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HB 221 - HB 231

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COMMITTEE REPORT
HOUSE

(11)

FURTHER:

3/30/83

Date: 4-12-83

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on FINANCE has had HR 221

An Act relating to the creatinn of a program for stranded nonresidents.

under consideration and reports it back as follows:

- do pass do not pass
- do pass with attached amendments(s)
- replace with CS for HB 221 (FINANCE) same title new title
- and recommends INDIVIDUAL RECOMMENDATIONS
- AND attaches a "Letter of Intent" New Fiscal Note Zero Fiscal Note Attached
- reports it back without recommendation
- referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING
DO PASS

MEMBERS HAVING
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Jerry A. Seal

John ...

James ... (No Rec)

Tom ... Don't pass

Ad ...

Chairman

CHAIRMAN

Original sponsor: Lindauer

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 221 (Finance)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the creation of a program for
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STATE OF ALASKA
FISCAL NOTE

Revision Date Apr. 6, 1983
Resubmitted original version
using new form. No changes.

I. REQUEST

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 221
Title: Stranded non-residents
Sponsor: Rep. Landauer
Requestor: House Finance

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Agency Affected: Department of Law
Program Category Affected: General Govt.
BRU, Program of Subprogram(s) Affected: Legal Services

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

| | FY 83 | FY 84 | FY 85 | FY 86 | FY 87 | FY 88 |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| OPERATING | | | | | | |
| 100 PERSONAL SERVICES | | 133.3 | 169.4 | 179.6 | 190.4 | 201.8 |
| 200 TRAVEL | | 10.0 | 12.8 | 13.6 | 14.4 | 15.3 |
| 300 CONTRACTUAL - | | 64.0 | 68.8 | 72.9 | 77.3 | 81.9 |
| 400 COMMODITIES | | 14.0 | 9.5 | 10.1 | 10.7 | 11.3 |
| 500 EQUIPMENT | | 19.0 | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- |
| 600 LAND & STRUCTURES | | | | | | |
| 700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC | | 500.0 | 530.0 | 561.8 | 595.5 | 631.2 |
| TOTAL OPERATING | -0- | 740.3 | 790.5 | 838.0 | 888.3 | 941.5 |
| CAPITAL | | | | | | |
| REVENUE | | | | | | |

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

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|------------------------|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| GENERAL FUND | -0- | 740.3 | 790.5 | 838.0 | 888.3 | 941.5 |
| FEDERAL FUNDS | | | | | | |
| OTHER (Specify Source) | | | | | | |

POSITIONS:

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|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| FULL-TIME | -0- | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 |
| PART-TIME | | | | | | |
| TEMPORARY | | | | | | |

III. SOURCE OF FUNDS TO OFFSET FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL:

Not specified by sponsor.

IV. ANALYSIS: Attach a separate page for any Analysis

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Norman C. Gorsuch, Attorney General
Date: 3/10/83
Department: Department of Law

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Assumptions

HB 221

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The funds necessary to operate such a program could be considerable. In addition to an Assistant Attorney General, support staff and other resources would be necessary to handle outreach and public information efforts, establish and maintain eligibility controls and to provide grants-in-aid accounting services.

There is no accurate means of determining the number of people who might be eligible for the assistance that the bill would provide. It is easily supposed, however, that the promise of a free trip home will encourage a large number of job seekers from the other states, which are now experiencing the most unemployment since the great depression. A survey of airfares between Seattle and Alaska employment centers such as Anchorage, Fairbanks, Juneau, Ketchikan, Kodiak, Dillingham, and Unalaska reveals that the average one-way airfare is \$330. Grant funds to return just 1,000 stranded nonresidents would cost \$330,000. This number of stranded nonresidents may seem excessive, but it may prove very low once the state signals that it is willing to subsidize the cost of job hunting to the unemployed living outside the state.

The department therefore recommends that a minimum amount of \$500,000 be provided for relocation grants if this bill becomes law. The department cautions that if this amount is insufficient, a supplemental appropriation may be necessary during 1984 Legislative Session.

The following individuals are expected to testify on HB 221:

Representative John Lindauer, prime sponsor

Elizabeth Shaw, Assistant Attorney General

Alaska State Legislature

Representative John Lindauer
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House of Representatives

April 11, 1983

TO: House Finance Committee

FROM: Representative John Lindauer *JL*

RE: House Bill 221: " An Act relating to the creation of a program
for stranded non-residents

People tend to become stranded non-residents when they run out of work and money. These are the people who may turn to crime.

We have a social duty and financial interest in helping those who request our assistance to return to their homes and families.



William Booth, Founder

THE SALVATION ARMY

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Founded in 1865



Major William E. McHarg, Divisional Commander

31 March 1983

Representative John H. Lindeauer
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Dear Representative Lindeauer:

I want to thank you for the opportunity to testify on House Bill 221. Ms. Dorothy Pevey called to advise us of the hearing and requested some follow up information in writing.

We receive about 30 request per month from people who want to return home (out of state) and have no money to pay their own way. These requests are received in spite of the fact that we do not provide this service and have informed other agencies that we cannot afford to do it.

I know your proposal is for a very specific population but the idea may be cost effective in other areas as well. With strict guidelines and verification of resources in "the lower 48" perhaps it would work for some welfare recipients.

Sincerely,

David C. Clitheroe, ACSW
Captain
Director of Social Services

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One-way ticket

THE CONCEPT of giving people stranded in Alaska one-way airplane tickets Outside was the subject of legislation introduced this week. An airplane ticket to Seattle is certainly cheaper than months and months of welfare payments the state might have to make if the persons stayed here.

The tactic has been used here before, although not in the way proposed in the current legislation.

In Anchorage during territorial days, the magistrate regularly sent winos Outside. The defendants were given a choice of time in jail or deportation. They often chose the latter. A boat or airplane ticket to Seattle was part of the deal.

THE BILL now under consideration would establish an office under the direction of the attorney general. Its purpose would be to "seek out and identify stranded non-residents who might request assis-

tance and whose immediate departure is in the best interests of the state."

The office would work in cooperation with the Department of Health and Social Services and the Department of Public Safety. Before a ticket could be issued, written approval would have to be given by a judge, magistrate or police chief.

THE STATE should not be in the business of ordering people out, of course, unless criminal activity is involved.

Administration of the program could become a nightmare. Care would have to be taken that the state does not find itself in the business of providing vacations for those who claim to be out of money. And it would have to be structured so it would not attract indigent people to the state.

But if a person is truly stranded and it can be verified that he does not have the resources to return home, it is in the public interest to help him leave.

Anchorage Times 3/25/83

City wages battle to find home for 'street people'

by Beth Barrett
Times Writer

The municipality is battling time to find an overnight shelter for the city's street people, while tenants at one possible site are fighting to stall or stop the facility.

Jewel Jones, city director of social services, said a city-owned, four-story building at Third Avenue and Cordova Street is the most likely choice to replace the Brother Frances shelter at 831 W. Fourth Ave. The existing lease expires in May, and the property is to be cleared to expand the state courthouse building.

Other possible locations include the Salvation Army building at Eighth Avenue and C Street, and vacant structures throughout the downtown area, Jones said.

But tenants in the Cordova Street building are protesting the city's tentative plan to eventually bunk up to 170 street people in the building. Organizations, such as the Older Persons Action Group, now rent office space from the city on a month-by-month basis.

"We aren't opposed to the

idea, we just question whether this is the best choice," said Vera Gazaway, executive director of the Older Persons Action Group. "But we average over 75 meetings a month. Many of them are evening meetings. How do you tell (street) people that they can't come in earlier, because a meeting is going on?"

Gazaway said the building already contributes its fair share to the community, including providing either office or meeting space for Alcoholics Anonymous, the Federation of the blind, the American Red Cross, Protection and Advocacy for the Developmentally Disabled and the Alaska State Community Theatre Association.

But Jones said the city could make other arrangements for evening meetings.

"There are other conference rooms throughout the city," she said. "For example, the fifth floor of the 825 L St. building and the Municipal Hill Building."

Jones said the Cordova Street building has passed city fire code inspections. A building safety inspection is planned next week. A recom-

mendation to Mayor Tony Knowles should be made in about two weeks, she said.

The Salvation Army Building is another option for the shelter, Jones said. The organization plans to move to a new facility at 48th Avenue and the Old Seward Highway this year, she said.

"It is a huge facility," Jones said. "We might look at it on a rent or lease basis."

Downtown merchants recently lobbied successfully against a daytime shelter for street people at 408 W. Fourth Ave. It will close at the end of April.

The city has no immediate plans to replace that facility, which provided a place out of the cold for up to 200 street people last winter, Rodman Wilson, city health director said.

Merchants argued that the concentration of street people at the center disrupted the shopping district. But city officials say the closure of the center may compound the problem because the street people will once again be walking the streets during the day.



Times file photo

Homeless drunks like this man have been shunned by downtown merchants who want them removed

STATE OF ALASKA

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April 1, 1983

The Honorable Al Adams
Chairman
House Finance Committee
Alaska State Legislature
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Re: HB 221 - Stranded
Nonresidents

Dear Representative Adams:

Due to an inadvertent oversight on my part, I did not attend the House Judiciary hearing on March 29, 1983, in which HB 221, Stranded nonresidents was discussed and passed out of committee.

The Department of Law would, however, like to make the following comments regarding the bill which although not strictly "financial" in nature will have a financial impact as any problems that develop in a program generally create unexpected increased expenditures of money.

HB 221 provides that a stranded nonresident who wishes to leave the state and who does not have the resources to do so will be given assistance in the form of the "most reasonable and least expensive transportation" to a "mutually acceptable location in Canada or the United States." There must also be a finding that the best interests of the state will be served by the person's immediate departure. The program will be administered by the Department of Law with an assistant attorney general in charge of it.

On initial review HB 221 appears to have merit as it could prevent the use of long term state assistance for persons forced to stay here because of lack of resources to leave. How-

ever, on closer consideration the bill presents several potential problems. 1/

Our preliminary review of HB 221 has revealed the following:

1. The nonresident (who may have lived in Alaska for a considerable period of time) will be returned to a mutually acceptable location. The location need not be the person's home. The receiving state may well look with a jaundiced eye on any Alaska state-financed plan which pays for destitute persons to be moved from Alaska to the receiving state. Problems of international scope pertain when Canada is the "mutually agreed upon location".

2. Although this legislation may be of help to stranded needy families, it may also be used for persons who simply are not "welcome" in the state. The bill has the potential for abuse when an "undesirable" person is offered the choice of a criminal prosecution or a one way ticket out of the state. 2/ Coercion of this type, if proven, would result in a violation of the nonresident's due process right.

3. The bill does not specify how many times a person may take advantage of this one way ticket. We are aware that there are many people who travel to Alaska seasonally and would want to take advantage of the return ticket.

4. The bill also provides that the assistant attorney general is to "seek out" and identify eligible persons and

1/ Determination as to a person's residency or nonresidency may in itself be difficult to ascertain as would what constitute the "best interests of the state." One should also note that much of the public assistance provided in Alaska is financed with federal, not state money. We may not "deport" a person simply to avoid having that person apply for welfare benefits in our state.

2/ As the Assistant Attorney General must get a judge, magistrate, or chief of police to approve the eligibility of a stranded nonresident, one would have to assume that persons who have run afoul of the law will be prime candidates for "deportation." This assumption was validated in prime sponsor's testimony before the House Judiciary Committee.

coordinate the program with social service agencies. Legal training is not the type of expertise needed for these responsibilities.

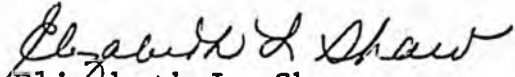
Admittedly, many states may have informal procedures for transporting persons to another state. Alaska also has these procedures through public assistance General Relief. More formal procedures are available through interstate compacts. This transportation must be voluntary and occurs only after extensive contacts with the receiving state or family and friends of the nonresident in the receiving state to ascertain that the person will be able to get the assistance at home that he or she needs. 3/

Although the idea of a one time only payment to assist a person is an appealing one, the opportunity for abuse by the state or by "nonresidents" is apparent. Due to the fact that there are public and private programs which can, if properly funded, offer assistance to needy persons - residents and nonresidents - including transportation "back home," and because of the obvious problems of administration, the Department of Law does not support the passage of HB 221.

Sincerely,

NORMAN C. GORSUCH
ATTORNEY GENERAL

By:


Elizabeth L. Shaw
Assistant Attorney General

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3/ It is difficult to predict what duty, and therefore what liability, the state might assume when a person dangerous to self or to others is "deported" at state expense and that person injures himself or another soon after his or her arrival at the "mutually agreed upon location."

Introduced: 2/23/83
Referred: Judiciary and
Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY LINDAUER

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HOUSE BILL NO. 221

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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Introduced: 2/23/83
Referred: Finance

BY THE LABOR AND
COMMERCE COMMITTEE

1 IN THE HOUSE

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HOUSE BILL NO. 224

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the board of nursing."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 08.03.010(c)(1) is amended to read:

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(1) Board of Nursing (AS 08.63.010) -- June 30, 1987

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[1983].

STATE OF ALASKA
PRELIMINARY STATEMENT OF FISCAL IMPACT

Bill No: House Bill NO. 224 Date on Bill: February 23, 1983
 Title: "An Act relating to the board of nursing."
 Sponsor: Labor and Commerce Committee
 Requestor: _____

1. Estimated fiscal impacts on:

a. Expenditures:

(Thousands of Dollars)

| | FY 83 | FY 84 | FY 85 | FY 86 |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Capital | | | | |
| Operating | -0- | -0- | -0- | |
| Total | | | | |

b. Revenues:

| | | | | |
|---------|--|--|--|--|
| Revenue | | | | |
|---------|--|--|--|--|

2. Source of funds to offset fiscal impact of bill:

3. Assumptions: No additional fiscal impact will be incurred with this House Bill.

Funding to be continued and provided for in the Department's FY-84 budget:

4. Disclaimer:

This statement has not been reviewed by the OMB in the Office of the Governor. It therefore does not represent the final estimate of fiscal impact.

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 Approved by Commissioner: Richard A. Lvon Date: _____
 Department: Commerce & Economic Development

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2/15/83

The following individuals are expected to testify on HB 224:

Harry Traeger, Division of Occupational Licensing, Department
of Commerce and Economic Development

Sammy Rinke, Board of Nursing

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Information FROM OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING ON THE BOARD'S BUDGET

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CURRENT NUMBER OF LICENSEES 5,267

FY '82

Revenues 51.2
Expenditures 92.7

| | |
|-------------------------|-------------|
| Personal Services | 69.2 |
| Board Travel & Per Diem | 15.0 |
| Contractual | 8.0 |
| Commodities | .5 |
| TOTAL | <u>92.7</u> |

FY '83 Allocated 21.1 (For Board travel and Per diem only)

Revenue (7/1/82 to 2/14/83) 99.2
Expenditures 39.5

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|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Board Travel & Per Diem | 5.7 |
| Contractual | 7.5 |
| Personal Services (7/82 to 2/83) | 26.3 |
| | <u>39.5</u> |

FY '84 (Board Component - Division Budget) Total 201.5

Nursing Board Allocation 22.3

*Personal Services
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STATE OF ALASKA

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HOUSE LABOR AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE

February 22, 1983

Representative Joe Hayes, Speaker of House
Alaska House of Representatives
Pouch V,
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Re: Board of Nursing

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to AS 44.66.050(a) the House Labor and Commerce Committee has held hearings regarding the above referred Board. Under AS 44.66.050(e) the Committee recommends adoption of the attached Committee Bill continuing the Board of Nursing.

Specifically, the findings of the Committee of the public need for the Board as required under AS 44.66.050(c) are as follows:

AS 44.66.050(c) " A determination as to whether a board or commission or agency program has demonstrated a public need for its continued existence shall take into consideration the following factors:"

"(1) the extent to which the board, commission or program has operated in the public interest;"

The Committee finds that the Board of Nursing has operated in the public interest by holding public hearings to discuss statute and regulation revisions concerning continuing competency requirements, Board membership, foreign nurse graduate requirements, and the definition of license violations. The Board of Nursing accredits and periodically surveys Alaska nursing education programs to ensure that educational standards are being maintained.

"(2) the extent to which the operation of the board, commission, or agency program has been impeded or enhanced by existing statutes, procedures, and practices which it has adopted, and any other matter, including budgetary, resource, and personnel matters;"

The usage of the teleconference network by the Board of Nursing has allowed them to communicate throughout the State during subcommittee meetings and public hearings.

"(3) the extent to which the board, commission or agency has recommended statutory changes which are generally of benefit to the public interest;"

The Board of Nursing is currently developing regulations that will maintain a level of competence for practitioners. The Board is in the process of developing formal regulations which define and list examples of license violations.

"(4) the extent to which the board, commission or agency has encouraged interested persons to report to it concerning the effect of its regulations and decisions on the effectiveness of service, economy of service, and availability of service which it has provided;"

Applicants who have repeatedly failed the examination are helped through counseling or referred to useful textbooks.

"(5) the extent to which the board, commission or agency has encouraged public participation in the making of its regulations and decisions;"

In addition to teleconferencing, the Board of Nursing advertises meeting and examinations in newspapers in Anchorage, Fairbanks and Juneau.

"(6) the efficiency with which public inquiries or complaints regarding the activities of the board, commission or agency filed with it, with the department to which a board or commission is administratively assigned, or with the office of the ombudsman have been processed and resolved;"

The Committee finds that the Board of Nursing is handling complaints in a timely manner. During the fiscal years 1979 through 1981 two complaints were filed with the Ombudsman. Both were subsequently resolved.

"(7) the extent to which a board or commission which regulates entry into an occupation or profession has presented qualified applicants to serve the public;"

During the fiscal years 1979 through 1981, the Board of Nursing issued approximately 1800 licenses and 1235 temporary permits to practice nursing in Alaska.

"(8) the extent to which state personnel practices, including affirmative action requirements, have been complied with by the board, commission or agency to its own activities and the area of activity or interest; and"

The Committee determined that the Board of Nursing is in compliance.

"(9) the extent to which statutory, regulatory, budgeting or other changes are necessary to enable the agency, board or commission to better serve the interests of the public and to comply with the factors enumerated in this subsection."

The Board of Nursing needs to adopt formal regulations which define and list examples of license violations. In addition, it would be helpful if the Board of Nursing would continue its efforts towards developing relevant and effective regulations that will maintain a level of competence for practitioners.

Pursuant to AS 44.66.050(d) the Committee recommends the following:

"(d) As to each board, commission, or agency program assigned to it for purposes of review, the committee of reference shall, not later than the 60th day of the legislative session submit a report to the presiding officer of the house. The report shall contain a summary of the findings of the committee as to the compliance of the board, commission or program with the factors enumerated in (c) of this section, together with a summary or recommendations of the committee as to each of the following:"

"(1) an identification of the problems or the needs that the programs and activities of the board, commission or agency are intended to address;"

The Board of Nursing was created in 1941 with the primary purpose to protect the public's health, safety, and welfare through the regulation of the nursing practice.

"(2) a statement, to the extent practicable, of the objectives of the program of the board, commission, or agency program, and its anticipated accomplishments;"

The Board of Nursing determines the minimum allowable quality of nursing care in the State by establishing or amending rules and regulations necessary to ensure compliance with State statutes. They also approve curricula, adopt standards and accredit nursing education programs. The Board of Nursing examines and issues licenses to qualified applicants and the Board of Nursing hold hearings which may revoke, suspend, or take other appropriate action on the license of a person violating the nursing statutes and regulations.

The Board of Nursing has staff support from the Division of Occupational Licensing which employs an Executive Officer of the Board who is statutorily responsible for performing administrative duties and assisting the Board in conducting examinations and educational programs.

"(3) an identification of any other programs having similar, conflicting or duplicate objectives;"

The Committee did not find other programs which had conflicting or duplicate objectives.

"(4) an assessment of alternative methods of achieving the purposes of the program;"

The Committee found no viable alternative method of achieving the purposes administered by the Board of Nursing.

"(5) an assessment of the consequences of eliminating the board, commission or program and consolidating its activities with another program, or of funding it at a lower level;"

The Committee finds that to eliminate the Board of Nursing or consolidating its activities would denigrate the level to protection to the public's health, safety, and welfare.

"(6) a justification for the recommended continuation or extension of the board, commission or program, and an explanation of the manner in which it avoids duplication of or conflict with other efforts; and"

The Board of Nursing has recommended changes to statute and regulation in the public interest, helped develop curriculum to enhance the professionalism of nursing, conducted necessary examination of applicants for licensure to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the public.

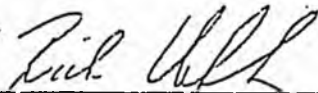
"(7) any other information which, in the opinion of the committee, would improve the performance of the board, commission or agency with respect to its representation of and responsiveness to the public interest."

The Committee commends the dedication, time, and effort on the part of each Board member for their service in a complex and difficult job.

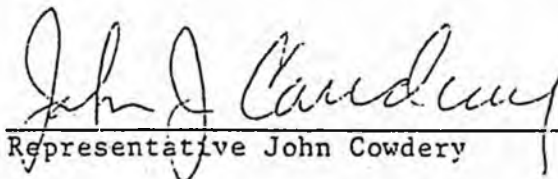
Respectfully submitted:



Representative Walt Furnace, Chairman



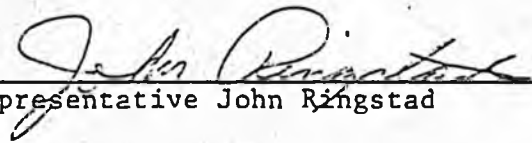
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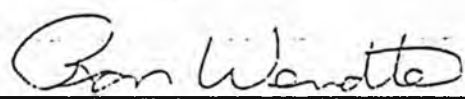


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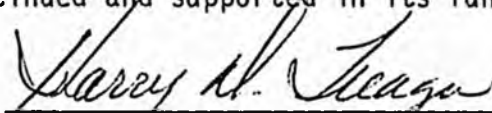
POSITION PAPER
BOARD OF NURSING
HB 224

The Department of Commerce and Economic Development would support continuation of the established Board of Nursing.

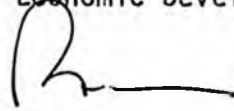
The board has been active in carrying out its mandated functions and operated in the interest of the public. Their function is necessary to protect the public, and insure competent, qualified practitioners are licensed. There presently are 5,335 active licensed nurses in four categories. Of these, 467 were new licensees.

Projects the board has actively been pursuing are: a consumer survey addressing the effectiveness of the profession, the availability of the services professionals offer, and the consumers' attitude regarding educational levels and continued education requirements. They have confronted license violations and have taken appropriate, corrective action.

The Board of Nursing should be continued and supported in its functions.



Harry D. Treager, Director
Division of Occupational Licensing
Department of Commerce and
Economic Development

 3/4/83

Richard A. Lyon, Commissioner
Department of Commerce and
Economic Development

Introduced: 2/23/83
Referred: Finance

BY THE LABOR AND
COMMERCE COMMITTEE

1 IN THE HOUSE

2

HOUSE BILL NO. 224

3

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4

THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5

A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the board of nursing."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 08.03.010(c)(1) is amended to read:

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(1) Board of Nursing (AS 08.68.010) -- June 30, 1987

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[1983].

Alaska House of Representatives

MEMO



Phone: 465-3725
Room: 214 Capitol

From the desk of CHIEF CLERK

TO: Finance- Carol DATE: 3/21/83

Please return HB 226 to the Chief Clerk's office. IT is being returned to C & RA.

Thanks,

Kris

3/24/83

STATE OF ALASKA
FINAL* STATEMENT OF FISCAL IMPACT

Bill No: HB226 Page 1 of 2 Date on Bill: 2/25/83
 Title: "An Act relating to the compensation of State Officers and employees"
 Sponsor: Governor
 Requestor: Governor

1. Estimated fiscal impacts on:

a. Expenditures:

(Thousands of Dollars)

| | FY 83 | FY 84 | FY 85 | FY 86 |
|-----------|---------|----------|----------|-------|
| Capital | | | | |
| Operating | 6,269.6 | 12,746.9 | 12,746.9 | |
| Total | 6,269.6 | 12,746.9 | 12,746.9 | |

b. Revenues:

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| Revenue | | | | |
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2. Source of funds to offset fiscal impact of bill:

These funds are included in the Governor's expenditure plan for FY 83 and FY 84. The FY 83 amount has been requested as a supplemental appropriation in HB227. The FY 84 amount will be included as an amendment to the Governor's FY 84 budget.

3. Assumptions:

Estimates of fiscal impact on Legislative Branch, Judicial Branch, and University of Alaska were provided by agency representatives and are assumed to be accurate.

*This statement has been reviewed by the OMB in the Office of the Governor.

Prepared By: Jeff Morrison Phone: 465-3568
 Division: Office of Management and Budget - Division of Budget Review Date: 2/28/83
 Approved by Commissioner: [Signature] Date: 3/1/83
 Department: OMB
 Reviewed by OMB: [Signature] Date: 2-28-83
 Phone: 3568

5. Distribution:

- Original to Legislative Finance
- Copy to Department
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2/24/83

HB 226 Page 2 of 2
 Analysis of Salary Schedule Bill

The fiscal impact of changing the salary schedule as proposed affects the executive, legislative, and judicial branches of government and the University of Alaska. The fiscal impact on the legislative and judicial branches and the University of Alaska was obtained by contacting the following representatives:

| | |
|----------------------|----------------|
| Court System | Robert Fisher |
| Legislative Affairs | Wally Harrison |
| Legislative Finance | Pat Williams |
| Legislative Audit | Merle Jensen |
| Ombudsman | Robin Ross |
| University of Alaska | Frank Spargo |

The fiscal impact on the executive branch was calculated using a computer program developed by the Office of Management and Budget, and coordinated by Jeff Morrison. Fiscal Impacts are summarized as follows:

| | FY 83 TOTAL | FY 83 GF | FY 85/85 TOTAL | FY 84/85 GF |
|----------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Court System | 578.7 | 578.7 | 1163.0 | 1163.0 |
| Legislative Affairs | 312.2 | 312.2 | 629.8 | 629.8 |
| Legislative Finance | 43.4 | 43.4 | 86.8 | 86.8 |
| Legislative Audit | 53.9 | 53.9 | 107.8 | 107.8 |
| Ombudsman | 28.9 | 28.9 | 57.8 | 57.8 |
| University of Alaska | 3791.3 | 3390.4 | 7753.8 | 6150.1 |
| Executive Branch | <u>1461.2</u> | <u>1408.1</u> | <u>2947.9</u> | <u>2835.2</u> |
| TOTALS | 6269.6 | 5815.6 | 12,746.9 | 11,030.5 |

The FY 83 amounts will be requested as a supplemental appropriation. The FY 84 amount will be included as an amendment to the Governor's FY 84 budget. The FY 85 amounts will be included in the instructions for agency preparation of the FY 85 budget.

ac
BILL SHEFFIELD
GOVERNOR



HB 226

STATE OF ALASKA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
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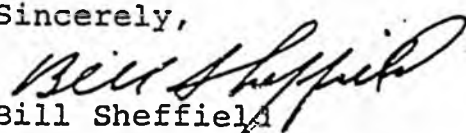
February 24, 1983

The Honorable Joe L. Hayes
Speaker of the House
Alaska State Legislature
Pouch V
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Under the authority of art. III, sec. 18, of the Alaska Constitution, I am transmitting a bill relating to the salaries of state officers and employees not covered by collective bargaining. Recently negotiated agreements with five major bargaining units in state government set salary and benefits increases for each unit equal to a 5 percent salary increase, plus \$5 per month per employee. The salary schedule in sec. 1 of the bill enacts a salary increase based on the same formula. The January 1, 1983 date specified in sec. 4 coincides with the effective date for the increases of the five major bargaining units already negotiated.

Sincerely,


Bill Sheffield
Governor

Introduced: 2/25/83
Referred: Finance

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

1 IN THE HOUSE

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HOUSE BILL NO. 226

3

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4

THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5

A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the compensation of state offi-

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ing; and providing for an effective date."

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

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* Section 1. AS 39.27.011(a) is repealed and reenacted to read:

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(a) The following monthly basic salary schedule is approved as

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the pay plan for classified and partially exempt employees in the ex-

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ecutive branch of the state government who are not members of a col-

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lective bargaining unit established under the authority of the Public

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Employment Relations Act:

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| 2 | 18 | 2,985 | 3,093 | 3,198 | 3,308 | 3,416 | 3,545 |
| 3 | 19 | 3,198 | 3,308 | 3,416 | 3,545 | 3,654 | 3,790 |
| 4 | 20 | 3,416 | 3,545 | 3,654 | 3,790 | 3,903 | 4,049 |
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| 8 | 24 | 4,469 | 4,633 | 4,787 | 4,966 | 5,134 | 5,308 |
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| 11 | 27 | 5,134 | 5,308 | 5,503 | 5,710 | 5,915 | 6,140 |
| 12 | 28 | 5,308 | 5,503 | 5,710 | 5,915 | 6,140 | 6,354 |
| 13 | 29 | 5,503 | 5,710 | 5,915 | 6,140 | 6,354 | 6,577 |
| 14 | 30 | 5,710 | 5,915 | 6,140 | 6,354 | 6,577 | 6,809 |

15 * Sec. 2. EMPLOYEES OF THE JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES. The per-
16 manent and temporary employees of the judicial branch and the permanent em-
17 ployees of the legislative branch are entitled to receive salary increases
18 comparable to those received by the classified and partially exempt employ-
19 ees of the executive branch under AS 39.27.011(a) as that subsection is re-
20 enacted in sec. 1 of this Act.

21 * Sec 3. EMPLOYEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA. The employees of the
22 University of Alaska who are not members of a collective bargaining unit
23 are entitled to receive salary increases comparable to those received by
24 the classified and partially exempt employees of the executive branch under
25 AS 39.27.011(a) as that subsection is reenacted in sec. 1 of this Act.

26 * Sec. 4. RETROACTIVITY. Sections 1 -- 3 of this Act are retroactive
27 to January 1, 1983.

28 * Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act takes effect immediately in accor-
29 dance with AS 01.10.070(c).

Introduced: 2/28/83
Referred: State Affairs and
Finance

BY DAVIS, KOPONEN, CLOCKSIN,
DUNCAN, FULLER, GOLL, GRUSSENDORF
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1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 231

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the Alaska Commission on the
7 Status of Women; and providing for an effective
8 date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 44.19.165 is amended to read:

11 Sec. 44.19.165. CREATION OF COMMISSION. There is created in the
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16 women's councils or commissions.

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18 Sec. 44.19.180. ANNUAL REPORT. Each year the commission shall
19 file a report with the governor and the legislature of its proceedings
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22 mendations required under this section shall be prepared no later than
23 the convening of the legislature.

24 * Sec. 4. AS 44.66.010(a) is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

25 (12) Alaska Women's Commission -- June 30, 1987.

26 * Sec. 5. The Alaska Women's Commission established in sec. 1 of this
27 Act succeeds to all the powers, duties, and facilities of the Alaska Com-
28 mission on the Status of Women.

29 * Sec. 6. Section 2, ch. 120, SLA 1978 is repealed.

THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

FISCAL NOTE

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 Bill/Resolution No. HB 231
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 Requested by House Finance Committee Date 4/13/83

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 Agency Affected Office of the Governor
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 BRU, Program, Or Subprogram(s) Affected Commission on the Status of Women
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EXPENDITURES (Thousands of Dollars)

| | FY 83 | FY 84 | FY 85 | FY 86 | FY 87 | FY 88 |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 100 PERSONAL SERVICES | | | | | | |
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| TOTAL | | 0 | | | | |

FUNDING (Thousands of Dollars)

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

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IV. DATE 4/13/83 PREPARED BY Rep. Al Adams *RA*
 AGENCY House Finance Committee
 Original: Legislative Finance PHONE 465-3706
 cc: Budget and Management
 Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)
 33-001 (Rev. 12/82)

CORRECTION

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TO ASSURE LEGIBILITY**

Introduced: 2/28/83
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BY DAVIS, KOPONEN, CLOCKSIN,
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- 3 10.070(c).



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STATE OF ALASKA -- OPERATING BUDGET SUMMARY

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4/13/83

* * * * * OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR * * * * *

SHORT
FORM
PAGE

| BUDGET COMPONENT | FY83 ATH | CONT. | GOVERNOR | GOV.AMD. | HOUSE | HOUSE - GOV.AMD. COMPARISON |
|----------------------------------|----------|---------|----------|----------|---------|--------------------------------|
| ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE | | | | | | |
| COMMISSIONS | | | | | | |
| 2 STATUS OF WOMEN COMMISSION | 348.1 | 360.7 | 342.7 | 342.7 | 327.5 | -15.2 -4.3% |
| 4 HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION | 1492.2 | 1536.5 | 1464.9 | 1534.9 | 1487.1 | -47.8 -3.0% |
| *** PROGRAM TOTAL *** | 1840.3 | 1897.2 | 1807.6 | 1877.6 | 1814.6 | -63.0 -3.3% |
| GENERAL GOVERNMENT | | | | | | |
| EXECUTIVE OPERATIONS | | | | | | |
| 8 EXECUTIVE OFFICE | 24282.2 | 4666.9 | 4433.5 | 5257.9 | 5131.9 | -126.0 -2.3% |
| 10 EXECUTIVE MANSION | 292.8 | 213.6 | 373.6 | 516.8 | 373.6 | -143.2 -27.6% |
| 12 AK LAND USE COUNCIL | 347.8 | 358.4 | 340.5 | 340.5 | 340.5 | |
| 14 CONTINGENCY FUND | 750.0 | 750.0 | 750.0 | 750.0 | 500.0 | -250.0 -33.2% |
| 16 LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR | 783.0 | 524.0 | 558.1 | 558.1 | 558.1 | |
| 18 COUNCIL ON ECONOMIC POLICY | 674.7 | 334.9 | 100.0 | 100.0 | | -100.0 -100.0% |
| 20 REGULATORY REFORM OFFICE | 119.4 | 124.2 | | | | |
| *** PROGRAM TOTAL *** | 27249.9 | 6972.0 | 6555.7 | 7523.3 | 6904.1 | -619.2 -8.1% |
| OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT & BUDGET | | | | | | |
| 24 BUDGET & MANAGEMENT | 2291.0 | 2781.4 | | | | |
| 26 INTERNAL AUDIT | 998.9 | 1018.4 | | | | |
| 28 POLICY DEVELOPMENT & PLANNING | 2095.6 | 2105.7 | | | | |
| 30 OFC OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET | | | 6023.5 | 6123.5 | 5917.5 | -206.0 -3.3% |
| *** PROGRAM TOTAL *** | 5385.5 | 5905.5 | 6023.5 | 6123.5 | 5917.5 | -206.0 -3.3% |
| 34 ELECTIONS | 3934.5 | 2052.3 | 1898.8 | 2010.5 | 1811.3 | -199.2 -9.8% |
| 38 SALARY & BENEFITS INCREASES | | | | 38866.3 | | -38866.3 -100.0% |
| 40 AGENCY UNALLOCATED REDUCTION | | | | -258.0 | | 258.0 -100.0% |
| *** CATEGORY TOTAL *** | 36569.9 | 14929.8 | 14478.0 | 54265.6 | 14632.9 | -39632.7 -73.0% |
| ***** TOTAL AGENCY EXPENDITURES | 38410.2 | 16827.0 | 16285.6 | 56143.2 | 16447.5 | -39695.7 -70.6% |
| ***** AGENCY FUNDING | | | | | | |
| FED. RECEIPT | 266.0 | 266.0 | 266.0 | 1693.3 | 336.0 | -1357.3 -80.1% |
| GENERAL FUND | 38144.2 | 16561.0 | 16019.6 | 48851.6 | 16111.5 | -32740.1 -67.0% |
| OTHER FUNDS | | | | 5598.3 | | -5598.3 -100.0% |

THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
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The following individuals are expected to testify on HB
231:

Representative Mike Davis, prime sponsor

Lisa Rudd, Commissioner, Department of Administration

Carla Timpone, Member, Commission on the Status of
Women

STATE OF ALASKA
FISCAL NOTE

Revision Date , 1983

I. REQUEST No. 1

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Bill/Resolution No.: House Bill #231 Agency Affected: Office of the Governor
 Title: "An Act relating to the Alaska Program Category Affected: Due Process
 Sponsor: Davis, Koponen, Goll, Commissioner BRU, Program of Subprogram(s) Affected:
 Requestor: House Clocksin, Duncan on the Status Status of Women Commission
State Affairs Fuller, Lacher, of Women: and providing for an eff. date.
 EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (In thousands of Dollars) Larson, Malone, Grussendorf, McBride

| | FY 83 | FY 84 | FY 85 | FY 86 | FY 87 | FY 88 |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|
| OPERATING | | | | | | M.M. Mill |
| 100 PERSONAL SERVICES | | 175.9 | 186.5 | 197.7 | | Phillips |
| 200 TRAVEL | | 47.0 | 49.8 | 52.8 | | Szymanski |
| 300 CONTRACTUAL | | 116.8 | 123.8 | 131.2 | | vaska |
| 400 COMMODITIES | | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.4 | | wendte |
| 500 EQUIPMENT | | | | | | Zharoff |
| 600 LAND & STRUCTURES | | | | | | |
| 700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC | | | | | | |
| TOTAL OPERATING | | 342.7 | 363.3 | 385.1 | | |
| CAPITAL | | | | | | |
| REVENUE | | | | | | |

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

| | | | | | |
|------------------------|--|-------|-------|-------|--|
| GENERAL FUND | | 342.7 | 363.3 | 385.1 | |
| FEDERAL FUNDS | | | | | |
| OTHER (Specify Source) | | | | | |

POSITIONS:

| | | | | | |
|-----------|--|---|---|---|--|
| FULL-TIME | | 4 | 4 | 4 | |
| PART-TIME | | | | | |
| TEMPORARY | | | | | |

III. SOURCE OF FUNDS TO OFFSET FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL:

Fiscal impact will be incurred. Funding to be continued and provided for in the Governor's FY 84, 85 and 86 budgets.

IV. ANALYSIS: Attach a separate page for any Analysis

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 Division: Administrative Services Date: 3/21/83

Approved by Commissioner: [Signature] Date: 3/22/83
 Department: Office of the Governor

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STATE OF ALASKA
PRELIMINARY STATEMENT OF FISCAL IMPACT

No. 2

Bill No: House Bill No. 231 Page 1 of 4 Date on Bill: February 28, 1983
 Title: "An Act Relating to the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women"
 Sponsor: House Rules Committee
 Requestor: David, Koponen, Clocksin, Duncan, Fuller, Goll, Grussendorf, Lacher, Larson, Malone, McBride, M.M. Miller, Phillips, Szymanski, Vaska, Wendt & Zharoff.

1. Estimated fiscal impacts on:

a. Expenditures:

(Thousands of Dollars)

| | FY 83 | FY 84 | FY 85 | FY 86 |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Capital | | | | |
| Operating | -0- | 342.7 | 372.3 | 385.1 |
| Total | -0- | 342.7 | 372.3 | 385.1 |

b. Revenues:

| Revenue | | | | |
|---------|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | |

2. Source of funds to offset fiscal impact of bill:

Fiscal impact will be incurred. Funding to be continued and provided for in the Governor's FY 84, 85 and 86 budgets.

3. Assumptions:

4. Disclaimer:

This statement has not been reviewed by the OMB in the Office of the Governor. It therefore does not represent the final estimate of fiscal impact.

Prepared By: Michael A. Nizich Phone: 465-4616
 Division: Administrative Services/Executive Office Date: 3/03/83
 Approved by Commissioner: *Laura M. Herman* Date: 3/0/83
 Department: Office of the Governor

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Status of Women Budget Summary

| | | |
|-------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 01 | Personal Services | 197.7 |
| 02 | Travel | 52.8 |
| 03 | Contractual | 131.2 |
| 04 | Commodities | 3.4 |
| 05 | Equipment | |
| 06 | Lands/Buildings | |
| 07 | Grants, Clms | |
| 08 | Miscellaneous | |
| ** Total ** | | <u>385.1</u> |

Full-Time Position Recap -

| <u>PCN</u> | <u>Classification Title</u> | <u>Annual Salary</u> |
|------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| 01-0079 | Policy & Prog Spec II | 52,896 |
| 01-0080 | Secretary I | 22,668 |
| 01-0081 | Research Analyst II | 35,292 |
| 01-0091 | Information Officer II | 35,292 |

Status of Women - Budget Summary

| | | |
|-------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 01 | Personal Services | 186.5 |
| 02 | Travel | 49.8 |
| 03 | Contractual | 123.8 |
| 04 | Commodities | 3.2 |
| 05 | Equipment | |
| 06 | Lands/Buildings | |
| 07 | Grants, Clms | |
| 08 | Miscellaneous | |
| ** Total ** | | <u>372.3</u> |

Full-Time Position Recap -

| <u>PCN</u> | <u>Classification Title</u> | <u>Annual Salary</u> |
|------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| 01-0079 | Policy & Prog Spec II | 51,012 |
| 01-0080 | Secretary I | 21,984 |
| 01-0081 | Research Analyst II | 34,056 |
| 01-0091 | Information Officer II | 34,056 |

Status of Women - Budget Summary

| | |
|----------------------|--------------|
| 01 Personal Services | 175.9 |
| 02 Travel | 47.0 |
| 03 Contractual | 116.8 |
| 04 Commodities | 3.0 |
| 05 Equipment | |
| 06 Lands/Buildings | |
| 07 Grants, Clms | |
| 08 Miscellaneous | |
| ** Total ** | <u>342.7</u> |

Full-Time Position Recap -

| <u>PCN</u> | <u>Classification Title</u> | <u>Annual Salary</u> |
|------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| 01-0079 | Policy & Prog Spec II | 49,380 |
| 01-0080 | Secretary I | 21,384 |
| 01-0081 | Research Analyst II | 32,868 |
| 01-0091 | Information Officer II | 32,868 |

THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

FISCAL NOTE

I. REQUEST

Bill/Resolution No. HB 231

Title An Act relating to the Commission on the Status of Women

Requested by House Finance Committee Date 4/13/83

II. FISCAL DETAIL

Agency Affected Office of the Governor

Program Category Affected COMMISSIONS

BRU, Program, Or Subprogram(s) Affected Commission on the Status of Women

(Note: If more than one budget component is affected, separate line-item amounts and funding for each component in the analysis section.)

EXPENDITURES (Thousands of Dollars)

| | FY 83 | FY 84 | FY 85 | FY 86 | FY 87 | FY 88 |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 100 PERSONAL SERVICES | | | | | | |
| 200 TRAVEL | | | | | | |
| 300 CONTRACTUAL | | | | | | |
| 400 COMMODITIES | | | | | | |
| 500 EQUIPMENT | | | | | | |
| 600 LAND & STRUCTURES | | | | | | |
| 700 GRANTS, CLAIMS, ETC. | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 0 | | | | |

FUNDING (Thousands of Dollars)

| | | | | | | |
|------------------------|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| GENERAL FUND | | | | | | |
| FEDERAL FUNDS | | | | | | |
| OTHER (Specify Source) | | | | | | |
| | | 0 | | | | |

POSITIONS

| | | | | | | |
|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| FULL TIME | | | | | | |
| PART TIME | | | | | | |
| TEMPORARY | | | | | | |

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

A zero fiscal note is attached to this bill because funding for the Commission appears in the FY 84 budget.

This funding procedure conforms with that utilized to extend termination dates of other boards and commissions in the House Finance Committee.

Funding information is attached in the form of the budget "cut sheet".

IV. DATE 4/13/83

PREPARED BY Rep. Al Adams *RPA*

AGENCY House Finance Committee

Original: Legislative Finance PHONE 465-3706

cc: Budget and Management

Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)

33-001 (Rev. 12/82)

STATE OF ALASKA -- OPERATING BUDGET SUMMARY

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| BUDGET COMPONENT | FY83 ATH | CONT. | GOVERNOR | GOV.AMD. | HOUSE | HOUSE - GOV.AMD. COMPARISON |
|----------------------------------|----------|---------|----------|----------|---------|--------------------------------|
| ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE | | | | | | |
| COMMISSIONS | | | | | | |
| 2 STATUS OF WOMEN COMMISSION | 348.1 | 360.7 | 342.7 | 342.7 | 327.5 | -15.2 -4.3% |
| 4 HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION | 1492.2 | 1536.5 | 1464.9 | 1534.9 | 1487.1 | -47.8 -3.0% |
| *** PROGRAM TOTAL *** | 1840.3 | 1897.2 | 1807.6 | 1877.6 | 1814.6 | -63.0 -3.3% |
| GENERAL GOVERNMENT | | | | | | |
| EXECUTIVE OPERATIONS | | | | | | |
| 8 EXECUTIVE OFFICE | 24282.2 | 4666.9 | 4433.5 | 5257.9 | 5131.9 | -126.0 -2.3% |
| 10 EXECUTIVE MANSION | 292.8 | 213.6 | 373.6 | 516.8 | 373.6 | -143.2 -27.6% |
| 12 AK LAND USE COUNCIL | 347.8 | 358.4 | 340.5 | 340.5 | 340.5 | |
| 14 CONTINGENCY FUND | 750.0 | 750.0 | 750.0 | 750.0 | 500.0 | -250.0 -33.2% |
| 16 LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR | 783.0 | 524.0 | 558.1 | 558.1 | 558.1 | |
| 18 COUNCIL ON ECONOMIC POLICY | 674.7 | 334.9 | 100.0 | 100.0 | | -100.0 -100.0% |
| 20 REGULATORY REFORM OFFICE | 119.4 | 124.2 | | | | |
| *** PROGRAM TOTAL *** | 27249.9 | 6972.0 | 6555.7 | 7523.3 | 6904.1 | -619.2 -8.1% |
| OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT & BUDGET | | | | | | |
| 24 BUDGET & MANAGEMENT | 2291.0 | 2781.4 | | | | |
| 26 INTERNAL AUDIT | 998.9 | 1018.4 | | | | |
| 28 POLICY DEVELOPMENT & PLANNING | 2095.6 | 2195.7 | | | | |
| 30 OFC OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET | | | 6023.5 | 6123.5 | 5917.5 | -206.0 -3.3% |
| *** PROGRAM TOTAL *** | 5385.5 | 5905.5 | 6023.5 | 6123.5 | 5917.5 | -206.0 -3.3% |
| 34 ELECTIONS | 3934.5 | 2052.3 | 1898.8 | 2010.5 | 1811.3 | -199.2 -9.8% |
| 38 SALARY & BENEFITS INCREASES | | | | 38866.3 | | -38866.3 -100.0% |
| 40 AGENCY UNALLOCATED REDUCTION | | | | -258.0 | | 258.0 -100.0% |
| *** CATEGORY TOTAL *** | 36569.9 | 14929.8 | 14478.0 | 54265.6 | 14632.9 | -39632.7 -73.0% |
| ***** TOTAL AGENCY EXPENDITURES | 38410.2 | 16827.0 | 16285.6 | 56143.2 | 16447.5 | -39695.7 -70.6% |
| ***** AGENCY FUNDING | | | | | | |
| FED. RECEIPT | 266.0 | 266.0 | 266.0 | 1693.3 | 336.0 | -1357.3 -80.1% |
| GENERAL FUND | 38144.2 | 16561.0 | 16019.6 | 48851.6 | 16111.5 | -32740.1 -67.0% |
| OTHER FUNDS | | | | 5598.3 | | -5598.3 -100.0% |

STATE OF ALASKA -- OPERATING BUDGET SUMMARY

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| 12 | AK LAND USE COUNCIL | 347.8 | 358.4 | 340.5 | 340.5 | 340.5 | | |
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| 18 | COUNCIL ON ECONOMIC POLICY | 674.7 | 334.9 | 100.0 | 100.0 | | -100.0 | -100.0% |
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| | OTHER FUNDS | | | | 5598.3 | | -5598.3 | -100.0% |

(4) submit annually to the legislature, not later than the 10th day of each regular session, the portion of the coastal management program approved or amended by the council during the preceding year. (§ 3 ch 84 SLA 1977)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.893 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031.

Sec. 44.19.162. Council staff. The council shall utilize the staff of the office of coastal management within the division of policy development and planning in discharging its powers and duties. The coordinator of the office, with the concurrence of the council, may contract with or employ personnel or consultants he considers necessary to carry out the powers and duties of the council. (§ 3 ch 84 SLA 1977)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.894 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031.

Article 14. Alaska Commission on the Status of Women.

| Section | Section |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| 165. Creation of commission | 170. Compensation |
| 166. Composition | 171. Purpose |
| 167. Appointment | 175. Powers and duties |
| 168. Meetings | 180. Annual report |
| 169. Terms of office | |

Editor's note. — Section 2, ch. 120, SLA 1978, provides: "The Alaska Commission on the Status of Women created under AS 44.19.956 shall terminate on June 30, 1983."

Sec. 44.19.165. Creation of commission. There is created in the Office of the Governor the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women. (§ 1 ch 120 SLA 1978)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.956 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031.

Sec. 44.19.166. Composition. The commission consists of nine members and an ex officio member representing the office of the attorney general who shall serve at the pleasure of the governor. (§ 1 ch 120 SLA 1978)

Editor's note. — from AS 44.19.957 and the revisor under 01.05.031

Sec. 44.19.167. on a nonpartisan basis 60 days of October. At least one member shall be employed. In addition, the following shall be given to:
 (1) the records of organizations, labor unions, and other groups;
 (2) statewide organizations;
 (3) minority organizations.
 (b) The commission may select other members. 120 SLA 1978

Editor's note. from AS 44.19.958 and the revisor under 01.05.031

Sec. 44.19.168. all the members shall attend a meeting of the commission at the request of the quorum for a meeting. T at the request of the commission. T time as determined. 1978)

Editor's note. from AS 44.19.959 and the revisor under 01.05.031

Sec. 44.19.169. is five years. members serve and three members shall be appointed by the balance of the members. 120 SLA 1978

Editor's note. from AS 44.19.960 and the revisor under 01.05.031

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.957 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031.

Sec. 44.19.167. Appointment. (a) The members shall be appointed on a nonpartisan and nondiscriminatory basis by the governor within 60 days of October 6, 1978. The members shall be residents of the state. At least one member shall be a homemaker who is not otherwise employed. In making the appointments, due consideration shall be given to

(1) the recommendations made by civic organizations, women's organizations, educational and vocational groups, employer groups, labor unions, church groups, homemakers' clubs and organizations, and other groups having an interest in the status of women;

(2) statewide geographical representation of the commission; and

(3) minority and low-income representation.

(b) The commission shall elect one of its members as chairperson and may select other commission officers as it considers necessary. (§ 1 ch 120 SLA 1978)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.958 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031.

Sec. 44.19.168. Meetings. Within 60 days after the appointment of all the members of the commission, the governor shall call the first meeting of the commission. A majority of the members constitutes a quorum for conducting business and exercising the powers of the commission. The commission shall meet at the call of the chairperson, at the request of a majority of the members, or at a regularly scheduled time as determined by a majority of the members. (§ 1 ch 120 SLA 1978)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.959 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031.

Sec. 44.19.169. Terms of office. The term of office of each member is five years. Terms shall be staggered. Initial terms shall be three members serving for one year, three members serving for three years, and three members serving for five years. A vacancy shall be filled for the balance of the unexpired term in the same manner as original appointments. (§ 1 ch 120 SLA 1978)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.961 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031.

Sec. 44.19.170. Compensation. Members of the commission receive no compensation for their services but are entitled to per diem and travel allowances authorized by law for other boards and commissions. (§ 1 ch 120 SLA 1978)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.962 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031. The provisions formerly contained in AS 44.19.170 are now contained in AS 44.99.008.

Sec. 44.19.171. Purpose. The purpose of the commission is to implement the recommendations contained in the preliminary study on the status of women in Alaska which was mandated by the Ninth Legislature, Second Session, under ch. 99 SLA 1976, and improve the status of women in Alaska by conducting further research and by making and implementing additional recommendations on the opportunities, needs, problems, and contributions of women in Alaska including, but not limited to,

- (1) education,
- (2) homemaking,
- (3) civil and legal rights,
- (4) labor and employment. (§ 1 ch 120 SLA 1978)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.963 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031. The provisions formerly contained in AS 44.19.171 are now contained in AS 44.19.048.

Sec. 44.19.175. Powers and duties. To accomplish its purpose, the commission may

- (1) hire an executive director and additional administrative staff as may be necessary to the commission's function;
- (2) act as a clearinghouse and coordinating body for governmental and nongovernmental information relating to the status of women;
- (3) cooperate with public and private agencies in joint efforts to study and resolve problems relating to the status of women in Alaska;
- (4) accumulate and compile information concerning discrimination against women;
- (5) disseminate the results of research and compilation of data acquired under (4) of this section by publication and other methods such as public hearings, conferences, and seminars;
- (6) study and analyze all facts relating to Alaska laws, regulations and guidelines with respect to equal protection for women under the state constitution;
- (7) recommend legislative and administrative action on equal treatment and opportunities for women;
- (8) select and retain the services of consultants whose advice is considered necessary to assist the commission in obtaining information;

- (9) encourage leadership roles;
- (10) establish investigate and
- (11) create to experts as need
- (12) accept m an agency of association or f any program 1 purposes of the

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Sec. 44.19.181. file a report wit the previous c legislative and required unde: convening of th

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Section

181. Yukon-Taiya lished
182. Duties of the
183. Composition
184. Term of men

Sec. 44.19.182. created in the (§ 1 ch 85 SLA

Editor's note. from AS 44.20.010 the revisor under

Sec. 44.19.183. seek the init Yukon-Taiya The commissi information, the developm

(9) encourage women to utilize their capabilities and to assume leadership roles;

(10) establish standing committees among the members to investigate and make recommendations on various areas of concern;

(11) create task forces composed of commission members and other experts as needed;

(12) accept monetary gifts or grants from the federal government or an agency of it, from any charitable foundation or professional association or from any other reputable sources for implementation of any program necessary or desirable for carrying out the general purposes of the commission. (§ 1 ch 120 SLA 1978)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.964 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031. The provisions formerly contained in AS 44.19.175 are now contained in AS 44.19.050.

Sec. 44.19.180. Annual report. Each year the commission shall file a report with the governor and the legislature of its proceedings for the previous calendar year and shall submit recommendations for legislative and administrative action. Reports and recommendations required under this section shall be prepared no later than the convening of the legislature. (§ 1 ch 120 SLA 1978)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.19.966 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031.

Article 15. Yukon-Taiya Commission.

| Section | Section |
|---|---|
| 181. Yukon-Taiya Commission established | 185. Administration |
| 182. Duties of the commission | 186. Acceptance of grants and other aid |
| 183. Composition of commission | 187. Expenditures |
| 184. Term of membership | 188. Reports |

Sec. 44.19.181. Yukon-Taiya Commission established. There is created in the Office of the Governor the Yukon-Taiya Commission. (§ 1 ch 85 SLA 1967)

Editor's note. — This section derives from AS 44.20.010 and was renumbered by the revisor under 01.05.031.

Sec. 44.19.182. Duties of the commission. The commission shall seek the initiation of a joint United States-Canada study of the Yukon-Taiya hydroelectric project and related resources development. The commission is authorized to conduct studies, compile and publish information, and provide the good offices of the state for encouraging the development. (§ 1 ch 85 SLA 1967; am § 1 ch 131 SLA 1968)



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
September 28, 1982

ALASKA AREA NATIVE HEALTH SERVICE
BOX 7-741
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA 99510

Refer to: A-EEO

Senator Vic Fisher, Chairman
Senate State Affairs Committee
1024 W. 6th. Avenue, Suite 204C
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Dear Senator Fisher:

This is in response to your letter of September 8 inviting public comment on the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women.

During the past two years, I have served as the Federal Women's Program Manager for the Alaska Area Native Health Service (Anchorage and seven Service Units) and in that time, Katie Hurley, Executive Director of the Commission on the Status of Women, has been a tremendous support to me in addressing issues related to women. I was especially impressed with the booklet "Women's Legal Rights in Alaska".

Although I am not a spokesman for my agency, I would like to share my thoughts with you. From the comments that I have received from the women throughout the State of Alaska, the regional conferences have been extremely beneficial for women in our smaller towns. I hope that they will continue in the future and that additional regional conferences will be held throughout the State. I think it's very valuable for gathering information, sharing experiences, and becoming a more cohesive group to address issues of importance to women. Since I grew up in a small town, I can understand the anticipation and excitement related to upcoming regional conferences. If those gatherings are anything like the ones we have had in Sitka, they are extremely well-attended and very beneficial.

The Alaska Commission on the Status of Women held a statewide conference which had excellent participation. I attended as many sessions as I could and, of course, I wish that I could have gone to all of them. It was extremely well-organized and the topics were of great interest to the women in our State. I hope that it will be possible to continue and/or expand these programs in the future.

I feel that the Commission on the Status of Women should be an ongoing program incorporated into law. I think it's important for improving the status of women in our State and I do believe it will take longer than simply five-year blocks of time to accomplish this. I hope that legislative action will be taken to make it a permanent division of State government. I also feel that any program of this magnitude which is so important to all the women in our

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State should have adequate funding appropriated for this Commission. Although women are champion budgeters, it does take dollars to travel, meet, do research, publish documents and run an office. I highly recommend adequate funding to cover all the expenses that are necessary to maximize the needed changes to improve the status of women. Your consideration is appreciated.

Sincerely,



Ann Breazeale
Federal Women's Program Manager

cc: FWP Representatives
Interagency FWP's
Network Alaska
Women's Resource Center
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Alaska Commission on the Status of Women

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Fairbanks, Ak. 99708-0231
September 23, 1982

Vic Fischer, Chair
Senate State Affairs Committee
1024 W. 6th Ave., Suite 204 C
Anchorage, Ak. 99501

Dear Senator Fischer:

I have served from May 1981 to September 1982 as Doyon Region Representative to the Alaska Native Women's Statewide Organization, Inc.

During that time the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women was helpful in granting the Fairbanks Native Association and Women-In-Crisis Counseling and Assistance (WICCA) a joint grant to hold conferences in Fairbanks and the Galena area to allow women of this region to discuss and take action on issues important to them. As a result of these conferences, I have seen local women gain experience in leadership, organization, pinpointing of issues affecting women and children, parliamentary procedures, and enjoy sharing the commonality of issues affecting every one such as domestic violence, sexual assault and child abuse and the knowledge that such hardships are not limited to one group.

I also attended the conference put on by the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women in March. I felt very good about attending a conference where women of all races, ethnic groups, and cultures got together and discussed problems affecting all women and how to resolve them.

A very important publication issued by the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women was the legal rights handbook. I personally have used information gleaned from the handbook and suggested that others obtain it also for their use. Someone commented that I must have talked to a lawyer, but thanks for the handbook, I had preliminary information on what to do about a problem.

The director Katie Hurley and commission members have been most helpful to the Alaska Native Women's Statewide Organization, Inc. and Commissioner Dyalee Azar has provided a crucial link with Alaska Native Women that did not exist before.

As women all working together and providing a network for information, consultation and leadership. I for one, would urge that the State of Alaska fund the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women for another five years. Some very fine activities and products have been seen as a result of the Commission's existence. It would be a shame to stop now that we have just started. Thanks for your support.



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TESTIMONY FOR SENATE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE HEARING
ON THE FUTURE ROLE OF THE
ALASKA COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

Prepared by Dorothy Jones, Commissioner

September 29, 1982

My name is Dorothy Jones. In my capacity as Professor of Sociology at the University's Institute for Social and Economic Research, I was the major author of the Preliminary Study on the status of women in Alaska produced for the Alaska Legislature. This study laid the basis for the establishment of the Commission.

In my capacity as a psychotherapist at The Collective, which specializes in the special problems of women, I have become intimately familiar with the issues of concern to Alaskan women.

I have been a member of the Commission since its inception in 1978. One of my current Commission activities involves organizing a health task force made up of representatives of major Alaska health organizations to identify the health problems specific to Alaskan women and consider remedies for these problems. The task force members underscored the urgent need for the activities we have undertaken.

In these three capacities as a commissioner, research investigator, and psychotherapist I am keenly aware that the Commission plays a

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unique role in Alaska, in identifying the problems of Alaskan women, investigating the extent and nature of these problems, helping women to organize and articulate their needs, and advocating remedies. The Commission is necessary as the single voice that speaks for the comprehensive problems of Alaskan women. I strongly urge extension of this unique and necessary state organization.



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TESTIMONY FOR SENATE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
HEARING ON S.B. 63

February 15, 1983

Mr. Chairman:

I regret I cannot appear in person to request an extension of time for or that a permanent Women's Commission be established in Alaska. However, I spoke extensively on the subject at this committee's hearing last fall, and I would ask that the record of that hearing be considered as part of this hearing.

Since 1978, we have seen many measures become law that the Commission worked toward:

- the Sex Equity in Education Act,
- the law allowing peace officers to make arrests for misdemeanors based on probable cause, and
- provisions allowing victims of domestic violence to obtain temporary restraining orders to prevent such violence in the future.

We have seen a tightening of the sentences to be given criminals, including those convicted of sexual assault. Prosecutions of those accused of sexual assault have received greater attention from our prosecutors and women victims of such assaults have received much better treatment from investigatory and prosecutorial arms of government.

We have seen funding continue for women's shelters, resource centers, and displaced homemaker programs.

We have been able to sow the seed^{of} several regional women's conferences, in Barrow, Bethel, Fairbanks, Galena, Hoonah, Kenai, and Kotzebue, and more are planned. Our statewide conference one year ago sparked the interest, imagination and dedication that will be needed to address women's issues long into the future.

We measure our successes in a manner different than most governmental agencies. We are successful if we inspire high school girls to fulfill their fondest dreams, whether they be to be homemakers, welders, fisher(man), public servants or whatever. We are successful if we alleviate the misery of entrapment in a violent or abusive family situation, a jail that treats

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females worse than male inmates, or a system of employment or compensation that locks one into an inescapable continuum of disparate treatment because of sex. We are successful if we increase the options available for our citizens, and support the career, reproductive, and family choices our citizens make. We have been successful but so much more needs to be done.

Changes in government, as changes in attitude, do not occur overnight. The problems of rural, Native and minority women deserve more attention. The legislative changes I mentioned earlier need to be fully implemented and then reviewed. The steps we have begun to take need to be followed and completed. And there are many areas where we have yet to begin to take the first step.

I urge your committee, and this legislature, to pass an extension of present women's commission. The women of the state need a central group to act as an information clearinghouse, a lightning rod, a research agency and a lobbyist. The Commission needs to continue to act as an information resource, a prod and a conscience for government at all levels of the state. I urge the extension of the women's commission, preferably permanently.

Barbara L. Schuhmann
Chairwoman
Alaska Commission on the
Status of Women



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February 15, 1983

Senator Vic Fischer, Chair
State Affairs Committee
Pouch V
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Re: SB63

Dear Senator Fischer:

In 1976 the Alaska State Legislature requested that the Human Rights Commission conduct a study on the status of women in Alaska in the four areas of health, education, employment, and the justice system. Although an initial cost estimate of such a study was put at \$200,000., only \$25,000. was appropriated; hence, the study was defined as "preliminary."

The "Preliminary Study on the Status of Women in Alaska" was presented to the Legislature in 1977. One of the primary recommendations of the study was the establishment of a fully funded state commission. In 1978, the tenth Legislature created the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women.

Since that time, the Commission has undertaken numerous projects and activities in an attempt to implement the recommendations made in the preliminary study, as well as other issues:

- the Commission has served as an advocate for improving the status of Alaskan women by serving on several task forces, committees, and councils
- The Commission has produced and/or co-sponsored a state-wide conference, an apprenticeship training program, and a program on women and alcohol
- the Commission has testified before legislative bodies on many issues, and was instrumental in securing the passage of mini Title IX and the displaced homemaker program
- the Commission's "Legislative Report" is distributed to women's organizations across the State
- the Commission's publications include, among others, "Women in Alaska's Labor Force" and the "Women's Legal

Rights in Alaska" handbook

- The Commission has conducted public hearings and statewide teleconferences on the issues of welfare, violence against women, sex bias in education, displaced homemakers, and women in construction
- the Commission has sponsored to date ten regional women's conferences, including Asian-American women, Black women, women and poverty, the NANA Regional Conferences, Northern Native Women's Conference, and two annual conferences of the Alaska Native Women's Statewide Organization
- the Commission has conducted research studies on child support enforcement, battered women, homemakers, and displaced homemakers
- the Commission has drafted resolutions, compiled resource materials, adopted policy statements, provided workshop leaders, compiled information fact sheets, and conducted media campaigns

We feel that this is an impressive partial listing of accomplishments. In many ways, it is discouraging to know that so much more needs to be done:

women still receive only 60¢ on every dollar made by her male co-worker

women are still at the low end of the wage scale, stuck in deadend, pink collar jobs

the majority of citizens living below the poverty level are women and their dependent children

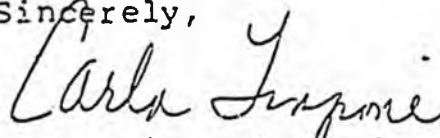
there continues to be a disproportionate number of women in apprenticeship and training programs

there continues to be a two month waiting list for day care programs

There continues to be a need to improve the status of women in Alaska.

We urge your support for passage of this bill in order to meet those needs, and we thank you for your continued support of the Commissions efforts.

Sincerely,



Carla Timponé, Chair
Political Action Committee



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March 1, 1983

ALASKA COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN: ACTIVITIES AND ADVOCACY
FOR ALASKA NATIVE WOMEN

SUMMARY

The goal of the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women - that of improving the status of women in Alaska and achieving equal opportunity for all women - is one which has universal application to all women in the state. However, from its first organizational efforts the Commission has recognized the special needs and unique concerns of Alaska Native women. Despite the fact that the legislature removed "Minority Women" from the topics included in the Preliminary Study: The Status of Women in Alaska, 1977, the Commission set early priorities to address Native women's issues. Taking its lead from the Alaska Native Women's Statewide Organization and other Native spokeswomen, the Commission has focused on those concerns and problems identified by ANWSO and the Native women who have participated at the Commission's Rural Regional Conferences over the past several years. Below is a brief summary of Commission efforts to understand and address the concerns of Alaska Native women. In the attached pages which follow this summary, more complete information is provided for your reference.

RESEARCH

- Primary research effort of the Commission is a current study on the "Economic Status of Alaska Native Women."

ADVOCACY AND POLITICAL ACTION

- Task Force on Violence Against Native Women.
- Extensive testimony to legislative committees on violence against rural and Native women.
- Continued vocal advocacy for affirmative action for rural and Native women on major Alaskan construction projects, and for improved remote dispatch procedures.
- Continued advocacy for improved hiring of Native and minority women in state government.
- Resolution supporting the subsistence initiative.

COMMUNICATION AND INCREASED AWARENESS

- Statewide women's conference, 1982. Native women and issues were highlight of conference.
- Rural Regional Conference Project. Fourteen local projects funded. More than 70% of these regional conferences have been targeted to Native women.

EDUCATION AND THE MEDIA

- Extensive publication efforts geared toward rural and Native women.
- Native women highlighted in "Women's Political Leadership Project," a historical journal still in need of publication funds.
- 30 second video public service announcement aired statewide on Native women's contributions to Alaska.

OUTREACH

- Commission schedules its quarterly meetings in rural communities; forms steering committees of local women; offers workshop or seminar on topic of their choice.



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ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE COMMISSION

The following is a partial list of the accomplishments of the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women since its inception in October of 1978. Thousands of women have been contacted, heard and given the opportunity to address their needs and concerns to the Commission. Issues of importance to the women and girls of the state have been identified through the Commission's advocacy, study and action. In addition to the accomplishments listed here, the Commission plans to continue this year with an active program that will include: legislative advocacy; regional and rural conferences; continuation of the media campaign to combat sexrole stereotyping; Phase I of a baseline data study on the needs of Alaska Native Women; continued lobbying for improvement of the State's data sources on women's employment status, and the state's affirmative action goals; further development of the informal network of women's organizations which has been fostered through the Commission's prior work; and, updating current information about women's health needs.

ADVOCACY

Active member of Ad Hoc Training Committee for the Office of the Federal Inspector, re: opportunities for women on the pipeline. (6/81)*

Member of Equity Coordinating Council for Alaska, assisting school districts to implement the new Sex Equity in Education law.

Member of Interagency Task Force which wrote regulations for implementation of the state's new Sex Equity in Education law.

Alternate to Board of Directors of Alaska Plan Policy Board, working to open opportunities for women in non-traditional jobs.

Member of Advisory Board, Center for Alcohol and Addiction Studies, University of Alaska, Anchorage. Addressing concerns of Commission regarding women and alcohol and rural alcohol problems.

Testifying before numerous committees regarding affirmative action in public and private sector and other issues regarding Women and Employment.

*(Dates in parentheses refer to Commission meeting where discussed, if appropriate.)

ADVOCACY (Continued)

Speakers provided for community efforts such as:

Senior Citizens' Law Day, Fairbanks.

End Violence Against Women and Children Month, Rallies
and Marches, Anchorage and Fairbanks.

Fairbanks NOW, encouraging women to apply for boards
and commissions.

National Secretaries Association, Palmer.

Alaska and Yukon meeting of Latin Lionesses.

American Association of University Women.

Women's Political Caucus.

~~Alaska Native Women's Statewide Organization. Conferences,~~
1979, 1981

EDUCATION

Produced: Alaska Statewide Women's Conference, 3/82.
Approximately 70 workshops; films; guest speakers;
over 1,000 attendees.

Co-sponsored: "Women in Apprenticeship Training," 5/82, with U.S.
Women's Bureau and Alaska Department of Community
and Regional Affairs.

"Women and Alcohol," 4/82, with State Office on Alcohol
and Drug Abuse and Salvation Army.

Workshop leaders provided for:

Petersburg B.P.W. seminar: "Horizons - A Second Look"

Anchorage Community College: "Women and the Law"

Kenai Regional Women's Conference: "Women and the Law"

Hoonah Regional Women's Conference: "Leadership Roles
for Women in the Community"

Statewide Women's Conference: "Women and Self Employment;"
"Strengthening Traditional Leadership of Native Women;"
"Collective Organization: An Alternative for Women;"
"Exploring Ways of Raising Liberated Children"

EDUCATION (Continued)

Kenai Regional Women's Conference: "Women in Political Organizations"

National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, National Conference: "The Status of Women in Alaska"

Social Impact Assessment Seminar: "The Impact on Women of Resource Development"

Information Fact Sheets:

Equal Rights Amendment

Equal Rights Amendment: Once a state has ratified the ERA is rescission legal?

Abortion

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Testimony at legislative hearings, legislative committees, special task forces and commissions on topics including the following:

Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault
Sex Equity in Education
Child Support Enforcement
Displaced Homemakers
Affirmative Action
Equal Employment Opportunity
Discrimination in the Housing Market based on Parenthood
Need for Free Legal Services
Gender-free Terminology in State Statutes.

The passage of state laws providing for sex equity in education and displaced homemaker programs are accomplishments which the Commission shared with many of the women's organizations throughout the state.

The Commission has produced a Legislative Report each session and distributed it to women's organizations throughout the state. The report has tracked 40-50 bills concerning women during each legislative session.

MEDIA

Bi-monthly newsletter distributed to more than 2,000 people and organizations statewide.

MEDIA (Continued)

Media campaign to downplay sex-role stereotyping; first PSA's aired statewide beginning summer 1982.

Women's Political Leadership Project, currently underway. Will produce a booklet outlining some of Alaska's female leaders and what inspired them to accomplish what they have.

POLICY STATEMENTS

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| No discrimination based on veteran's preference | 10/79 |
| Family policy | 2/80 |
| White House Conference on Families | 2/80 |
| State Wealth | 2/80 |
| Older Alaskan Women | 2/80 |
| Regarding travel by state employees to non-ratified states | 2/80 |
| Abortion | 4/80 |
| | Reaffirmed 12/80 |
| No discrimination based on sexual preference | 6/82 |

PUBLICATIONS

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| A Preliminary Study: The Status of Women in Alaska | 1977 |
| *Women in Alaska's Labor Force | 5/80 |
| Women's Legal Rights in Alaska | 9/81 |
| Five Years Later: A Review of the Recommendations Contained in A Preliminary Study: The Status of Women in Alaska, 1977 | 1982 |
| Conference Reports: | |
| *Alaska Native Women's Statewide Organization Conference | 1979, 1981 |
| Voices of Black Women in Alaska | 1979 |
| First Regional Women's Conference, Bethel | 1980 |
| Status and Problems of the Asian-American Women in Alaska | 1980 |
| Women and Poverty Conference, Anchorage, Alaska | 1980 |

*Publications produced jointly with other organizations.

PUBLICATIONS (Continued)

Conference Reports:(Continued)

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| Piqatigiich - NANA Regional Women's Conference Kotzebue, Alaska | 1981 |
| Hoonah Regional Conference | 1981 |
| Interior and Northern Native Women's Conference Fairbanks/Galena | 1981 |
| Transcript, Public Hearing, "Women in Construction" | 1981 |
| * <u>Having a Voice</u> , Pictorial Essay, First Regional Women's Conference, Bethel, Alaska | 1981 |

PUBLIC HEARINGS

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|---|-------|
| Welfare (Statewide Teleconference) | 10/80 |
| Violence Against Women (Statewide Teleconference) | 10/80 |
| Sex Bias in Education (Statewide Teleconference) | 10/80 |
| Displaced Homemakers (Statewide Teleconference) | 10/80 |
| Women In Construction (Fairbanks) | 3/81 |

REGIONAL CONFERENCES (funded in whole or in part by the
Commission)

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|---|------------|
| Alaska Native Women's Statewide Organization, annual conferences | 1979, 1981 |
| Asian-American Women | 1980 |
| Black Women of Alaska | 1980 |
| Women and Poverty | 1980 |
| Bethel, First Regional Women's Conference | 1980 |
| NANA Regional Women's Conference, Kotzebue | 1981 |
| Hoonah Regional Women's Conference | 1981 |
| * Kenai Regional Women's Conference | 1981 |

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REGIONAL CONFERENCES (Continued)

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| Interior and Northern Native Women's Conference, Fairbanks and Galena | 1981 |
| North Slope Regional Women's Conference, Barrow | 1982 |

RESEARCH STUDIES

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| Child Support Enforcement in Alaska: A Report to the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women | 1979 |
| Battered Women: A Report for the Alaska Commission on the Status of Women | 1979 |
| A Woman's Place: A Survey of Anchorage Homemakers | 1979 |
| Displaced Homemakers: Research Report | 1980 |

RESOLUTIONS

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|--|-------|
| Opposing Veteran's Preference in State Land Sales | 3/79 |
| Violence Against Native Women | 5/80 |
| Alaska Public Radio Network | 12/80 |
| Child Care in State Buildings | 3/81 |
| Requesting Congressional Delegation to Reintroduce the Equal Rights Amendment | 6/82 |

RESOURCES/MATERIALS

Clearinghouse of information both governmental and non-governmental relating to the status of women, established according to statute.

Library of over 100 texts and other works pertinent to research, education and the general study of women's issues.

Training manuals, developed for use by women's organizations:

- Methods for Better Meetings
- Needs Assessment and Goal Setting
- Program Planning
- Grant Writing Made Easy
- Assertiveness Training
- Sex Bias in Education Workshop Packet

SUBCOMMITTEE STUDIES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

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|------------------------|-------|
| Corrections | 2/80 |
| Violence Against Women | 2/80 |
| Welfare | 12/79 |
| Sex Bias in Education | 1/80 |
| Displaced Homemakers | 1/80 |

OTHER

Survey of participants at Alaska Native Women's Statewide Convention, 1980. Results of survey provided guidelines to Commission concerning Native women's needs.

Two meetings arranged for Anchorage women's groups to discuss issues with the Lieutenant Governor.

Efforts to address problem of alcohol advertisements being aired in rural communities where alcoholism is a serious problem and where local residents have voted "dry".

Outreach: efforts to reach women across the state have included the scheduling of meetings in diverse communities and the funding of rural women's conferences throughout the state.

Alaska State Legislature

House of Representatives

Al Adams
Chairman
Committee on Finance

April 13, 1983

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Official Business

MEMORANDUM

TO: House Finance Committee Members

FROM: Al Adams, Chair *APA*

SUBJ: HB 231, An Act relating to the Commission on the Status of Women

This bill would extend the life of the Commission on the Status of Women.

Section 1. Changes the name of the commission to the Alaska Women's Commission.

Section 2. Adds a new subsection to the powers and duties of the commission stating that the commission should encourage the development of regional and municipal women's councils and commissions.

Section 3. Provides that an annual report shall be provided each fiscal year instead of each calendar year.

Section 4. Extends the life of the commission to June 30, 1987.

Section 5. Provides that all the powers, duties and facilities of the Commission on the Status of Women are those of the Alaska Women's Commission.

Section 6. Repeals the commission's termination date in the original legislation establishing the commission.

Section 7. Provides that the act is retroactive to June 30, 1983. (This section would only have the force of law if the bill were not to pass until after June 30, 1983.)

Section 8. Provides for an immediate effective date.

Introduced: 2/28/83
Referred: State Affairs and
Finance

BY DAVIS, KOPONEN, CLOCKSIN,
DUNCAN, FULLER, GOIL, GRUSSENDORF
LACHER, LARSON, MALONE, MCBRIDE,
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1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 231

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the Alaska Commission on the
7 Status of Women; and providing for an effective
8 date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 44.19.165 is amended to read:

11 Sec. 44.19.165. CREATION OF COMMISSION. There is created in the
12 Office of the Governor the Alaska Women's Commission [ON THE STATUS OF
13 WOMEN].

14 * Sec. 2. AS 44.19.175 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

15 (13) encourage the development of regional and municipal
16 women's councils or commissions.

17 * Sec. 3. AS 44.19.180 is amended to read:

18 Sec. 44.19.180. ANNUAL REPORT. Each year the commission shall
19 file a report with the governor and the legislature of its proceedings
20 for the previous fiscal [CALENDAR] year and shall submit recommenda-
21 tions for legislative and administrative action. Reports and recom-
22 mendations required under this section shall be prepared no later than
23 the convening of the legislature.

24 * Sec. 4. AS 44.66.010(a) is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

25 (12) Alaska Women's Commission -- June 30, 1987.

26 * Sec. 5. The Alaska Women's Commission established in sec. 1 of this
27 Act succeeds to all the powers, duties, and facilities of the Alaska Com-
28 mission on the Status of Women.

29 * Sec. 6. Section 2, ch. 120, SLA 1978 is repealed.

1 * Sec. 7. This Act is retroactive to June 30, 1983.

2 * Sec. 8. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.-

3 10.070(c).

Offered: 3/10/83
Referred: Rules

Original sponsors: V. Fischer, Rodey
and Sturgulewski

1 IN THE SENATE BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 63 (State Affairs)
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