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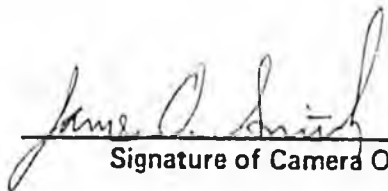
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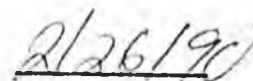
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COMMITTEE REPORT
HOUSE

FURTHER: _____

Date: _____

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on FINANCL has had CSND 467

The Act relating to a special appropriation to the University of Alaska, Arctic Environmental Information and Data Center, for disbursement to the Alaska Eskimo Working Commission to assist voluntary efforts to secure whale stock viability; etc. data.

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- 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 _____ new title same title

- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Chairman

Original sponsor: Ferguson

Offered: 3/20/78
Referred: Rules

House

1 IN THE SENATE-

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

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House CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 440

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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TENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act making a special appropriation to the University
7 of Alaska, Arctic Environmental Information and Data
8 Center, for disbursement to the Alaska Eskimo Whaling
9 Commission to assist voluntary efforts to ensure whale
10 stock viability; and providing for an effective date."

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

12 * Section 1. The sum of \$250,000 is appropriated from the general fund to
13 the University of Alaska, Arctic Environmental Information and Data Center,
14 for disbursement to the Alaska Eskimo Whaling Commission and other entities
15 to assist the commission in (1) gathering data on the population, migration,
16 and habits of the bowhead whale; (2) monitoring of the subsistence harvest of
17 whales; (3) reducing the number of whales struck and lost; (4) presenting
18 data gathered and otherwise representing the interest of Alaskan subsistence
19 whalers to the federal government and the International Whaling Commission;
20 and (5) submitting a report on the foregoing effort to the legislature by
21 *filed in 1979*
~~February 1, 1979~~

22 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
23 070(c).

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Finance

1 IN THE SENATE

BY FERGUSON

2 SENATE BILL NO. 440

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5 A BILL

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16 harvest of whales; (3) reducing the number of whales struck and lost; and
17 (4) presenting data gathered and otherwise representing the interest of
18 Alaskan subsistence whalers to the federal government and the International
19 Whaling Commission.

20 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect July 1, 1978.

SENATE JOURNAL

Senate Finance Committee

Letter of Intent on CS SB 440

The Legislature intends that these funds will be distributed immediately by Arctic Environmental Information and Data Center (AEIDC) to the Alaska Eskimo Whaling Commission and other entities to insure that the program will be implemented in the spring of 1978. This distribution will be based on Arctic Environmental Information and Data Center certification of an expenditure plan developed by the participating entities. A program report by the grantees shall be submitted to the Legislature by Arctic Environmental Information and Data Center on the accomplishments of this program no later than February 1, 1979.

In administering these funds, the Legislature expects Arctic Environmental Information and Data Center to receive, to the maximum extent possible, mutual agreement between the Alaska Eskimo Whaling Commission and federal and state wildlife agencies on the project for which grants are to be made.



John C. Sackett, Chairman
Senate Finance Committee

CRITIQUE ON
SELECTED BOWHEAD WHALE POPULATION STUDIES
by
Larry S. Underwood
Arctic Environmental Information and Data Center
University of Alaska

In June 1977 the International Whaling Commission (IWC), acting on the recommendations of its scientific committee, adopted a proposal to remove the treaty¹ exemption allowing Alaska Natives to take bowhead whales. The commission based its decision on an analysis of provided technical information concerning the whale and concluded that:

1. The current population of bowhead whales is somewhere between 600 and 1,800 individuals;
2. The current population is less than 10 percent of the initial population of the species;
3. The Eskimo harvest of the bowhead whale has increased appreciably in the past few years due primarily to an increase in the hunting effort; and
4. The harvest risks for the species are unacceptably high.²

Based on these assumptions, the IWC recommended that no further harvesting be allowed after the fall 1977 hunt.

The government has recently picked a middle ground course of action. It will not file an objection with the IWC but will push for a

¹ International Whaling Convention of 1946 (revised 1976).

² U.S. Dept. of Commerce, NOAA, NMFS, August 1977. "International Whaling Commission's Deletion of Native Exemption for the Subsistence Harvest of Bowhead Whales." Draft environmental impact statement.

limited Eskimo harvest in 1978. As it now stands, this action runs the grave risk of pleasing no one.

Few environmental issues in recent times have triggered greater public response (both in Alaska and the nation) than the IWC action. The first reaction of Alaska Natives was shock and anger. Some stated that they intend to continue harvesting no matter what the U.S. government or the IWC decides to do, stressing the importance of the bowhead to Eskimo culture. The coastal Eskimo culture has, in fact, been described as a "whale culture" (Federal Field Committee 1968).

The best evidence indicates that Eskimos have harvested the bowhead whale in coastal Alaska for at least the last 1,000 years (Bockstoce 1977) to 3,500 years (Marquette 1977 quoting Oswalt 1967). According to Bockstoce, the hunt, harvest, and distribution of the bowhead whale are the foundation of coastal Eskimo society and provides their staple food. The U.S. Public Health Service has estimated that the bowhead may be the source of as much as 80 percent of the total protein requirement of these people.

Occasionally, whales are unavailable to the Eskimo because of poor ice conditions or other reasons. In the past, hunting efforts shifted to other animals, for example, other marine mammals and caribou. Recently, however, the western arctic caribou herd has declined to such an extent that it cannot be relied upon to replace the protein normally provided by the whale. Suggested solutions have ranged from importing commercial red meat free from outside the region to giving the people more food stamps. These methods are not only costly but, more importantly, they

deprive the people of their independence and cultural heritage. Most Natives flatly reject food substitutions as unworkable, unwanted, and unnecessary. They feel that this is analogous to trying to force Nebraskans to eat whale when they prefer their own abundant, traditional beef.

Some concerned organizations and the press reacted swiftly and, in many cases, extremely. Many feel a complete harvest moratorium is in order if the bowhead population is in fact being decimated. They point out that extinction would imperil Eskimo and whale alike. Some comments quoted in the press show either a total ignorance or disregard for the facts. For example, the president of the Greenpeace Foundation reportedly stated that the Eskimo no longer uses traditional means but now hunts in plastic boats to entertain tourists who observe the hunt from helicopters.³ This is simply not true. Other newspaper articles stress the problems of the U.S. position in the international arena. They emphasize the importance of the issue in international politics and the potential threat to the effectiveness of the International Whaling Commission.

A number of federal agencies, including the departments of commerce, state, and interior and the Council on Environmental Quality are considering the implications of the issue and options open to the government. A number of memos and departmental position papers have been circulated

³ The Anchorage Times, October 1, 1977. "Protester Criticizes Eskimos." p. 13.

that indicate agency recognition of the potential seriousness of the problem.

The IWC action put the U.S. government in a classic dilemma. For several years the United States had pressed for whale conservation and strict limitation of commercial whaling around the world until whale stocks recover. At the same time, it has promoted a greater worldwide recognition of human, particularly minority, rights. Actions restricting the Eskimo whale harvest put these two policies in direct conflict.

The United States has two possible courses of action open to it. Under the conventions that established the IWC, the United States agreed to enforce IWC recommendations within its boundaries. Therefore, if the government does nothing, the IWC recommendations would automatically become official U.S. policy, possibly abrogating Native civil rights since they were excluded from the decision-making process.⁴ Alternatively, the government could register an official objection to the IWC recommendation, and subsistence whaling by Alaska Natives could continue. This course of action, however, puts the U.S. commitment to protect whales in question and could profoundly and adversely affect global whale conservation programs.

Unfortunately, the positions of the Natives, some organizations, the press, and governmental officials are more often based on emotion

⁴ U.S. Dept. of the Interior, 1977. Initial evaluation of what action, if any, the U.S. must take before being bound by the International Whaling Convention (IWC) amendment concerning Bowhead Whales." Unpublished memorandum to Acting Director, Office of Trust Responsibilities, Bureau of Indian Affairs from Acting Solicitor for Alaska and Tribal Government, Division of Indian Affairs. July 14, 1977.

than on careful examination of the facts. The welfare of the bowhead is lost in a sea of international politics, extremist doctrines, and minority rights. Lost are the basic questions: Can the bowhead whale sustain continued harvest? What is the current status of the population? What are the trends in this population? What impacts might continued harvesting have?

The purpose of this paper is to examine existing biological information that can help answer these basic questions. Data on the bowhead are not extensive, but those that do exist should be analyzed fully and made available to and considered by the decision makers.

BOWHEAD WHALE POPULATION

The most basic question concerns the current size of the bowhead whale population in the Bering Sea and Arctic Ocean regions. In the last four years a number of estimates have appeared in print. In 1974 Sergeant and Hoek reported that "present numbers. . . are not accurately known but are probably in the low hundreds in this section of the species range" (emphasis added). The section referred to is the eastern Beaufort Sea, especially the waters south and west of Banks Island. As will be shown below, there is no reason to believe that this segment constitutes the whole population. The data on which the estimate was based are not given in the article (indeed, the estimate appears only in the article's abstract!), but it is apparent that the estimate does not emerge from a systematic study of the whale.

Rice (1974), stated "These facts imply a minimum population of about 400." Exactly what facts were considered is not clear, but this

estimate was apparently based on examination of catch statistics collected for the Barrow region by Maher and Wilimovsky (1963) and for Point Hope by Don C. Foote (unpublished). In addition to these data, Rice apparently collected observations during two seasons in the Point Hope area. Again the methods whereby the number 400 was derived are not given. It should be stressed that Rice intended that the number 400 be indicative of a minimum population only.

At the 1977 IWC meeting, Mitchell circulated the draft copy of a paper discussing, in part, the initial and present populations of the Bering Sea bowhead whale stocks. Because of the draft nature of this report, the author requested that it not be cited or referenced without his written permission. However, this report has been alleged to be one of the more important considerations used by the IWC and its scientific committee in developing its recommended moratorium on native harvest. Also, Mitchell's estimate of current populations has been widely quoted by the press. Since the report appears to have become public information, it will be discussed here. Mitchell reported, "My guess is that the entire Bering Sea stock now numbers around a thousand animals, perhaps less." Once again, methods used to arrive at this number are not presented. Apparently, the population estimate was based on general impressions from the literature, such as "human activity is great, sightings and number of strandings, school size, all are apparently minimal and indicate a population of relatively small size."

Two additional reports (Marquette 1977; Braham and Krogman 1977) address the question of bowhead whale population size. These National Marine Fisheries Service reports are based on two studies currently being conducted on whales in northern Alaska; one has been in process since 1973 and the other is in its second year. In both, observer teams have been on the ice with Eskimo whaling crews during spring whaling at Barrow and Point Hope. Some observer teams count whales as they pass these points during migration; others visit the whaling camps in spring and fall to collect biological specimens from harvested whales and gather additional information from native whalers. In 1976 and 1977 additional personnel conducted aerial surveys of the lead systems, particularly within 50 kilometers of shore.

Marquette reviewed the previous population estimates discussed above and reported other estimates including Fay (1975) "about 1,000 animals"; Durham (1973) "2,500 animals"; Harry (1973) "1,000 to 3,000 animals"; and Scheffer (1976) "around 2,000 whales." Again, methods of deriving these numbers are not discussed. Both Marquette and Braham and Krogman reports concluded that accurate estimates of the bowhead population cannot be made at this time due to scant data. In addition, both reported that as many as 800 bowhead whales may have migrated past Barrow during the spring 1977 survey period and further discuss that this number probably does not represent the total population.

It is apparent, then, that until recently there have been no systematic studies of bowhead whale populations conducted in northern

Alaska. Studies that have been conducted primarily concern anatomy, whaling methods (Durham 1973; Lockstoce 1977), and a few discontinuous short-term studies done at Barrow, Wainwright, and Point Hope on whale migrations. A number of scientists have established population estimates in the literature, but in no case have these estimates been based on hard data but rather they are based largely on conjecture and speculation.

All field studies conducted on the bowhead whale have been limited in time and space; that is, observations on migrating whales have only been conducted during the time of Eskimo harvest. The tacit assumption in all these studies has been that all whales migrate past the observation points during these fixed periods of time. However, there is evidence that some whales migrate during other periods and into other areas. For example, Marquette as well as Braham and Krogman reported that the whale migration was in progress by the time observation teams and Eskimo hunters arrived on the ice in spring. There is no way of determining how many whales migrated earlier.

Native hunters and observers are forced off the ice by breakup conditions, usually in early May. In 1977 the migration was known to continue for at least three weeks after this period (Marquette 1977). Similar observations have been made in other years.

Nearly all spring observations have been made from the nearshore lead system. There is some evidence that migrations also occur in the offshore leads at least as far out as 80 kilometers (Durham 1973; Braham

and Krogman 1973). Durham reported that in 1962, a year of unusual ice conditions at Barrow when shore leads opened later than usual, whales arrived at Banks Island before nearshore ice opened up to allow Eskimos to begin harvest.

Again, it has not been possible to determine what portion of the bowhead whales does not enter the Beaufort Sea or does not migrate along the shores of northern Alaska. Some may migrate northward from the Bering Sea into the Chukchi Sea and are more or less restricted to Siberian waters. The size of this population is not known.

Another piece of evidence also suggests that only a portion of the whale population has been surveyed. Eskimos mainly harvest young animals. Marquette reported that 58 percent of the animals taken by Eskimos are less than three years of age. His data would also suggest that approximately three quarters of the animals harvested are not sexually mature, i.e., they are probably less than four or five years old. There is a possibility, then, that the sexually mature males and females, particularly the females with calves, are migrating at other times and in other places and have not been surveyed.

Conclusions

Braham and Krogman and Marquette reported that in 1977 as many as 800 bowhead whales may have migrated past Barrow during the spring survey period which extended from 25 April to 2 June. Unfortunately, the significance of early, late, offshore and Chukchi Sea migrants

cannot be determined. However, it seems likely that the number 800 represents only a segment of the total population.

The temptation to establish bowhead population estimates in the literature is great, but it seems obvious that any figure stated at this time is premature. Reliable population statistics should be studied before these important decisions are made. Scientists run a great risk of losing credibility if they use figures that are not supported by complete data. Bockstoece (1977) stated about as much as we can responsibly say about the level of population: "The bowhead is the species of great whale about which the least is known, and any attempt to estimate its numbers is bound to fall in the realm of sheer guess work."

INITIAL POPULATION SIZE

Finally, we need to know the carrying capacity of the bowhead whale's environment. The initial population size prior to commercial exploitation in the late 1800s is a possible indicator of carrying capacity. One suggested method of determining this has been to examine the catch records of the Yankee whalers to determine how many animals they harvested and to speculate on the residual population after exploitation. Rice (1974) may have been the first to attempt to do this. He reported that a preliminary examination of catch statistics indicated the initial population may have been between 4,000 and 5,000 individuals. Mitchell (1977) examined the same data and concluded that the initial population must have been between about 18,000 to 28,000. However, these

studies and others (Bockstoce 1977; Marquette 1977) indicate that no extensive examination of log books and old Yankee whaling records have been made to date in determining these estimates.

Conclusions

Until an extensive survey is made of all existing commercial whaling records and the methodology validated, estimates of initial population size are at least as speculative as estimates of current population size.

TRENDS IN POPULATION

Another important question concerns bowhead whale population trends. Is the population stable, increasing, or decreasing? Since we lack information on the total number, it should be no surprise that we know even less about historic fluctuations. A possible indicator might be harvest statistics. Maher and Wilimovsky (1963) examined the catch records for Barrow from 1928 to 1960 and concluded that there had been no increase in population during this century. This statement has been widely quoted, including Rice (1963) and Mitchell (1977). Fay (1975) stated that the population "is thought to be increasing steadily" but gave no supportive data. Marquette (1977) presented catch statistics for bowhead whales taken by Eskimos and shore stations in northwestern Alaska from 1880 to the present. These data have been plotted in Figure 1.

Several observations can be made from these statistics. First, the number of whales harvested in the last several years have increased

dramatically. The average harvest for the last seven years has exceeded 33 animals per year. Note that in the late 1800s and early 1900s, annual harvest of more than 30 animals were not uncommon. After 1910, however, years of unusually high harvest became relatively infrequent. Perhaps the most important observation is that the average harvest by 10-year periods shows a steady increase since 1930. If the decade 1920 to 1930 was one of unusually high harvests, such as often occur in years of favorable ice conditions, then the trend may have begun back as far as 1910 when commercial whaling ceased. Marquette stated that the growing annual kill may reflect an increase in abundance of bowhead whales.

It has been argued, however, that the increased harvest actually represents an increase in hunting effort. Certainly Marquette has been able to document a steady increase since 1973 in the number of active crews in Point Hope, Wainwright, and Barrow as well as other places. Unfortunately, data on the number of crews hunting before 1971 are difficult to obtain. However, most people who have lived in the region feel that this increase in hunting effort did not start until native employment associated with the Alaska pipeline and native land claims settlement became well established. Thus, previous to 1971-1973 the number of crews was relatively constant at approximately 20 for the Barrow area and perhaps another 20 from other areas of Alaska's Beaufort Sea.

Conclusion

One possible interpretation of these catch statistics is that the bowhead population is at least not decreasing and may actually be increasing (Marquette 1977). Unfortunately, until changes in level of effort and other conditions are documented, interpretations are dangerous. In summary, however, there is not enough evidence to document changes in population.

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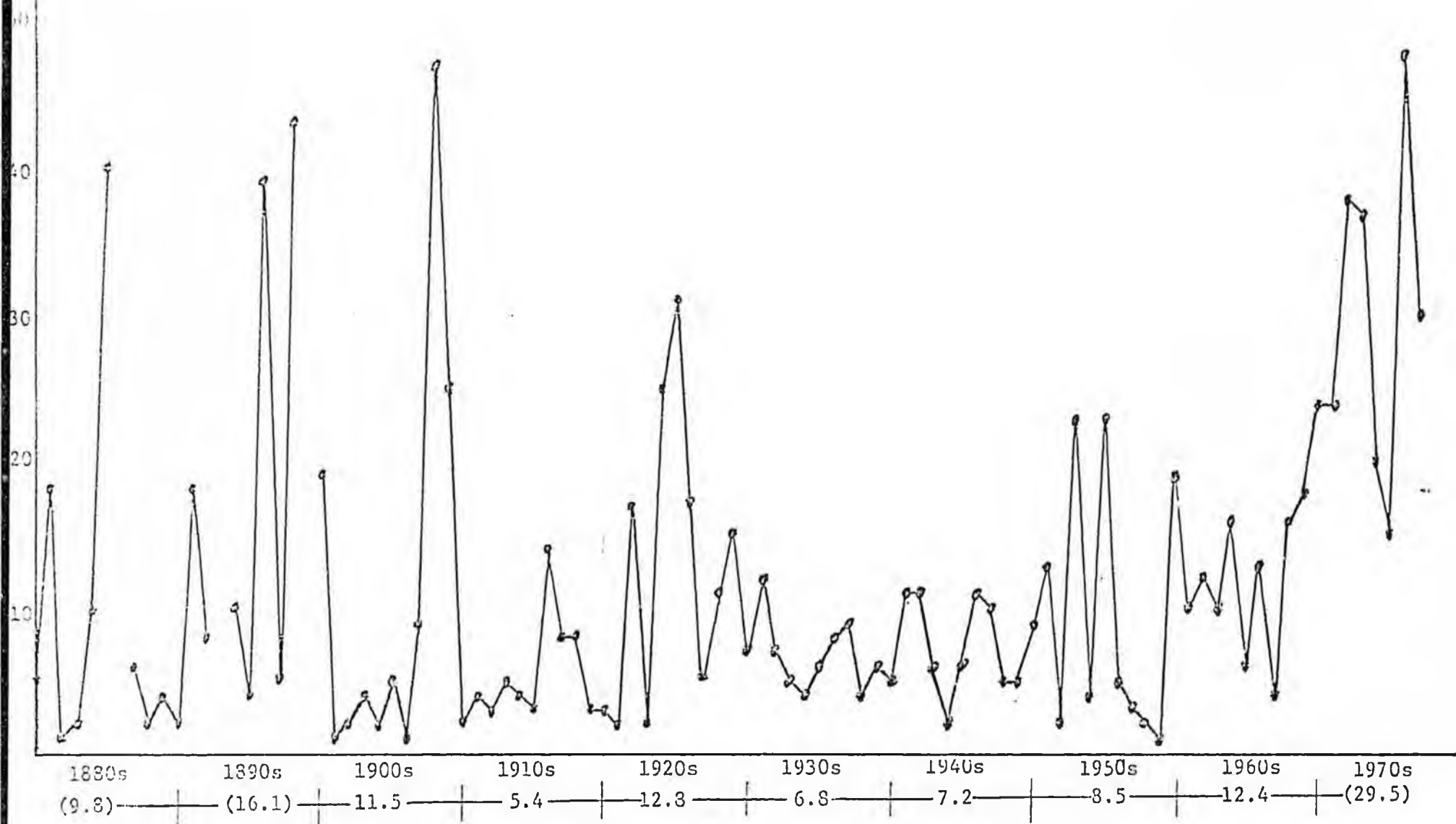


Fig. 1: Bowhead Whales taken by Eskimos and shore stations in northern and northwestern Alaska

|—N—| = 10 year averages .
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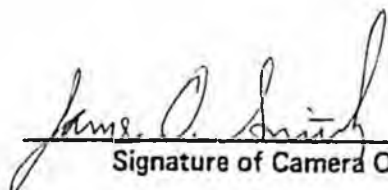
SOURCE: Marquette (1977)



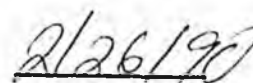
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Introduced: 1/13/78
Referred: Resources and
Finance

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 SENATE BILL NO. 411

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE -- SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act making a supplemental appropriation to the
7 Department of Public Safety, Fish and Wildlife; and
8 providing for an effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. The sum of \$14,000 is appropriated from program receipts
11 to the Department of Public Safety, Fish and Wildlife Protection.

12 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.-
13 10.070(c).

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January 13, 1978

The Honorable John L. Rader
President of the Senate
Alaska State Legislature
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. President:

Under authority of art. III, sec. 18 of the Alaska Constitution, and in accordance with AS 24.30.060(b) and the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, I am transmitting a bill making a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, Fish and Wildlife Protection.

A portion of this appropriation (\$9,000) is needed to replace outboard motors which were lost in the Cordova warehouse fire, and, while some insurance receipts to cover the loss are expected, the exact amount is not yet determined. Because the new motors are critical to the spring enforcement program in Prince William Sound, they have been ordered to ensure timely delivery to the field.

Should the insurance receipts not be adequate to fund the amount of this supplemental appropriation, general funds would be needed to make up the difference.

The balance of the appropriation is to cover delayed bills for fuel costs. Fiscal data is enclosed.

Sincerely,

S/JSH

Jay S. Hammond
Governor

STATE
of ALASKA

MEMORANDUM

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BUDGET & MANAGEMENT

TO:

Ronald B. Lind, Director
Division of Budget and Management
Office of the Governor

DATE : December 2, 1977

SB411

FROM: Trygve R. Hermann, Director
Division of Administrative Services
Department of Public Safety

SUBJECT: FY 78 Supplemental of \$9,000
for FWP Detachments

The Department of Public Safety, Fish and Wildlife Protection Detachments BRU requests your recommended approval for a supplemental appropriation of \$9,000 to replace outboard motors lost in the Cordova fire. While we expect some insurance receipts to cover the loss, the exact amount is not yet determined. This amount is the minimum needed to perform Spring Enforcement in Prince William Sound.

Because the new outboard motors are critical to the Spring Enforcement Program, and they must be ordered now to ensure timely delivery to the field, they have been ordered.

Should the insurance receipts not be adequate to fund the amount of this supplemental appropriation, general funds would be needed to make up the difference. The FY 78 budget for this BRU has already planned expenditure of its total equipment budget and is not faced with any presently known surpluses. In fact, because of a change in coding procedures effective July 1, new equipment purchases include the cost of freight which was not included in projecting and planning for equipment purchases. At this point, the equipment budget is essentially overspent.

Besides this BRU, there are no other BRUs with identifiable surpluses to offset this supplemental appropriation request. Extreme delays in receiving bills for Vigilant fuel costs understates the present financial position of the Vessels BRU. At about \$5,000 per fill up, a few of these bills can make a significant difference in financial standing.

Attachments

cc: Larry W. Talbert, Deputy Commissioner

Colonel Fred Woldstad, Director
Division of Fish and Wildlife Protection

FY 78 SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST ANALYSIS

	FY 76 ACTUAL	FY 77 FINAL AUTH.	FY 77 ACTUAL	FY 78 GOV. BUDGET	FY 78 INITIAL AUTH.	FY 78 CURRENT AUTH.	EXPENDITURES + ENCUMBRANCES 7/1 - 10/31	OTHER OBLIGATIONS 7/1 - 10/31	PROJECTED EXPENDITURES + ENCUMBRANCES 11/1 - 6/30	FY 78 (DEFICIT) OR EXCESS	FY 79 MAINTENANCE REQUEST
PERSONAL SERVICES	2,458.9	2672.6	2672.8	3396.7	3509.3	3786.1	1039.0	128.6	2618.5	-0-	3840.8
TRAVEL	152.2	153.7	157.4	177.1	179.9	179.9	41.9	25.1	112.9	-0-	241.9
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	561.8	588.7	491.4	665.0	634.1	634.1	457.5	58.9	117.7	-0-	802.8
COMMODITIES	72.5	42.5	101.3	92.9	96.0	96.0	26.9	15.2	53.9	-0-	157.6
EQUIPMENT	90.8	99.3	118.0	126.2	137.0	137.0	73.8	20.0	52.2	<9.0>	60.7
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COMMITTEE REPORT

HOUSE

2-1-78

FURTHER: _____

Date: _____

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on FINANCE has had SB 411

"An Act making a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, Fish and Wildlife; and providing for an effective date." under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
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- recommends it be replaced with CS for _____
- and _____ new title same title
- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Chairman

SB 411

Introduced: 1/13/78
Referred: Resources and
Finance

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

1 IN THE SENATE

2 SENATE BILL NO. 411

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE -- SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act making a supplemental appropriation to the
7 Department of Public Safety, Fish and Wildlife; and
8 providing for an effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. The sum of \$14,000 is appropriated from program receipts
11 to the Department of Public Safety, Fish and Wildlife Protection.

12 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.-
13 10.070(c).

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COMMITTEE COPY

January 13, 1978

The Honorable John L. Rader
President of the Senate
Alaska State Legislature
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. President:

Under authority of art. III, sec. 18 of the Alaska Constitution, and in accordance with AS 24.30.060(b) and the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, I am transmitting a bill making a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, Fish and Wildlife Protection.

A portion of this appropriation (\$9,000) is needed to replace outboard motors which were lost in the Cordova warehouse fire, and, while some insurance receipts to cover the loss are expected, the exact amount is not yet determined. Because the new motors are critical to the spring enforcement program in Prince William Sound, they have been ordered to ensure timely delivery to the field.

Should the insurance receipts not be adequate to fund the amount of this supplemental appropriation, general funds would be needed to make up the difference.

The balance of the appropriation is to cover delayed bills for fuel costs. Fiscal data is enclosed.

Sincerely,

S/JS/11

Jay S. Hammond
Governor

November 18, 1977

Mr. Al Anderberg
General Adjuster Bureau, Inc.
924 West Firweed Lane
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Re: Cordova Fish & Game Fire Loss
D/L October 9, 1977
Our File No. 78-0028

Dear Al:

Estimated Loss
\$14,025.00

I am enclosing for your file and information a copy of the Declaration of Damaged Property showing the property loss and/or destroyed during the subject fire.

I would appreciate your reviewing this and if you agree, continue to conclude this matter in behalf of the State in your usual good manner. Division of Fish and Wildlife Protection is pressing for an adjustment as early as possible since they are in a position whereby they have to reorder most of the equipment in the warehouse in order to be prepared for their up coming fishery enforcement program.

Sincerely yours,

Bill Mears
Loss Control Manager

Attachments

CC: Colonel Fred Woldstad, Director
Division of Fish & Wildlife Protection
Department of Public Safety

Diana Woodward
Marsh & McLennan
Norton Building
Seattle, Washington 98104
w/attachments

STATE
of ALASKA

MEMORANDUM

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DEC - 2 1977

BUDGET & MANAGEMENT

TO: Ronald B. Lind, Director
Division of Budget and Management
Office of the Governor

DATE : December 2, 1977

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FROM:

Trygve R. Hermann, Director
Division of Administrative Services
Department of Public SafetySUBJECT: FY 78 Supplemental of \$9,000
for FWP Detachments

The Department of Public Safety, Fish and Wildlife Protection Detachments BRU requests your recommended approval for a supplemental appropriation of \$9,000 to replace outboard motors lost in the Cordova fire. While we expect some insurance receipts to cover the loss, the exact amount is not yet determined. This amount is the minimum needed to perform Spring Enforcement in Prince William Sound.

Because the new outboard motors are critical to the Spring Enforcement Program, and they must be ordered now to ensure timely delivery to the field, they have been ordered.

Should the insurance receipts not be adequate to fund the amount of this supplemental appropriation, general funds would be needed to make up the difference. The FY 78 budget for this BRU has already planned expenditure of its total equipment budget and is not faced with any presently known surpluses. In fact, because of a change in coding procedures effective July 1, new equipment purchases include the cost of freight which was not included in projecting and planning for equipment purchases. At this point, the equipment budget is essentially overspent.

Besides this BRU, there are no other BRUs with identifiable surpluses to offset this supplemental appropriation request. Extreme delays in receiving bills for Vigilant fuel costs understates the present financial position of the Vessels BRU. At about \$5,000 per fill up, a few of these bills can make a significant difference in financial standing.

Attachments

cc: Larry W. Talbert, Deputy Commissioner

Colonel Fred Woldstad, Director
Division of Fish and Wildlife Protection

FY 78 SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST ANALYSIS

	FY 76 ACTUAL	FY 77 FINAL AUTH.	FY 77 ACTUAL	FY 78 GOV. BUDGET	FY 78 INITIAL AUTH.	FY 78 CURRENT AUTH.	EXPENDITURES + ENCUMBRANCES 7/1 - 10/31	OTHER OBLIGATIONS 7/1 - 10/31	PROJECTED EXPENDITURES + ENCUMBRANCES 11/1 - 6/30	FY 78 (DEFICIT) OR EXCESS	FY 79 MAINTENANCE REQUEST
PERSONAL SERVICES	2458.9	2672.6	2672.8	3396.7	3509.3	3786.1	1039.0	108.6	2618.5	-0-	3840.8
TRAVEL	152.2	153.7	157.4	177.1	179.9	179.9	41.9	25.1	112.9	-0-	241.9
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	561.8	588.7	491.4	665.0	634.1	634.1	457.5	58.9	117.7	-0-	802.8
COMMODITIES	72.5	42.5	101.3	92.9	96.0	96.0	26.9	15.2	53.9	-0-	157.6
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ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

TENTH Legislature SECOND Session

SENATE BILL NO. 411

By THE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

"An Act making a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, Fish and Wildlife; and providing for an effective date."

supplemental approp. to Dept. of Safety, Fish & Wildlife

Introduced in the Senate 1/13/78

HISTORY IN THE SENATE

1978	Read first time and referred to Committee on
1 13	Resources and Finance
1 24	Reported back with recommendation that <i>Resources to Finance</i>
1 27	<i>Rules: Calendar</i>
1 31	Read second time and <i>advanced</i>
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1 31	PASS Effective Date
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1 31	Reported correctly engrossed
1 31	Signed by President
1 31	Sent to House
	<i>Raymond Mulligan</i> SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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1978	Read first time and referred to Committee on
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	Signed by Speaker
	Returned to Senate
	CHIEF CLERK OF THE HOUSE

HISTORY IN THE SENATE

19	Received from House
	Reported correctly enrolled
	Sent to Governor
 By Governor
	Filed with Lt. Governor
	Chapter No.

ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

TENTH Legislature SECOND Session

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1978	Read first time and referred to Committee on
1 13	Resources and Finance
1 24	Reported back with recommendation that <i>amended to Finance</i>
1 27	<i>22, 50 pages required</i>
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COMMITTEE REPORT

HOUSE

6/3/78

FURTHER: _____

Date: 6/14/78

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on FIS FINANCE has had CSRB 413 (Rev.)
"An Act making a special appropriation to the Department of Natural Resources
to fund the Big Delta agricultural development project: eff. date."

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows) —

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for CSRB 413
- and that it be passed new title same title
- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Chairman

Original sponsor: Rules Committee by
request of the Governor

Offered: 5/9/78
Referred: Finance

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 413 (Resources)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act making a special appropriation to the Depart-
7 ment of Natural Resources to fund the Big Delta agri-
8 cultural development project; and providing for an
9 effective date."

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

11 * Section 1. The sum of \$4,793,000 is appropriated from the renewable
12 resources development fund to the Department of Natural Resources to fund the
13 Big Delta agricultural development project. The sum appropriated shall be
14 allocated as follows:

15 (1) First phase of land clearing in the Big	
16 Delta agricultural development project	\$2,700,000
17 (2) Surveying of land to be cleared	300,000
18 (3) Test marketing operations for grain	350,000
19 (4) Environmental baseline studies	150,000
20 (5) Grain storage facilities	1,000,000
21 (6) Transportation charges of test marketing	
22 shipments of barley and rapeseed	43,000
23 (7) Administration of Big Delta agricultural	
24 development project	100,000
25 (8) Miscellaneous costs	150,000

26 * Sec. 2. An amount, not to exceed \$350,000, representing receipts of the
27 Department of Natural Resources from the sale of grain purchased and marketed
28 by it from funds appropriated by sec. 1(3) of this Act is appropriated to the
29 Department of Natural Resources for additional expenses of construction of

1 the grain storage facilities for which an appropriation is made under sec.
2 1(5) of this Act.

3 * Sec. 3. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-
4 070(c).

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Original sponsor: Rules Committee by
request of the Governor

Offered: 3/23/78
Referred: Resources and
Finance

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 413

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act making a special appropriation to the Agricul-
7 tural Development Authority, Department of Natural Re-
8 sources, to fund the Big Delta agricultural development
9 project; and providing for an effective date."

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

11 * Section 1. The sum of \$4,793,000 is appropriated from the renewable
12 resources development fund to the Agricultural Development Authority, Depart-
13 ment of Natural Resources, to fund the Big Delta agricultural development
14 project. The sum appropriated shall be allocated as follows:

15 (1) First phase of land clearing in the Big	
16 Delta agricultural development project	\$2,700,000
17 (2) Surveying of land to be cleared	300,000
18 (3) First phase of electricity installation	
19 in the Big Delta agricultural development project	500,000
20 (4) Grain storage facilities	1,000,000
21 (5) Transportation charges of test marketing	
22 shipments of barley and rapeseed	43,000
23 (6) Administration of Big Delta agricultural	
24 development project	100,000
25 (7) Miscellaneous costs	150,000

26 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the effective date of a version of an
27 Act entitled "An Act establishing the Agricultural Development Authority".
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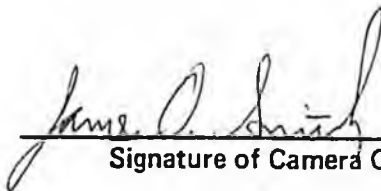
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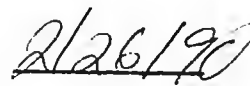
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COMMITTEE REPORT

HOUSE

3/1/77

FURTHER: _____

Date: _____

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on FINANCE has had SB 414

"An Act making a special appropriation to the Department of Natural Resources, agriculture revolving loan fund; effective date."

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
- recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- recommends it be replaced with CS for SB 414
and that it be reported out of the new title same title
- AND attaches a Letter of Intent New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

SB 411

January 13, 1978

The Honorable John L. Rader
President of the Senate
Alaska State Legislature
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. President:

Under authority of art. III, sec. 18 of the Alaska Constitution, and in accordance with AS 24.30.060(b) and the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, I am transmitting a bill making a special appropriation to the Department of Natural Resources to be used in the agricultural revolving loan fund (AS 03.10.040).

As part of the program to produce commercial quantities of barley and rapeseed for export to the Orient, small quantities of these products (1,000 - 5,000 tons) will be grown in 1978 and 1979 on Alaskan farms. The 1978 and 1979 production will be test marketed in Japan and other Asian countries for the purpose of establishing in foreign trade circles the quality of Alaskan barley and rapeseed. This should serve to eliminate any obstacles to large-scale commercial sales of these products, expected to begin in 1980.

Established, small grain operations normally purchase their basic materials (fuel, seed, and fertilizer) at the beginning of the year through a short term loan which is repaid after the crops are harvested. Since the Alaskan farmers who will be growing the barley and rapeseed for test marketing must order their seed and fertilizer immediately in order to be ready for the May planting, a special appropriation to the agricultural revolving loan fund is necessary to permit the requisite financing. So as to provide this financing as soon as possible, the bill is given an immediate effective date.

Fiscal information is enclosed.

Sincerely,

S/SSH

Jay S. Hammond
Governor

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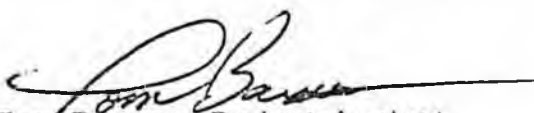
MEMORANDUM

TO: Ronald B. Lind, Director
Division of Budget & Management

DATE: January 5, 1978

FILE NO:

TELEPHONE NO:

FROM: 
Tom Barnes, Budget Analyst
Division of Budget & Management
Office of the GovernorSUBJECT: Special Appropriation to Department
of Natural Resources, Agricultural
Revolving Loan Fund

The Department of Natural Resources, Division of Agriculture, has requested that the Agricultural Revolving Loan Fund be provided with an additional \$500,000 in capitalization through a Special Appropriation for FY 78. The additional funds would be specifically utilized to finance short term (one-year) loans to farmers in the Delta Junction area in order to facilitate an early purchase of barley, rape, and buckwheat seed for the 1978 spring planting season. The product of this special planting would be sold to Japan as an experimental grain sale in order "to specifically identify and resolve whatever problems may exist in the actual marketing and transportation of these grains." The barley grain to be sold to Japan is purported to be extremely high in protein and thus is expected to command a premium price.

The fund is currently capitalized at an amount of \$4,040,000. Should this request be approved, the figure will increase to \$4,540,000, \$460,000 shy of the statutory limit of \$5 million. An additional \$200,000 has been approved by the Governor for FY 79, which would then bring the total fund amount to \$4,740,000 on July 1, 1978, should the amount as requested be approved.

STATE
of ALASKA
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE, ARLF

MEMORANDUM


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TO: Tom Barnes
Budget and Management

DATE: December 30, 1977 6 1978

FILE NO. BUDGET & MANAGEMENT

TELEPHONE NO. 745-3236 Ext. 24

FROM: Douglas L. Jacobson 
Loan Administrator

SUBJECT: Supplemental Appropriation

Thank you for your call yesterday regarding above subject. We certainly have need of funds and, as outlined in my memo to Mr. Bob Palmer (12/28/77), the grain development alone will need approximately \$1,200,000 during FY 78.

As mentioned to you during our telephone conversation, our present authorization per existing statute is five million (AS 03.10.040); our Fund today is approximately \$4,804,486. Actually, this amount can be increased by 3% or \$127,072 which has been set aside (reserved) for uncollectibles. We do not anticipate losses on existing loans.

Senate Bill 281 or something similar is necessary and should be implemented immediately. To develop the grain industry, we must also increase loan limits as outlined in previous correspondence (copy attached).

I do not have the necessary forms to complete the supplemental request. Please forward and/or complete and then forward to save time. Also, the authority to exceed \$5,000,000 "to carry out the purpose..." authorization.

Thank you for your cooperation and most appreciated assistance to continue development of agriculture - a Renewable Resource.

MAILED COPIES 7/77

TO: T. BARNES
W. PALMER

FY 77 SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST ANALYSIS

	FY 76 ACTUAL	FY 77 FINAL AUTH.	FY 77 ACTUAL	FY 78 GOV. REQUEST	FY 78 INITIAL AUTH.
PERSONAL SERVICES	63.1	89.4	52.1	104.5	104.5
TRAVEL	6.0	13.1	6.0	14.0	14.0
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	4.7	8.6	5.0	19.5	19.5
COMMODITIES	1.0	.6	.5	.7	.7
EQUIPMENT		2.2	2.0	.5	.5
LANDS, BLDGS. ...					
GRANTS, CLAIMS, ...					
MISCELLANEOUS Capitalization	200.0	200.0	200.0	400.0	400.0
TOTAL	274.8	312.9	275.5	539.2	539.2
FEDERAL RECEIPTS					
REQUIRED OF MATCHING					
OTHER GENERAL FUND Capitalization	200.0	200.0	200.0	400.0	400.0
INTER-AGENCY RECEIPTS					
ARLF	74.8	112.9	75.6	160.2	139.2

AGENCY: NATURAL RESOURCES

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101.5	25.3		85.7	(6.5)	120.5
14.0	.8	3.0	10.0	.2	17.2
12.5	2.8	3.0	5.6	3.1	20.5
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400.0	400.0		500.0	(500.0)	950.0
539.2	429.0	6.0	502.4	(493.2)	1120.2
400.0	400.0		500.0	(500.0)	950.0
160.2	29.0	6.0	102.4	1.8	150.2

NT: Agricultural Revolving Loan Funds REVISED

Original sponsor: Rules Committee by
request of the Governor

Offered: 3/1/78
Referred: Finance

IN THE SENATE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

HOUSE CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 414

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

A BILL

For an Act entitled: "An Act making special appropriations to the Department of Natural Resources and the Department of Commerce and Economic Development for certain revolving loan funds; and providing for an effective date."

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

* Section 1. The sum of \$500,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the Department of Natural Resources for the purpose of increasing the capitalization of the agricultural revolving loan fund (AS 03.10.040).

* Sec. 2. The sum of \$6,800,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the Department of Commerce and Economic Development to be apportioned in the following manner:

(1) \$1,500,000 to the small business revolving loan fund established by AS 45.95.060 to carry out the purposes of that loan program;

(2) \$2,000,000 to the tourism revolving loan fund established by AS 45.90.010 to carry out the purposes of that loan program;

(3) \$3,000,000 to the commercial fishing revolving loan fund established by AS 16.10.340 to carry out the purposes of that loan program;

and

(4) \$300,000 to the historical district revolving loan fund established by AS 45.98.010.

* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.070(c).

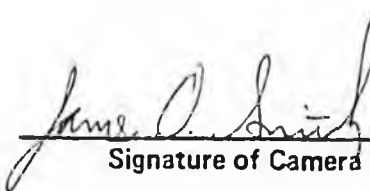
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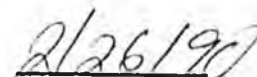
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COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

1/17/78

FURTHER: State Affairs
Finance

Date: 1/30/78

Mr. President:

The Committee on JUDICIARY has had SB 421
special appropriation to Alaska Court System. capital budget

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- () recommends it do pass () recommends it do not pass
- () recommends it do pass with attached amendment(s)
- () recommends it be replaced with CS for SB 421

and CSSB 421 D. Pass () new title (same title)

- () AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note
- () reports it back without recommendation
- () and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

[Signature]
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 / Patrick Rodey

[Signature]
Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: FINANCE

1/30/78

Date: May 2, 1978

Mr. President:

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spec. appropriation to Alaska Court System, capital budget

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

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and _____ () new title () same title

() AND attaches a Letter of Intent () New Fiscal Note

() reports it back ^{msg. no} ~~without~~ recommendation

() and recommends it be referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

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OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

1 Bral Bralley - No Rec
1 John Hunter NO REC
1 Gil Ray NO REC
Epstein - No Rec

1 Robert O'Brien
Chairman
None

421

January 17, 1978

The Honorable John L. Rader
President of the Senate
Alaska State Legislature
Juneau, Alaska 99811

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Sincerely,

S/SSH

Jay S. Hammond
Governor



jud SB 421

Alaska Court System

State of Alaska

303 "K" STREET
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA
99501

ARTHUR H. SNOWDEN II
ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR

(907) 274-8611

April 18, 1978

The Honorable John C. Sackett
Chairman, Senate Finance Committee
Pouch V
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Senator Sackett:

The Alaska Court System FY 1979 capital budget request is currently in a separate bill, SB 421. While the Court System submitted its capital budget for inclusion in the Governor's budget, he chose to submit a separate piece of legislation for the court portion of the capital budget. However, at this time, I request that the Senate Finance Committee consider the Court System capital budget request along with other capital budget requests for inclusion in the general appropriation bill.

Since the time of submission of the Court System capital budget request, several changes have occurred in facility needs within the Court System. Therefore, I am submitting a revised capital budget request which supercedes SB 421 and the supporting capital budget request previously submitted to both finance committees. This revised budget request is attached to this letter.

Sincerely,

Richard P. Barrier

AMENDED FY 1979 CAPITAL BUDGET REQUEST

ALASKA COURT SYSTEM

1. Sitka Cooling System--\$65,000.

The original capital budget request included \$121,500 for installation of chillers in the Sitka court building. However, the Court System has now been advised that \$65,000 will be adequate for completion of this project.

2. Expansion of Kotzebue court facility--\$253,000.

The Supreme Court has made the decision to transfer the District Court Judge position from Nome to Kotzebue. This decision was based primarily on the fact that Kotzebue case loads have grown in recent years to the point that in criminal matters, the case load is virtually identical to that of Nome. Therefore, by moving the District Court Judge to Kotzebue, the entire Second Judicial District will receive a more balanced level of service. However, to accommodate the judge, and the additional amount of judicial activity anticipated, the Kotzebue court facility needs to be expanded.

The current court space in Kotzebue consists of 900 square feet of a combined state facility. When the facility was first built, a quarter of the facility was omitted, apparently due to a lack of funds. This space, which amounts to approximately 1,000 square feet, could be added on to this facility at a cost of approximately \$213,000 (figures provided by the facility procurement section of the Department of Transportation). In addition, approximately \$40,000 will be necessary for remodeling of existing space and equipment for the new space. At a total cost of approximately \$253,000, the court will have an adequate trial courtroom, offices for the District Court Judge and Magistrate, and clerical and office space. By designing spaces properly and using spaces for multiple purposes, the 1,900 square feet should be suitable for the immediate space needs in Kotzebue. In time, if other space becomes available within the existing building, court space needs in Kotzebue should be satisfied for many years to come.

3. Anchorage Remodeling--\$80,000.

This request incorporates two separate projects: (1) relocation of the jury assembly area, and (2) restructuring of library space.

The jury assembly area is presently located on the fourth floor of the court building, which is not the most suitable space for this purpose. By moving the jury assembly

area to the basement of the newer court facility, it will be located at a spot convenient to both the Superior and District Courts, as well as providing greater court control over the movement of jurors within the court facility. By moving the jury assembly area to the basement, the heavy volume of jurors moving through the building to the fourth floor, and the resulting noise and confusion, will be minimized. An additional benefit is that the previous assembly area would then be available for remodeling as a courtroom.

In conjunction with the move of the jury assembly area, the remodeling of the library storage area in the basement will also be required. This involves construction of walls and mounting of shelving to house less-frequently-used volumes from the main floor of the court's library.

Original sponsor: Rules Committee by
request of the Governor (by request of
the administrative director of courts)

Offered: 1/30/78
Referred: State Affairs

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 421

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

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14 Galena Court Building	1,563,500
15 Sitka Cooling System	121,500

16 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect July 1, 1978.

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

5/3/78

FURTHER: _____

Date: _____

Mr. President:

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MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Chairman

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: FINANCE

1/30/78

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2 J. Kestel

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

1 Brad Bralley - No Rec
1 John Weber NO REC
1 Bill Ray NO REC
1 [Signature] NO REC

[Signature]
Chairman
[Signature]
None

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

1/17/78

FURTHER: State Affairs
Finance

Date: 1/30/78

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 1 Zigler
 1 Patrick Rodey

1 [Signature]
Chairman

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Introduced: 1/17/78
Referred: Judiciary, State
Affairs and Finance

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR (by
request of the administra-
tive director of courts)

1 IN THE SENATE

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SENATE BILL NO. 421

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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TENTH LEGISLATURE -- SECOND SESSION

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ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

TENTH Legislature SECOND Session

SENATE BILL NO. 421

By THE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

"An Act making a special appropriation to the Alaska Court System; capital budget; and providing for an effective date."

spec. appro./Alaska Court System

Introduced in the Senate 1/17, 1973

HISTORY IN THE SENATE

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1 17 Judiciary, State Affairs and Finance

1 30 Reported back with recommendation that *Yea*
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5 3 *1 D. - House of Depts. to Finance*

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Reconsideration

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Reported correctly engrossed
Signed by President
Sent to House

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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CHIEF CLERK OF THE HOUSE

HISTORY IN THE SENATE

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Received from House

Reported correctly enrolled

Sent to Governor

..... By Governor

Filed with Lt. Governor

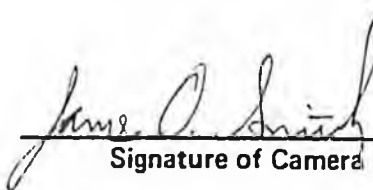
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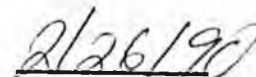
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Date

Introduced: 1/17/78
Referred: State Affairs
and Finance

1 IN THE SENATE

BY KERTTULA

2 SENATE BILL NO. 425

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act making a special appropriation with respect to
7 a utilities transmission line at Mile 18.1 of the
8 Seward Highway; and providing for an effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. The sum of \$192,743 is appropriated from the general fund to
11 be apportioned as follows:

12 (1) \$52,743 to the City of Seward to reimburse the city for its
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14 the city transmission line on May 18, 1977;

15 (2) \$140,000 to the Department of Transportation and Public Facil-
16 ities to relocate the principal transmission line serving the City of Seward
17 in conjunction with realignment of the roadway at Mile 18.1 of the Seward
18 Highway.

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STATE OF ALASKA

JAY S. HAMMOND, GOVERNOR

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC FACILITIES

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER - ADMINISTRATION

POUCH 2
JUNEAU, ALASKA 99811

March 1, 1978
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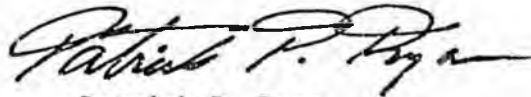
Honorable Jalmar Kerttula, Co-Chairman
Senate State Affairs Committee
Juneau Court & Office Building, Room 614
Juneau, Alaska 99801

Dear Senator Kerttula:

Enclosed as requested is fiscal note for SB 425, relating to a special appropriation to the City of Seward and the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities for relocation of a utilities transmission line at Mile 18.1 of the Seward Highway.

Copies of the fiscal note have been sent to Mr. Hogan and Mr. Specking.

Sincerely,



Patrick P. Ryan
Deputy Commissioner
Administration

Enclosure.

THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TENTH LEGISLATURE

FISCAL NOTE

I. REQUEST

Bill/Resolution No. S.B. No. 425 and H.B. No. 653 (Identical)
 Title Appropriation for City of Seward Transmission Line Relocation
 Requested by Legislative Finance Division Date _____

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Agency Affected Department of Transportation and Public Facilities
 Program Category Affected Transportation
 Budget Request Unit(s) Affected Highways Design and Construction

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.						
TOTAL						

FUNDING (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER (Specify)						

POSITIONS

FULL TIME						
PART TIME						
TEMPORARY						

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

Since this proposed relocation is not related to the proposed highway reconstruction at Mile 18.1 on the Seward Highway, it would seem to be more logical to appropriate this funding directly to the City of Seward. The purpose of the line movement is solely to improve the accessibility of the line from the proposed highway location, for future maintenance of the line.

IV. DATE _____

PREPARED BY *MD Seegal*
 AGENCY DOT/PF
 PHONE _____

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

Kertulla, Lovseth

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

2/17/78

FURTHER: _____

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on FINANCE has had SB 425 special appropriation with respect to utilities transmission line at Mile 18.1 of the Seward Highway

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee reports it back as follows)

- recommends it do pass recommends it do not pass
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MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Chairman

425

Introduced: 1/17/78
Referred: State Affairs
and Finance

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BY KERTTULA

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ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

TENTH Legislature SECOND Session

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"An Act making a special appropriation with respect to a utilities transmission line at Mile 13.1 of the Seward Highway; and providing for an effective date."

spec. appropriation

Introduced in the Senate 1/17/78, 19....

HISTORY IN THE SENATE

19	78	Read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs and Finance
1	17	Reported back with recommendation that <i>Adopted in no bill to Finance</i>
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