-day notification to persons before a classification change. Concern was stated regarding agricultural changes, when agriculture may not be the highest and best use.

An amendment to paragraph c, Line 26, page 5, regarding notice----if requested a hearing may be held-----etc. Motion adopted
Motion to move CS HB 654 out of committee with a Do Pass recommendation carried.

Present were Rhode, Huntington, Staff Assistant Van Doren and Chairman Anderson. Present for a part of the meeting were Brown and Osterback.

Subject: SSHP615

Chairman Anderson stated that the committee was specifically looking for a time frame and a reason for having the \$44 million spent now.

Bob Roys, Dept. of Fish and Game, began the presentation on the FRED program. (Copies of charts attached) The basic conclusion drawn at the present time is that when the production of fry is up, so is the return of adult fish to the spawning ground. The longer you control the fry--the better off the fishery is. Once the fry reach the natural environment, you no longer have control.

Mr. Roys stated that many kinds of expertise are available within the Dept. of Fish and Game.

Mr. Huntington asked why, according to the chart shown, there is only one very small Fish and Game effort in the whole Yukon system. In 4/5 of Alaska, there is only one program relating to fisheries.

Mr. Roys explained that commercial and sport fishing projects were being undertaken in the interior--his program was the FRED program.

Dick Logan, staff biologist for FRED spoke. He said that where the biggest need is, the main objectives have been zeroed in. It is much harder for the FRED program to work in the Interior, since much less is known about the technology of the fisheries there. Pink and chum salmon have the most developed technology, and are thus the easiest and most predictable to work with. Not much is really known about sockeye and kings yet. The monies asked for will be put basically into pinks and chums. However, Cook Inlet has a "spinoff" project relating to sockeye.

Types of facilities addressed are: smolt facility, salt water rearing, lake stocking, pre to post smolt rearing, and closed system.

Pinks do not generate the income chums do, so from an economic standpoint, chums are the ones that should be stressed. Chums return after 4 years, so results won't begin until then.

Bob Luim presented testimony. A given location determines the number of fry to be involved. The estuarian environment will support only a certain number of fry at a time. Also, the cost-benefit ratio must be ascertained. Some facilities could be developed in stages, but most should be completed immediately, to help hold down costs.

Year-round facilities are not feasible, although some of the systems could combine with natural lakes. Most Alaskan lakes are too cold for over-wintering of fish.