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CSHB 212 thru CSHB 215



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THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
TENTH LEGISLATURE

FISCAL NOTE

I. REQUEST

Bill/Resolution No. SCSCS HB 212  
 Title An Act Relating to State Aid for Schools  
 Requested by \_\_\_\_\_ Date May 6, 1977

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Agency Affected Department of Education  
 Program Category Affected Education  
 Budget Request Unit(s) Affected Financial Support Programs

EXPENDITURES (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY 77	FY 78	FY 79	FY 80	FY 81	FY 82
100 PERSONAL SERVICES						
200 TRAVEL						
300 CONTRACTUAL						
400 COMMODITIES						
500 EQUIPMENT						
600 LAND & STRUCTURES						
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC.		6,548.9	28,394.0	30,097.6	31,903.5	33,817.7
TOTAL		6,548.9	28,394.0	30,097.6	31,903.5	33,817.7

FUNDING (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND		6,548.9	28,394.0	30,097.6	31,903.5	33,817.7
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER (Specify)						

POSITIONS

FULL TIME						
PART TIME						
TEMPORARY						

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

See attached for FY 78 and 79 detail

FY 80-82 estimated at 6% per year increase.

Attached district by district analysis is based on FY 77 first quarter enrollments for comparative purposes and does not include increased enrollment projections which are included in the cost analysis.

IV. DATE May 6 1977

PREPARED BY Nat Cole, Deputy Commissioner  
 AGENCY Education  
 PHONE 465-2800

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

REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL ATTENDANCE AREA DISTRICTS

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

	Base FY77 25K 95%	FY78 27.5K With Diff. Change	FY78 Increase	FY78 % Increase	FY79 29K 97%	Difference FY79 & FY78 25K, 95%	Food Service FY79	Sm. & Lg. School Formula Change	FY79 Increase Total	% Increase 77-79
Northwest Arctic	4072.8	4944.6	871.8	21.41	5214.3	1141.5	99.9	89.9	1331.3	33
Bering Straits	1358.8	1747.7	388.9	28.62	1843.0	484.2	31.7	134.9	650.8	48
Lower Yukon	2457.0	3069.1	612.1	24.91	3236.4	779.4	14.2	89.9	883.5	36
Lower Kuskokwim	3685.5	4603.6	918.1	24.91	4854.7	1169.2	10.5	179.8	1359.5	37
Kuspik	1474.6	1790.3	315.7	21.41	1887.9	413.3	31.5	179.8	1217.7	83
Southwest	1988.5	2531.8	543.3	27.32	2697.0	708.5	79.2	404.6	1192.3	60
Lake & Peninsula	1557.6	2003.4	445.8	28.62	2112.7	555.1	45.1	497.6	1097.8	71
Aleutian Chain	828.5	1031.3	202.8	24.48	1087.5	259.0	49.5	478.5	787.0	95
Pribilof	729.1	907.5	178.4	24.47	957.0	227.9	42.8	-	270.7	37
Adak	1458.2	1694.0	235.8	16.17	1786.4	328.2	9.7	-	337.9	23
Iditarod	1334.2	1619.8	285.6	21.41	1708.1	373.9	22.4	359.6	755.9	57
Yukon/Koyukuk	2949.2	3580.6	631.4	21.41	3775.8	826.6	92.1	224.8	1143.5	39
Yukon Flats	1123.5	1364.0	240.5	21.41	1438.4	314.9	39.9	314.7	669.5	60
Upper Railbelt	1371.0	* 1371.0	*	*	1426.8	55.8	3.7	-	59.5	*
Delta/Greely	1780.0	2112.0	332.0	18.65	2227.2	447.2	93.5	-	540.7	30
Alaska Gateway	1335.0	1584.0	249.0	18.65	1670.4	335.4	20.2	104.4	564.4	42
Copper River	1955.0	2150.5	195.5	10.00	2267.8	312.8	23.5	-	336.3	17
Chatham	537.5	594.0	56.5	10.51	626.4	88.9	6.6	62.6	158.1	29
Southeast Islands	1207.5	1381.4	173.9	14.40	1456.7	249.2	19.2	60.3	328.7	27
Annette Island	892.5	1021.0	128.5	14.40	1070.7	184.2	9.6	-	193.8	22
Chugach	287.5	330.0	42.5	14.78	348.0	60.5	16.4	34.8	111.7	39

\* Area differential change negative covered under the floor section of bill.

ALASKA CITY & BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Districts	Base FY-77 25K 95%	FY-78 27.5K Dif.Chg.	FY-78 Inc.	FY-78 % Inc.	FY-79 29K 97%	Dif. FY-78 & FY-79 25K; 95%	Food Ser. FY-78	Sm. & Lge. School Change	FY-79 Increase Total	% Inc. Total
ANCHORAGE	48,812.4	54,766.2	5,953.8	12.20	57,753.4	8,941.0	563.7	1,532.6	11,042.3	23
BRISTOL BAY	820.3	1,076.3	256.0	31.21	1,135.0	314.7	13.3		328.0	40.
CORDOVA	1,340.9	1,492.2	151.3	11.28	1,573.6	232.7	16.7		249.4	19
CRAIG	451.0	501.0	50.3	11.09	528.3	77.3	8.6		85.9	19.
DILLINGHAM	1,274.7	1,648.6	392.9	31.49	1,738.6	463.9	60.8		585.5	46
FAIRBANKS	16,056.9	18,147.1	2,090.2	13.02	*18,729.6	2,672.7	81.4	190.1	2,944.2	18 <sup>4</sup>
GALENA	523.4	637.0	113.6	21.70	671.8	148.4	8.5		156.9	30.0
HAINES	1,058.6	1,226.1	207.5	90.60	1,335.2	276.6	6.8		283.4	27
HOONAH	774.7	890.0	115.3	14.88	938.5	163.8	44.7		280.5	20
HYDABURG	373.9	414.2	40.3	10.78	436.8	62.9	14.7		77.0	21
JUNEAU	7,105.9	7,934.9	829.0	11.67	8,367.7	1,261.8	59.6		1,321.4	19
KAKE	508.2	651.4	63.2	10.74	686.9	178.7	11.0		189.7	32.
KENAI	9,727.4	10,976.2	1,248.8	13.47	11,574.9	1,847.5	134.3		1,981.8	20.
KETCHIKAN	4,280.2	4,804.9	524.7	12.26	5,067.0	786.8	89.5		876.3	20.
KING COVE	460.5	574.9	114.4	24.84	606.3	145.8	7.2		153.0	33.
KLAWOCK	213.7	236.7	23.0	10.76	249.7	36.0	7.8		43.8	20.
KODIAK	4,651.1	5,397.3	746.2	16.04	5,691.7	1,340.6	45.7	31.7	1,463.7	31.
MAT-SU	6,039.4	6,786.9	747.5	12.38	7,157.1	1,117.7	94.6		1,212.3	20.
NENANA*	727.7	726.7	*	*	760.6	32.9	2.3		35.2	*
NOME	2,331.4	3,009.7	678.3	29.09	3,173.9	842.5	50.2		892.7	38.3
NORTH SLOPE	3,869.1	4,796.2	927.1	23.96	5,057.8	1,188.7	139.4	128.1	1,456.2	38
PELICAN	135.5	157.9	22.4	16.53	166.5	31.0	3.5		34.5	25.
PETERSBURG	1,157.8	1,292.2	134.4	11.61	1,362.7	204.9	6.1		211.0	18
SELAWIK	700.2	851.1	150.9	21.55	897.5	197.3	44.7		242.0	35
SITKA	3,055.4	3,428.5	373.1	12.21	3,615.5	560.1	32.0	29.5	621.6	20
SKAGWAY	510.6	576.2	65.6	12.85	607.6	97.0	7.3		104.3	20
ST. MARY'S	578.3	723.3	145.0	25.07	762.7	184.4	25.5		209.9	36
UNALASKA	517.7	650.6	132.9	25.67	686.1	168.4	7.3		175.7	34
VALDEZ	2,075.8	2,331.4	255.6	12.31	2,458.6	382.8	28.7		411.5	20
WRANGELL	1,139.4	1,268.6	129.2	11.34	1,337.8	198.4	8.2		206.6	18
YAKUTAT	476.5	558.7	82.2	17.25	589.2	112.7	11.1		123.8	26

\*Area differential change negative covered under the floor section of bill.

## Section 3: Basic need from 95% to 97%

158,596,551	Basic need est. FY 78
<u>153,183,803</u>	Entitlement est. FY 78 @ 95%
5,412,748	Differential at 95%

$2/5 \times 5,412,748 = \underline{\$2,165,099}$  estimated increase at 97%

## Section 4 - 6: Minimum units small elementary and secondary schools

140 units at 36,000 (average per inst. unit) = \$5,040,000

## Section 7: Differentials

3002 Inst. Units X 0.000 X 27,500	=	0
489 Inst. Units X 0.0025 X 27,500	=	67,238
506 Inst. Units X 0.0050 X 27,500	=	69,575
751 Inst. Units X 0.0075 X 27,500	=	154,894
28 Inst. Units X 0.045 X 27,500	=	34,650
39 Inst. Units X 0.075 X 27,500	=	80,438
19 Inst. Units X 0.0849 X 27,500	=	44,360
113 Inst. Units X 0.0875 X 27,500	=	271,906
44 Inst. Units X 0.0956 X 27,500	=	115,676
518 Inst. Units X 0.1456 X 27,500	=	2,074,072
64 Inst. Units X 0.1744 X 27,500	=	306,944
229 Inst. Units X 0.1850 X 27,500	=	1,165,038
238 Inst. Units X 0.2244 X 27,500	=	<u>1,468,698</u>
		<u>6,142,231</u>

Section 8: Hold harmless  
Subtotal FY 78

406,681

6,548,911

Section 9: FY 79 Basic Inst. Unit at \$29,000

6800 Instructional Units X 1500 per unit increase X 1.20  
(average differential) = \$12,240,000

## Section 10: School Lunch

Federal subsidy for FY 78 estimated at \$2,000,000

2,000,000 X 1.20 (average differential) = \$2,400,000 state  
cost under section 10.

\* x 1.05

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA  
DISTRICT SCHOOLS

	<u>Exc. D.</u>	<u>Existing</u>	<u>SCS</u>	<u>HCS</u>
Anchorage	8	100.00	100.00	100.00
Bristol Bay	13	132.56	155.00	150.00 *
Cordova	6	115.00	115.00	120.00
Craig	1	107.50	108.00	108.00 *
Dillingham	13	132.56	155.00	150.00 *
Fairbanks	16 <sup>50</sup>	111.25	112.00	116.00
Galena	15	140.44	155.00	150.00 *
Haines	5	107.50	115.00	120.00
Hoonah	5	107.50	112.00	108.00
Hydaburg	1	107.50	108.00	108.00 *
Juneau	4	100.00	100.00	100.00
Kake	2	107.50	108.00	108.00 *
Kenai	10	107.50	108.00	108.00
Ketchikan	1	100.00	100.00	100.00
King Cove	12	132.56	150.00	145.00 *
Klawock	1	107.50	108.00	108.00 *
Kodiak	11	107.50	112.00	120.00
Matanuska-Sus.	7	103.75	104.00	104.00
Nenana	15	133.75	120.00	120.00
Nome	18	132.56	155.00	150.00 *
North Slope	17	140.44	155.00	150.00 *
Pelican	5	112.87	112.00	120.00 *
Petersburg	2	103.75	104.00	104.00
Selawik	17	140.44	155.00	150.00 *
Sitka	3	103.75	104.00	104.00
Skegway	5	107.50	108.00	108.00
St. Mary's	19	136.50	155.00	150.00 *
Unalaska	12	132.56	150.00	145.00 *
Valdez	6	115.00	115.00	120.00
Wrangell	2	103.75	104.00	104.00
Yakutat	5	112.87	120.00	120.00 *

1960 Census  
 65 Reapportionment 77-78

\* X 1.05

AA'S	Election District			
Adak	12	132.56	140.00	135.00 *
Alaska Gateway	16 So.	111.25	120.00	120.00
Aleutian Chain	12	132.56	150.00	145.00 *
Annette Island	1	105.00	104.00	104.00 *
Bering Straits	18	132.56	155.00	150.00 *
Chatham	3	108.94	108.00	108.00 *
Chugach	6	120.75	120.00	120.00 *
Copper River	6	115.00	115.00	120.00
Delta/Greely	16 So.	111.25	120.00	120.00
Iditarod	15	140.44	155.00	150.00 *
Kuspuk	15	140.44	155.00	150.00 *
Lake and Peninsula	13	132.56	155.00	150.00 *
Lower Kuskokwim	14	136.50	155.00	150.00 *
Lower Yukon	19	136.50	155.00	150.00 *
Northwest Arctic	17	140.44	155.00	150.00 *
Pribilof	12	132.56	150.00	135.00 *
Southeast Island	1	105.00	104.00	104.00 *
Southwest	13	132.56	155.00	150.00 *
Upper Railbelt	15	133.75	120.00	120.00
Yukon Flats	16 No.	140.44	155.00	145.00 *
Yukon-Koyukuk	15	140.44	155.00	150.00 *

Original sponsors: Schaeffer, Makak  
and Snider

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

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SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 212

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to state aid for schools; and providing for an effective date."

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

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\* Section 1. AS 14.08.121(a) is amended to read:

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(a) The legislature shall fund the operational costs of the regional educational attendance area schools in the following manner:

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(1) the amount of basic need as defined in AS 14.17.021(b), reduced by deducting, to the maximum extent permitted under sec. 5(d)(2) of P.L. 81-874, as amended, (20 U.S.C. 240(d)) and the regulations adopted under it (45 C.F.R. 115.60 - 115.66), the amount of the regional educational attendance area's entitlement to federal financial assistance under P.L. 81-874, as amended, (20 U.S.C. 236 - 244) for the prior fiscal year; and

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(2) an additional amount equal to the average local tax contributions per pupil in average daily membership (ADM) for school operating costs in the city and borough school districts in the prior fiscal year.

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\* Sec. 2. AS 14.17.021(a) is amended to read:

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(a) The amount of state aid for which each school district may qualify is calculated by multiplying the basic need as defined in (b) of this section by the equalized percentage as defined in (c) of this section. To the maximum extent permitted under sec. 5(d)(2) of P.L. 81-874, as amended, (20 U.S.C. 240(d)) and the regulations adopted under it (45 C.F.R. 115.60 - 115.66), the amount of state aid shall be reduced

1 by the amount of the school district's entitlement to federal financial  
2 assistance under P.L. 81-874, as amended, (20 U.S.C. 236 - 244), for the  
3 prior fiscal year.

4 \* Sec. 3. AS 14.17.021(c)(2) and (5) are amended to read:

5 (2) K (minimum level of state support of basic need) = 97  
6 [95] per cent;

7 (5) state aid as computed under this section constitutes at  
8 least 97 [95] per cent of the basic need, as defined by the department,  
9 of each school district.

10 \* Sec. 4. AS 14.17.031(a) and (b) are amended to read:

11 (a) The total number of instructional units within each school  
12 district is the sum of

13 (1) the number of units for elementary schools and the number  
14 of units for secondary schools as determined from sec. 41(a), (b), (c),  
15 or (d) [OR SEC. 41(b)] of this chapter;

16 (2) the number of units for vocational education determined  
17 from sec. 41(e) [41(c)] of this chapter as approved by the department;

18 (3) the number of units from special education determined  
19 from sec. 41(f) [41(d)] of this chapter as approved by the department;  
20 and

21 (4) if the district has five or more correspondence pupils  
22 enrolled in an approved district correspondence study program, the  
23 number of units for correspondence pupils determined by applying the  
24 number of correspondence pupils to sec. 41(a) of this chapter.

25 (b) A school district shall compute separately the number of  
26 allowable instructional units for each of its secondary schools except  
27 as provided in (c) of this section.

28 \* Sec. 5. AS 14.17.031(c) is repealed and re-enacted to read:

29 (c) The commissioner shall authorize any school in a remote

1 location to establish an associated secondary school when the sum of the  
2 average daily membership in grades five through eight is greater than  
3 20. Notwithstanding sec. 41 of this chapter, any school or school  
4 district operating a remote elementary school with 20 or fewer total  
5 average daily membership in grades five through eight may conduct a  
6 secondary program subject to approval of the commissioner and use the  
7 following table to calculate the number of allowable instructional  
8 units for the combined elementary and secondary program of the remote  
9 school:

10 ADM	No. Instructional Units
11 under 12	3
12 12 - 20	4
13 21 - 32	5

14 \* Sec. 6. AS 14.17.031 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

15 (d) If the instructional units which a school district is entitled  
16 to under (a) of this section decrease by 10 per cent or more from one  
17 year to the next, the school district may use the last year before the  
18 reduction as a base year and offset its reduction according to the  
19 following schedule: (1) for the first year after the base year, the  
20 school district is entitled to the instructional units determined under  
21 (a) of this section plus 75 per cent of the difference in instructional  
22 units between the base year and the first year; (2) for the second year  
23 after the base year, the school district is entitled to the instructional  
24 units determined under (a) of this section plus 50 per cent of the  
25 difference in instructional units between the base year and the second  
26 year; (3) for the third year after the base year, the school district is  
27 entitled to the instructional units determined under (a) of this section  
28 plus 25 per cent of the difference in instructional units between the  
29 base year and the second year. The schedule established in this

1 subsection is available to a school district for the three years fol-  
 2 lowing the base year only so long as the entitlement to instructional  
 3 units under (a) of this section for each year is less than the entitle-  
 4 ment in the base year.

5 \* Sec. 7. AS 14.17.041 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

6 Sec. 14.17.041. TABLE OF ALLOWABLE INSTRUCTIONAL UNITS. (a)

7 Elementary schools in districts with ADM under 1,000:

ADM	No. Instructional Units
8 under 20	2
9 20 - 32	3
10 33 - 46	4
11 47 - 62	5
12 63 - 80	6
13 81 - 999	6 plus 1 for each 18 pupils or fraction of 18

14 (b) Elementary schools in districts with ADM of 1,000 or over:

ADM	No. Instructional Units
15 under 20	2
16 20 - 32	3
17 33 - 46	4
18 47 - 62	5
19 63 - 80	6
20 81 - 99	7
21 100 - 3005	7 plus 1 for each 19 pupils or fraction of 19
22 3006 and over	160 plus 1 for each 21 pupils or fraction of 21

23 (c) Secondary schools in districts with ADM under 1,000:

ADM	No. Instructional Units
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1	under 33	3
2	33 - 46	4
3	47 - 62	5
4	63 - 80	6
5	81 - 999	6 plus 1 for each 18 pupils
6		or fraction of 18
7	(d) Secondary schools in districts with ADM of 1,000 or over:	
8	ADM	No. Instructional Units
9	under 33	3
10	33 - 46	4
11	47 - 62	5
12	63 - 80	6
13	81 - 99	7
14	100 - 3005	7 plus 1 for each 19 pupils
15		or fraction of 19
16	3006 and over	160 plus 1 for each 21 pupils
17		or fraction of 21
18	(e) Vocational education schedule:	
19	ADM	No. Instructional Units
20	Full-Time Equivalent	
21	5 - 10	1
22	11 - 25	2
23	26 - 40	3
24	41 and over	3 plus 1 for each 20 pupils or
25		fraction of 20 pupils in
26		Full-Time Equivalent ADM
27	(f) Special education schedule:	
28	ADM	No. Instructional Units
29	Full-Time Equivalent	

1	5 - 8	1
2	9 - 15	2
3	16 - 24	3
4	25 - 35	4
5	36 and over	4 plus .1 for each 11 pupils or
6		fraction of 11 pupils in
7		Full-Time Equivalent ADM

8 \* Sec. 8. AS 14.17.051 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

9           Sec. 14.17.051. INSTRUCTIONAL UNIT ALLOTMENT. The instructional  
10 unit allotment for each school district or regional educational atten-  
11 dance area is as follows:

12           (1) for Gateway Borough School District, City and Borough of  
13 Juneau School District, and Anchorage School District, the district is  
14 entitled to receive the base instructional unit allotment;

15           (2) for Annette Island School District, Southeast School  
16 District, Petersburg City School District, Wrangell City School Dis-  
17 trict, Sitka Borough School District, and Matanuska-Susitna Borough  
18 School District, the district or area is entitled to receive 104 per  
19 cent of the base instructional unit allotment;

20           (3) for Craig City School District, Hydaburg City School  
21 District, Klawock City School District, Kake City School District,  
22 Chatham School District, Skagway City School District, and Kenai  
23 Peninsula Borough School District, the district or area is entitled to  
24 receive 108 per cent of the base instructional unit allotment;

25           (4) for Pelican City School District, Kodiak Island Borough  
26 School District, Hoonah City School District, and North Star Borough  
27 School District, the district or area is entitled to receive 112 per  
28 cent of the base instructional unit allotment;

29           (5) for Copper River School District, Cordova City School

1 District, Valdez City School District, and Haines Borough School Dis-  
2 trict, the district or area is entitled to receive 115 per cent of the  
3 base instructional unit allotment;

4 (6) for Nenana City School District, Delta School District,  
5 Alaska Gateway School District, Upper Railbelt Regional School District,  
6 Yakutat City School District, and Chugach School District, the district  
7 or area is entitled to receive 120 per cent of the base instructional  
8 unit allotment;

9 (7) for Adak Regional School District the area is entitled to  
10 receive 140 per cent of the base instructional unit allotment;

11 (8) for Pribilof Islands School District, Aleutian Chain  
12 School District, King Cove City School District, and Unalaska City  
13 School District, the district or area is entitled to receive 150 per  
14 cent of the base instructional unit allotment;

15 (9) for Yukon Flats School District, Dillingham City School  
16 District, Bristol Bay Borough School District, Southwest Regional School  
17 District, Lake Peninsula School District, Lower Kuskokwim School Dis-  
18 trict, Galena City School District, Kuspuk School District, Yukon-  
19 Koyukuk School District, Northwest Arctic School District, Selawik City  
20 School District, Nome City School District, Bering Straits School  
21 District, Iditarod Area School District, North Slope Borough School  
22 District, Lower Yukon School District, and St. Mary's City School  
23 District, the district or area is entitled to receive 155 per cent of  
24 the base instructional unit allotment.

25 \* Sec. 9. Notwithstanding the provisions of AS 14.17.051, as re-enacted  
26 by sec. 8 of this Act, the value of the instructional unit allotment for any  
27 school district or regional educational attendance area is not less than it  
28 would have been for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1977 if sec. 8 of this  
29 Act had not been enacted.

1 \* Sec. 10. AS 14.17.056 is amended to read:

2 Sec. 14.17.056. BASE INSTRUCTIONAL UNIT. (a) The base instruc-  
3 tional unit for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1977 [1976] and ending  
4 June 30, 1978 [1977] is \$27,500 [\$25,000].

5 (b) The base instructional unit for fiscal years beginning on or  
6 after July 1, 1978 [1977] is \$29,000 [\$27,500].

7 \* Sec. 11. AS 14.17 is amended by adding a new section to read:

8 Sec. 14.17.205. STATE AID TO DISTRICTS OPERATING APPROVED SCHOOL  
9 FOOD SERVICE PROGRAMS. A school district that qualifies for and pro-  
10 vides free and reduced-price lunches to students who qualify under the  
11 Federal Nutrition Act shall receive state aid in an amount for each free  
12 or reduced-price meal equal to the federal allowances multiplied by the  
13 school district's area differential in sec. 51 of this chapter.

14 \* Sec. 12. AS 14.17.225 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

15 (f) Funds necessary to carry out the provisions of sec. 205 of  
16 this chapter may be appropriated annually to the Department of Educa-  
17 tion. If amounts appropriated are insufficient to meet the allocations  
18 authorized under sec. 205 of this chapter, such funds as are available  
19 shall be distributed pro rata among eligible districts.

20 \* Sec. 13. Sections 1, 2, 6, 8 and 9 of this Act take effect July 1, 1977.  
21 Sections 3 - 5, 7, and 10 - 12 of this Act take effect July 1, 1978.

COMMITTEE REPORT  
SENATE

4/20/77

May 19, 1977

Date

Mr. President:

The Committee on FINANCE has had CSHE 212 (FIN) and instructional units and instructional unit allotments under consideration. A majority of the members of the Committee

- recommend it do pass
- recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for CS HR 212 and that CS for CS HR 212 do pass
- (and) recommends it be referred to the \_\_\_\_\_ committee
- reports it back without recommendation
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MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

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MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

<u>[Signature]</u>	recommends: <u>[Signature]</u>
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Chairman

	<u>Elec. Dist.</u>	<u>Per Cent</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Plus 5%</u>	<u>Total</u>
Anchorage	2	100.70	27500	-	27500
Bristol Bay	13	126.75	34719	yes	36453
Cordova	6	115.00	31625	-	31625
Craig	1	100.00	27500	*	29562
Dillingham	13	126.25	34719	yes	36453
Fairbanks	16 <sup>50</sup>	111.25	30594	-	30594
Galena	15	133.75	36781	yes	38622
Haines	5	107.50	29562	-	29562
Hoonah	5	107.50	29562	-	29562
Hydaburg	1	100.00	27500	*	29562
Juneau	4	100.00	27500	-	27500
Kake	2	103.75	27500	*	29562
Kenai	10	107.50	29562	-	29562
Ketchikan	1	100.00	27500	-	27500
King Cove	12	126.25	34719	yes	36453
Klawock	1	100.00	27500	*	29562
Kodiak	11	107.50	29562	-	29562
Matanuska-Sus.	7	103.75	28531	-	28531
Nenana	15	133.75	36781	-	36781
Nome	18	126.25	34719	yes	36453
North Slope	17	133.75	36781	yes	38622
Pelican	5	107.50	29562	yes	31040
Petersburg	2	103.75	28531	-	28531
Selawik	17	133.75	36781	yes	38622
Sitka	3	103.75	28531	-	28531
Sitka	5	107.50	29562	-	29562
St. Mary's	19	130.00	35750	yes	37530
Unalaska	12	126.25	34719	yes	36453
Valdez	6	115.00	31625	-	31625
Wrangell	2	103.75	28531	-	28531
* Yakutat	5	107.50	29562	yes	31040

\* A dist. rec'y less than 25 cents



1960 Census  
 1965 Reapportionment 74-78. Foundation Trust Allocation

REAA'S	Election District	Per Cent	Amount	Plus Sep	Total Amount
Adak	12	126.25	34719.	yes	36455
Alaska Gateway	16 So.	111.25	30594	no	30594
Aleutian Chain	12	126.25	34719	yes	36455
Annette Island	1	100.00	27500		28875
Bering Straits	18	126.25	34719		36455
Chatham	3	103.75	28531		29956
Chugach	6	115.00	31625		33206
Copper River	6	115.00	31625	no	31625
Delta/Greely	16 So.	111.25	30594.	no	30594
Iditarod	15	133.75	36781	yes	38620
Kuspuk	15	133.75	36781		38620
Lake and Peninsula	13	126.25	34719		36455
Lower Kuskokwim	14	130.00	35750		37538
Lower Yukon	19	130.00	35750		37538
Northwest Arctic	17	133.75	36781		38620
Pribilof	12	126.25	34719		36455
Southeast Island	1	100.00	27500		28875
Southwest	13	126.25	34719.		36455
Upper Railbelt	15	133.75	36781	no	36781
Yukon Flats	16 No.	133.75	36781	yes	38620
Yukon-Koyukuk	15	133.75	36781		38620

Original sponsors: Schaeffer, Nakak  
and Snider

Offered: 4/27/77  
Referred: Rules

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 212 (Finance) am

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to instructional units and instruc-  
7 tional unit allotments; and providing for an effective  
8 date."

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

10 \* Section 1. AS 14.17.041 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

11 Sec. 14.17.041. TABLE OF ALLOWABLE INSTRUCTIONAL UNITS. (a)

12 Elementary schools in districts with ADM under 1,000:

13 ADM	No. Instructional Units
14 under 20	2
15 20 - 32	3
16 33 - 46	4
17 47 - 62	5
18 63 - 80	6
19 81 - 999	6 plus 1 for each 18 pupils 20 or fraction of 18

21 (b) Elementary schools in districts with ADM of 1,000 or over:

22 ADM	No. Instructional Units
23 under 20	2
24 20 - 32	3
25 33 - 46	4
26 47 - 62	5
27 63 - 80	6
28 81 - 99	7
29 100 - 3005	7 plus 1 for each 19 pupils

1 or fraction of 19  
 2 3006 and over 160 plus 1 for each 21 pupils  
 3 or fraction of 21

4 (c) Secondary schools in districts with ADM under 1,000:

ADM	No. Instructional Units
under 33	3
33 - 46	4
46 - 62	5
63 - 80	6
81 - 999	6 plus 1 for each 18 pupils or fraction of 18

11 (d) Secondary schools in districts with ADM of 1,000 or over:

ADM	No. Instructional Units
under 33	3
33 - 46	4
46 - 62	5
63 - 80	6
81 - 99	7
100 - 3005	7 plus 1 for each 19 pupils or fraction of 19
3006 and over	160 plus 1 for each 21 pupils or fraction of 21

22 (e) Vocational education schedule:

ADM	No. Instructional Units
Full-Time Equivalent	
5 - 10	1
11 - 25	2
26 - 40	3
41 and over	3 plus 1 for each 20 pupils or

1 fraction of 20 pupils in  
2 Full-Time Equivalent ADM

3 (f) Special education schedule:

4 ADM	No. Instructional Units
5 Full-Time Equivalent	
6 5 - 8	1
7 9 - 15	2
8 16 - 24	3
9 25 - 35	4
10 36 and over	4 plus 1 for each 11 pupils or
	11 fraction of 11 pupils in
	12 Full-Time Equivalent ADM

13 \* Sec. 2. AS 14.17.051 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

14 Sec. 14.17.051. INSTRUCTIONAL UNIT ALLOTMENT. (a) The instruc-  
15 tional unit allotment for each school district or regional educational  
16 attendance area is as follows:

17 (1) for Gateway Borough School District, City and Borough of  
18 Juneau School District, and Anchorage School District, the district is  
19 entitled to receive the base instructional unit allotment;

20 (2) for Annette Island School District, Southeast School  
21 District, Petersburg City School District, Wrangell City School District,  
22 Sitka Borough School District, and Matanuska-Susitna Borough School  
23 District, the district or area is entitled to receive 104 per cent of  
24 the base instructional unit allotment;

25 (3) for Craig City School District, Hydaburg City School  
26 District, Klawock City School District, Kake City School District,  
27 Chatham School District, Hoonah City School District, Skagway City  
28 School District, and Kenai Peninsula Borough School District, the dis-  
29 trict or area is entitled to receive 103 per cent of the base instruc-

1 tional unit allotment;

2 (4) for Pelican City School District, Kodiak Island Borough  
3 School District, Nenana City School District, Delta School District,  
4 Alaska Gateway School District, Upper Railbelt Regional School District,  
5 Copper River School District, Cordova City School District, Valdez City  
6 School District, Yakutat City School District, Chugach School District,  
7 and Haines Borough School District, the district or area is entitled to  
8 receive 120 per cent of the base instructional unit allotment;

9 (5) for North Star Borough School District, the district or  
10 area is entitled to receive 116 per cent of the base instructional unit  
11 allotment;

12 (6) for Adak Regional School District and Pribilof Islands  
13 School District, the area is entitled to receive 135 per cent of the  
14 base instructional unit allotment;

15 (7) for Yukon Flats School District, Aleutian Chain School  
16 District, King Cove City School District, and Unalaska City School  
17 District, the district or area is entitled to receive 145 per cent of  
18 the base instructional unit allotment;

19 (8) for Dillingham City School District, Bristol Bay Borough  
20 School District, Southwest Regional School District, Lake Peninsula  
21 School District, Lower Kuskokwim School District, Galena City School  
22 District, Kuspuk School District, Yukon-Koyukuk School District, North-  
23 west Arctic School District, Selawik City School District, Nome City  
24 School District, Bering Straits School District, Iditarod Area School  
25 District, North Slope Borough School District, Lower Yukon School Dis-  
26 trict, and St. Mary's City School District, the district or area is  
27 entitled to receive 150 per cent of the base instructional unit allot-  
28 ment.

29 (b) The instructional unit allotment established in (a) of this

1 section for any school district which does not have access to Anchorage,  
2 Ketchikan or Fairbanks by road, railroad or state ferry system shall be  
3 increased an additional five per cent above its instructional unit  
4 allotment under (a)(1) - (8) of this section.

5 \* Sec. 3. Notwithstanding the provisions of AS 14.17.051, as re-enacted  
6 by sec. 2 of this Act, the value of the instructional unit allotment for any  
7 school district or regional educational attendance area is not less than it  
8 would have been for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1977 if sec. 2 of this  
9 Act had not been enacted.

10 \* Sec. 4. This Act takes effect July 1, 1977.

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HOUSE JOURNAL

April 29, 1977

Supplement

No. 55

HB  
212

MEMORANDUM

I. REQUEST  
 Bill/Resolution No. HB 212  
 Title Relating to instructional units and instructional unit allotments  
 Requested by House Finance Date April 25, 1977

II. FISCAL DETAIL  
 Agency Affected Education  
 Program Category Affected Education  
 Budget Request Unit(s) Affected Financial Support

EXPENDITURES (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY 77	FY 78	FY 79	FY 80	FY 81	FY 82
100 PERSONAL SERVICES						
200 TRAVEL						
300 CONTRACTUAL						
400 COMMODITIES						
500 EQUIPMENT						
600 LAND & STRUCTURES						
700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC		10,763.5	11,409.3	12,093.9	12,819.5	13,588.7
TOTAL		10,763.5	11,409.3	12,093.9	12,819.5	13,588.7

FUNDING (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND		10,763.5	11,409.3	12,093.9	12,819.5	13,588.7
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER (Specify)						

POSITIONS

FULL TIME						
PART TIME						
TEMPORARY						

- III. ANALYSIS (See Fiscal Note Preparation Instructions, Section III)  
 a-c below taken from school district by school district, analysis attached
- a) 149,216,363 - 4,841,000 (Elementary, Ft. Richardson) 1,457,500 (contract school, other) - 4,895,040 (Eielson, Ft. Hainwright) + 49,209,212 = \$187,233,040
  - b) 141,890,287 + 56,106,234 = \$197,996,521
  - c) 197,936,521 - 187,233,040 = \$10,763,481
  - d) Inflation estimated @ 6% per year

IV. DATE: April 25, 1977  
 PREPARED BY: *Gene W. ...*  
 D. Thomson, Director, Int., Law & Finance  
 AGENCY: Education  
 PHONE: 465-2802  
 Original: Legislative Finance  
 cc: Budget and Management  
 Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)

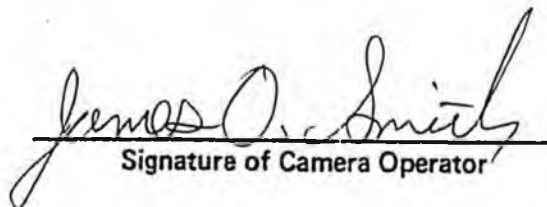
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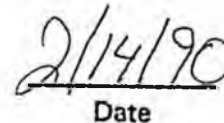


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# COMMITTEE REPORT

## HOUSE

3/3/77

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on FINANCE has had HR 213

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
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### MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

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### MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Chairman

2-14-77

COMMITTEE REPORT

FINANCE

HOUSE

3/2/77

Date

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on C&RA has had HB 213

under consideration. A majority of the members of the Committee

- recommends it do pass
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MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

- ① W. Rudd - do pass      ① D. Smith - Do Pass
- ① J. O. ... Do Pass      ② R. E. Phillips - No Rec.
- ③ Kevin W. Lathin - No Pass if amended.
- ① Merle H. Snider - DO PASS - POST HASTE

MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

- ④ Tim Kelly recommends: Do Not Pass
- \_\_\_\_\_ recommends: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ recommends: \_\_\_\_\_

W. Rudd  
Chairman

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Introduced: 2/14/77  
Referred: Community &  
Regional Affairs and  
Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MALON

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 213

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to housing assistance."

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

8 \* Section 1. AS 18 is amended by adding a new chapter to read:

9 CHAPTER 95. HOUSING ASSISTANCE.

10 Sec. 18.95.010. HOUSING ASSISTANCE OFFICE. There is created  
11 within the Department of Community and Regional Affairs a housing assis-  
12 tance office. The office shall

13 (1) provide technical assistance to communities in the  
14 evaluation of their housing needs;

15 (2) promote full use of federal and state housing programs  
16 and private industry capabilities to meet housing needs;

17 (3) provide technical and planning services for housing  
18 development;

19 (4) provide to housing organizations, local governments and  
20 the general public informational services relating to housing.

<b>ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE</b>	
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Introduced in the House ..... 2-14, 1977	

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19	Received from Senate
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	Failed to concur in Senate amendment; asked Sen. to recede
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	FCC appointed by Senate
	FCC adopted
	To enrolling
	Reported correctly enrolled
	Sent to Governor
	..... by Governor
	Filed with Lt. Governor
	Chapter No. ....

Introduced: 2/14/77  
Referred: Community &  
Regional Affairs and  
Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MALONE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 213

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

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2/14/90  
Date

# COMMITTEE REPORT

2-14-77

## HOUSE

4-21-77 Date

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on FINANCE has had HB 214 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
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### MEMBERS SIGNING THE MAJORITY REPORT:

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### MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ recommends: \_\_\_\_\_

[Signature]

Chairman

Introduced: 2/14/77  
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MALONE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 214

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act forgiving amounts owed by political subdivisions  
7 for judicial services; and providing for an effective  
8 date."

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

10 \* Section 1. FORGIVENESS OF JUDICIAL SERVICES DEBTS. All debts incurred  
11 and outstanding against political subdivisions for payment to the state for  
12 judicial services under AS 22.15.270 as it read before 1976 are forgiven.

13 \* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-  
14 070(c).

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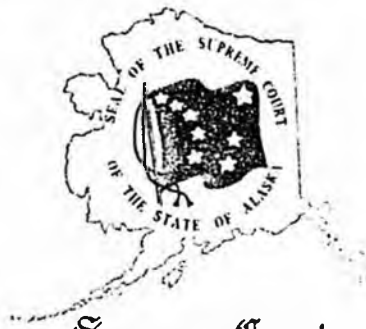
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## Supreme Court

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March 2, 1977

Honorable Hugh Malone  
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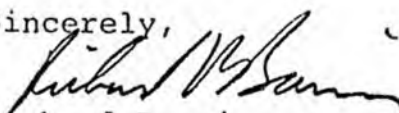
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Sincerely,

  
Richard Barrier

HB 214

THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
TENTH LEGISLATURE

FISCAL NOTE

I. REQUEST

Bill/Resolution No. HB 214 and SB 179  
 Title Forgiving amounts owed by political subdivisions for judicial services  
 Requested by House Finance Date 2/25/77

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Agency Affected Alaska Court System  
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IV. DATE 2/2/77 PREPARED BY Richard P. Bauer  
 AGENCY Alaska Court System  
 Original: Legislative Finance PHONE 274-8611  
 cc: Budget and Management  
 Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)

Introduced: 2/14/77  
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MALONE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 214

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

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13 \* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-  
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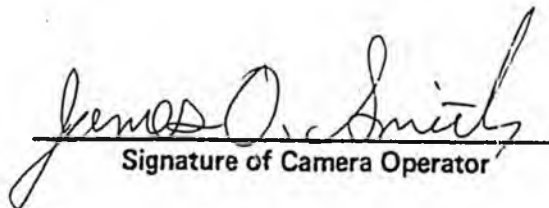
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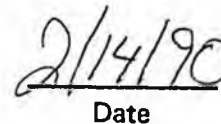


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**COMMITTEE REPORT**  
**SENATE**

5/19/78

FURTHER: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ June 5, 1978

Mr. President:

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MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

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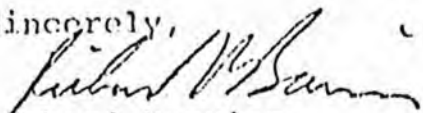
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COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

\*\*Finance

5/18/77

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MEMBERS NOT CONCURRING IN THE MAJORITY REPORT:

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\_\_\_\_\_ recommends: \_\_\_\_\_

[Signature] \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT  
SENATE

\*\*Community & Regional  
Affairs and Finance

5/4/77

5/17/77 Date

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H. [Signature] \_\_\_\_\_

Z. [Signature] \_\_\_\_\_

P. [Signature] \_\_\_\_\_

Patrick Roney \_\_\_\_\_

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George [Signature]  
Chairman



Alaska Court System

State of Alaska

HB 214

RICHARD P. BARRIER  
Manager of Fiscal Operations

OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR

303 K Street  
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

May 18, 1977

The Honorable Hugh Malone  
Speaker of the House  
Capitol Building, Room 210  
Pouch V  
Juneau, AK 99811

Dear Representative Malone:

As we discussed on the phone yesterday, the Court System has erroneously omitted fiscal information related to the City of Ketchikan concerning the provisions of HB 214. The fiscal note for this bill should include the forgiveness of \$6,988 for Ketchikan. The letter which I sent to you on March 2nd concerning refunds for judicial service payments subsequent to July 1, 1975 should also be adjusted to reflect that Ketchikan would be refunded \$3,514.

If you need other information related to payments for judicial services, please let me know.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Richard P. Barrier".

Richard P. Barrier  
Deputy Administrative Director



Alaska House of Representatives



HUGH MALONE

POUCH V  
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May 19, 1977

HB 214

Sen. Robert Ziegler  
Alaska State Senate  
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Juneau, Alaska 99801

Regarding: Ketchikan court payments in HB 214 and HB 424

Dear Bob:

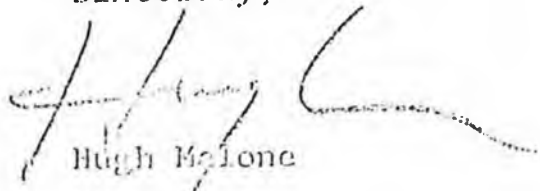
From a call to Rick Barrier of the court system, I learned there was an oversight in the preparation of the fiscal note on HB 214 and the amounts of appropriations shown in HB 424.

Ketchikan has owing \$6,988.00. This should be added to the \$393,135.00 shown in the fiscal note. It should be understood that the fiscal note is for information only, and does not require an appropriation.

Ketchikan has paid the court system \$3514.00. This amount should be added to the \$208,547.00 shown in HB 424, the appropriation bill.

Thank you for helping to get this straightened out.

Sincerely,

  
Hugh Malone

HM:ls



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2/14/90  
Date

"An Act making a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Community and Regional Affairs for the day care assistance program; effective date."

# COMMITTEE REPORT

## HOUSE

2/25/77

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Date

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Chairman

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 215 (Finance)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act making a supplemental appropriation to the  
7 Department of Community and Regional Affairs for the  
8 day care assistance program; and providing for an  
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10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

11 \* Section 1. The sum of \$219,000 is appropriated from federal Title XX  
12 "D" funds to the Department of Community and Regional Affairs for the day  
13 care assistance program for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1977, to be  
14 allocated as follows:

15 Fairbanks	\$80,000
16 Anchorage	80,000
17 Juneau	34,000
18 Kodiak	25,000

19 \* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-  
20 070(c).

# Juneau DCA Group Scale HB215

## Standard - Day Care Community Differential Subsidy Scale

old  
Scale

Group I: 0-5999	100% subsidy
Group II: 6, -7999	80-100 "
Group III: 8, -10999	60-80 "
Group IV: 11, -12999	40-60 "
Group V: 13, -14, 999	20-40 "

note: For each child in addition to one there is a \$1000 allowance deducted from the clients adjusted net income.

Current  
Scale  
2/23/77

	Yearly income	monthly income	Percent Subsidy
Group I:	5999	500	80-100
Group II a:	6499	541	80
b:	6999	583	75
c:	7499	625	70
d:	7999	666	65
Group IIIa:	8999	750	60
b:	9999	833	55
c:	10499	875	50
d:	10999	917	45
Group IVa:	11499	958	40
b:	11999	1000	35
c:	12499	1042	30
d:	12999	1083	25
Group V a:	13499	1125	20
b:	13999	1167	15
c:	14499	1208	12
d:	14999	1250	10



FRANK J. GOLD, Ed. D.

Registered Psychologist

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for your information

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January 7, 1977

Larry D. Carpenter, Representative  
Alaska State House of Representatives  
Pouch V  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

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There is one additional constraint that must be noted: no matter what, those families who are eligible and are receiving AFDC, must be funded for the entire fiscal year; they cannot be

Fairbanks Summer Day Camp

P.O. Box 80452  
Fairbanks, Alaska 99708  
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2/19/1977

To: House C&RA Committee

From: John Hartle

re: HB 215 meeting of 2/18 with Harvey Pitts,  
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Lisa Rudd, myself



Dear Committee members,

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So, in response to your specific questions: The funds could not be budgeted to cover the entire fiscal year since the manipulation of monthly payments is not under modifiable control. The demand was not expected to reach the levels it did. Direction from the Coordinator stated that percentage categories were to be eliminated as funds were utilized.

Ann Maxton's budget category was dropped at the end of December following the elimination of those three categories with greater income levels; this was done to assure funds for the 100% state-support group for as long as possible--and to guarantee 100% support for those receiving AFDC (as the law demands).

And yes, the funds were applied unevenly since that is the procedure dictated by the regulations and direction supplied by the State.

I must admit that this has been a most distressing situation for me since I found the concept of aiding those who were working their tails off trying to make ends meet most appealing. Many folks stated that they were--for the first time--getting their financial situations in order and planned to be able to drop the program in the near future; more still stated that they were overjoyed to be able to work and eliminate welfare from their lives. Now, unless something special is done in the beginning days of this Legislature, July 1977 will be the next time the "work ethic" can be assisted.

Thanks for indicating your concern. I hope you and your fellow Legislators can remedy this unfortunate situation ASAP.

Sincerely,



Frank J. Gold, EDD  
Day Care Assistance Administrator

cc: Governor Jay Hammond  
Rep. Steve Cowper  
Rep. Charles Parr  
Rep. Sally Smith  
Rep. Fred Brown  
Rep. Don Bennett

Senator Ted Stevens  
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Theressa Denually : Anchorage Program Administrator  
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Lisa Rudd - CfRA chair  
John Hartle : Fairbanks center operator

February 21, 1977

TO: STEVE COWPER, CHAIR  
HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

FROM: LISA RUDD, CHAIR *LR*  
COMMUNITY & REGIONAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

RE: HB 215 - Supplemental Appropriation for the Day Care  
Assistance Program

The Community & Regional Affairs Committee, after hearing testimony from the Community and Regional Affairs Department and the managers of the day care assistance program in Juneau and Anchorage and from a day care provider in Fairbanks, has reduced the requested appropriation from \$412,500 to \$368,750.

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MEMORANDUM

DATE: February 17, 1977  
 TO: Therese U. Donnelly  
 FROM: Rita Jacobs *RJ.*  
 SUBJECT: Insufficient Funds Denial

CRA DENIALS GROUPS IV and V EFFECTIVE MARCH 1, 1977

Number families denied 43  
 Total children 54

State Share Group IV and V

20%	30%	40%	50%	60%
1	1	40	4	8

Cost To STATE

50.40    75.60    1,032.00    504.00    1209.60

No. est. 5871.60

OF the 43 families above:

27 were single-parent families

16 were two-parent families

When the above 43 first enrolled they were in the following groups:

- Group I - 5
- II - 4
- III - 19
- IV - 8
- V - 7

AFDC Statistics as of February 1977

Group I 100% -

Total Families Participating	139
Total Children	170

Ages	Number	Monthly Cost per Child	Monthly Cost.
0-12 months	11	\$315.00	\$3465.00
1-6 years	141	\$252.00	\$35,532.00
*over 7 years	18	\$147.00	\$2646.00
Total Monthly Cost			\$41,643.00
Annual Cost			\$499,716.00

\*Cost for Part Time slot does not include cost for summer vacation or school holidays.

MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE  
OFFICE OF HUMAN DEVELOPMENT  
DAY CARE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

DATE: as of January 31, 1977

I. FAMILY DATA	1975	1976	1977
a. Number single parent-fathers in program	32		14
b. Number single parent-father's children	46		22
c. Number two parent households worked thru program	43		4
d. Number single parents worked thru program	6		1
e. Number families closed	205		203
f. Number denied on original application	74		178
g. Number families moved out of area	12		13
h. Number families from AFDC to CRA	35		11
i. Number families from CRA to AFDC	14		6
j. Number from CRA to AFDC paying own daycare	Unknown		1
k. List the number of families transferring from higher subsidy group to a lower subsidy group	Unknown		73
l. List the number of families transferring from a lower subsidy group to a higher subsidy group	Unknown		57
m. Number families to return to full-time school	5		10
n. Number families that have children over age seven	9		9

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL AFFAIRS  
 DAY CARE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM  
 MONTHLY LOCAL AGENCY STATISTICAL REPORT

From MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE  
 (name of local administering agency)

For the month of JANUARY, 1977  
 (Incomplete: 1 billing not added as of 2/1)

I. UNITS OF SERVICE DATA

Reporting Month                      Year to Date

a. Number of part time units of service (P)	982	5801
b. Number of full time units of service (F)	7943	51189
c. Number of more than full time units of service (M)	51	563
d. Total units of service delivered (P + 2F + 3M = total)	17021	109868
e. Total units of service delivered in centers	11829	80907
f. Total units of service delivered in homes	5192	28961

II. COST DATA

a. Total cost of day care for CRA program children	\$92,195.08	\$561,945.45
b. Cost to parents for care of program children	16,311.29	89,649.26
c. Cost to state for care of program children	75,883.79	472,296.19

III. FAMILY DATA

a. Number of new families entering program	88	515
b. Number of new children entering CRA day care	121	743
c. Number of new families in which one parent or guardian is enabled to work because of CRA day care assistance	69	398
d. Number of new families in which one parent or guardian is enabled to train or go to school because of CRA day care assistance	14	67
e. Number of new families in which one parent or guardian is enabled to work and train because of CRA day care assistance	5	48
f. Number of new families in Income Group I	44	312
g. Number of new families in Income Group II	7	52
h. Number of new families in Income Group III	23	107
i. Number of new families in Income Group IV	8	24
j. Number of new families in Income Group V	6	15
k. Number of new single parent families	72	346
l. Number of eligible families rejected because appropriate licensed space unavailable	N/A	N/A
m. Number of eligible families rejected because of insufficient program funds	N/A	43
n. Number of families certified eligible for AFDC or WIN benefits receiving program funds	24	202
o. Reviews	132	747
p. Denied	5	170
Closed	61	203



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## AN ACT

relating to day care facilities; and providing for an effective date.

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

Section 1. FINDINGS OF FACT; PURPOSE. The legislature finds that a need exists in the state for the provision of adequate day care facilities for families with low income. Adequate child care facilities allow the parent or guardian to work outside the home and in many cases to avoid the need for welfare and other forms of public assistance. The purpose of this Act is to establish in the Department of Community and Regional Affairs a program to aid low income families in urban and rural areas of the state in providing adequate care for their children.

Sec. 2. AS 44.47 is amended by adding new sections to read:

#### ARTICLE 6. DAY CARE ASSISTANCE.

Sec. 44.47.180. POWERS AND DUTIES. (a) The department shall

- (1) implement and administer a program to assist in providing day care for the children of low income families according to the requirements of secs. 180 - 230 of this chapter;
- (2) establish standards of eligibility for day care benefits;
- (3) contract with day care facilities for the care of children of eligible families;
- (4) establish procedures to periodically review the needs of families receiving day care benefits;

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(5) provide notification to the local government body of the request for a contract with a day care facility.

(b) The department may

(1) adopt regulations necessary for the performance of its duties under secs. 180 - 230 of this chapter;

(2) contract with local agencies to perform its duties under secs. 180 - 230 of this chapter;

(3) solicit recommendations from local governing bodies regarding local agencies which may provide contractual services under this section.

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(2) number of children in the family;

(3) whether there is one parent or guardian solely responsible for the care of the family;

(4) whether the family receives aid to families with dependent children and is eligible for day care service under aid to families with dependent children;

(5) other factors found relevant by the department.

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Sec. 44.47.220. PAYMENT TO CHILD CARE FACILITIES.

(a) The department will contract with the day care facility selected by the parent or guardian for the care of the children;

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(t) Benefits shall be paid by the department directly to the facility providing the child care; payments shall be made promptly upon receipt of a billing from a facility.

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We understand the reluctance of some of you to grant supplemental budget appropriations, however in this case we feel that the grant is not only justified but vital to the parents and children involved. The Dept. of CRA had little way of knowing last year how many families would actually be applying for the available monies. The need was greater than many realized and we are seeing now the results of the program's success in responses from families and the mushrooming of available licensed slots. We are seeing success in the movement of families into, up through, and out of the program.

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We commend the Department of Community and Regional Affairs for a job being well done in helping communities take responsibility for their day care populations. We feel that the added supplemental appropriation asked for in this bill is not at all unreasonable or unjustified and we urge quick passage.

Sincerely,

Susan R. Clark  
Human Resources Lobbyist  
League of Women Voters of Alaska

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FROM: LISA RUDD, CHAIR *LR*  
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RE: HB 215 - Supplemental Appropriation for the Day Care  
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I would like to underscore the fact that care given to children under this Dept. of Community and Regional Affairs program is required to be licensed by the State and is therefore providing a basic quality that is unavailable to too many Alaskan children. In fact 85% of the children in Alaska are cared for outside the home in unlicensed facilities. That is 17,000 kids (almost 9,000 in Anchorage alone) with working parents or a working single parent who must rely on arrangements that may be less than satisfactory because very few young families in the big cities have relatives close by that are available to help provide care. It is especially interesting to follow the licensing pattern that this program has produced. As parents become aware of their eligibility in the day care subsidy program, they tend to pressure their "babysitters" to become licensed, thus increasing the quantity and quality of overall childcare in Alaska. In Anchorage, for example, the number of available day care slots for 11,000 kids was 1,300 in October, 1975, when the program began. At the end of this last fiscal year it had risen to over 2,000 and now the number of slots has expanded to 2,400 with 300 more ready for processing. The same has happened in Kodiak and Juneau where available slots have doubled since the program began.

I would like to remind this committee that parents work because they have no other economic choice. Most employed parents are widowed, divorced, separated, or their spouse is earning less than \$10,000 a year; and in fact 52% of all minority women with children under the age of 6 are employed (compared with 52% of all women with children under 18) according to U. S. Dept. of Labor statistics. Low income working parents are faced with day care expenses that few can adequately meet. The going rate for childcare is about \$10 to \$12 a day (with infant care as high as \$15 to \$17 a day) and that is up drastically from only four years ago, for providers are no longer willing or able to work for poverty wages. That daily rate for one preschool child adds up to between \$2,400 and \$3,000 each year, or more if a family has more than one child. Working parents need to fund additional childcare during the summer months when school is out of session. That yearly sum takes a pretty hefty bite out of even a \$10,000 a year salary. When you add up the costs of rent, food, clothes, utilities and taxes, not to mention car and medical expenses, you may find the salary already expended past its limits. And yet in Fairbanks, for example, we understand that the program has already had to cut back service to all but those families whose combined income is \$8,000 or less!

The League feels that this program can therefore not yet reach significant numbers of people for whom help was intended. It would pay, for example, all or most of a family's day care expenses, allowing that family frequently to pull itself up from reliance on welfare; and yet would not support that family during the trying months that follow when the family is or would be actually paying more and more of its own share, requiring less and less from the State program. One particularly revealing case is

that of an Anchorage woman who recently called the CRA office. She explained how the program was keeping her family unit together because previously she had to hold down three jobs as a single parent to provide for her family - two during the week and one on the weekends. The subsidy program permitted her to live normally with one job and to be with her children. She worked her way up to level IV in which she was paying 50% of her childcare costs. But as of March 1st she would be dropped in the cut back, and she was calling in tears because this was going to force her to disrupt her family, to dissipate her resources and her energy just trying to make a living wage.

We understand the reluctance of some of you to grant supplemental budget appropriations, however in this case we feel that the grant is not only justified but vital to the parents and children involved. The Dept. of CRA had little way of knowing last year how many families would actually be applying for the available monies. The need was greater than many realized and we are seeing now the results of the program's success in responses from families and the mushrooming of available licensed slots. We are seeing success in the movement of families into, up through, and out of the program.

But there is one further important reason that we feel that the Dept. should not be jeopardized for using up existing funds. Last year's SB 753 which caused such flack at the end of the session contained some unalarming language that changed the definition of child to include "a child determined to be eligible for assistance under AS 47.25.310-47.25.420 and living with a family receiving benefits under AS 47.25.30 - 47.25.420." This in effect put the AFDC and WIN kids into the CRA program and out of Health and Social Service. Since Title XX funds could not be spent through the CRA Dept., those funds were reallocated to other areas within the Dept. of HSS, and only the State of Alaska general fund match monies were transferred for the use of the CRA Dept. to maintain the program. In other words 100% of the AFDC and WIN children were transferred to CRA, but only 20% of the money that it took HSS to run the program were transferred over. This financial burden has greatly affected the intent and expansion of the subsidy program, for monies which would otherwise have gone into the subsidy program have had to go to fully fund the AFDC kids which under law have priority. I should mention, however, that aside from the undue financial burden placed upon the Dept. of CRA, the overall move of AFDC and WIN kids out of HSS has been most beneficial. Prior to the move many childcare facilities refused to take state subsidized children ("welfare cases") and most day care homes would not. Now under the Dept. of CRA the stigma is gone and facilities are cooperating and new slots are opening up weekly.

We commend the Department of Community and Regional Affairs for a job being well done in helping communities take responsibility for their day care populations. We feel that the added supplemental appropriation asked for in this bill is not at all unreasonable or unjustified and we urge quick passage.

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