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STATE OF ALASKA 1988 LEGISLATIVE SESSION
FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST: Bill Version: CS SB 401 (Finance)
 Publish Date: _____

Revision Date: 04/25/88 Agency Affected: Alaska Court System
 Title: An act relating to ... the ad- BRU: Trial Courts
 ministration of state tax laws

Sponsor: Faiks Components:
 Requestor: Senate Finance

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES:	(Thousands of Dollars)					
OPERATING	FY 88	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93
Personal Services	581.2	798.5	798.5	581.2	581.2
Travel
Contractual	20.0	30.0	30.0	20.0	20.0
Supplies	3.0	5.0	5.0	3.0	3.0
Equipment	29.5	10.0	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .
Land & Structures
Grants & Claims
TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	633.7	843.5	833.5	604.2	604.2

CAPITAL

REVENUE

FUNDING:	(Thousands of Dollars)					
General Funds	0.0	633.7	843.5	833.5	604.2	604.2
Federal Funds	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .
Other	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .
TOTAL	0.0	633.7	843.5	833.5	604.2	604.2

POSITIONS:						
Full-time	. . . .	10.0	16.0	16.0	10.0	10.0
Part-time	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .
Temporary	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .	. . . .

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

See attached analysis.

Prepared by: *Jan Strandberg* General Counsel Phone: 264-8228
 Division: Alaska Court System Date: 04/25/88

Approved by: *Stephanie Cole, for* Arthur H. Snowden, II, Administrative Director Date: 04/25/88
 Agency: Alaska Court System

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LEGISLATIVE FINANCE

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ALASKA COURT SYSTEM

Fiscal Impact CS SB 401 (Finance)

	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93
Personal Services:					
2 Superior Court Judge, PFT, Anchorage	300,834	300,834	300,834	300,834	300,834
2 In-Court Clerk, Range 12B, PFT, Anchorage	71,332	71,332	71,332	71,332	71,332
2 Secretary, Range 12B, PFT, Anchorage	71,332	71,332	71,332	71,332	71,332
2 Law Clerk, Range 13A, PFT, Anchorage	73,438	73,438	73,438	73,438	73,438
2 Court Clerk II, Range 10B, PFT, Anchorage	64,254	64,254	64,254	64,254	64,254
2 Pro Tem Superior Court Judge, PFT, Anchorage		81,682	81,682		
2 In-Court Clerk, Range 12B, PFT, Anchorage		71,332	71,332		
2 Court Clerk II, Range 10B, PFT, Anchorage		64,254	64,254		
Subtotal Personal Services	581,190	798,458	798,458	581,190	581,190
Contractual:					
Telephones, postage, copier rental, legal reference materials	20,000	30,000	30,000	20,000	20,000
Supplies:					
Forms, file folders, copier paper, desk supplies, etc.	3,000	5,000	5,000	3,000	3,000
Equipment: (one-time costs)					
Desk, chair, filing cabinets, typewriter, statutes, courtroom recording equipment, etc.	29,500	10,000	0	0	0
Total Costs	633,690	843,458	833,458	604,190	604,190

ALASKA COURT SYSTEM

FISCAL ANALYSIS FOR CS SENATE BILL 401

This bill would provide for trials de novo in superior court of assessments for corporate income taxes (AS 43.20), production taxes (AS 43.55), the former separate accounting income taxes (AS 43.21), and conservation taxes (AS 43.57). Assuming that one-half of the Department of Revenue's present informal and formal hearing caseload for these tax assessments would enter the court system for court-tried trials de novo, the court system would expect to receive approximately 107 cases, the majority of which would be expected in FY's 90 and 91. The caseload would be expected to continue at approximately 25 cases per year thereafter. These estimates are based on statistics provided by the Department of Revenue. See attached correspondence from Department of Revenue.

According to former Attorney General Wilson Condon, major oil and gas cases can be expected to take between four and eight weeks of trial time. Given an estimated five weeks of trial per case, each superior court judge assigned to these cases would be able to hear approximately 7-1/2 cases per year. Thus, four judges could be expected to try an average of 30 of these cases each year. The court system expects to handle this workload with a combination of permanent judicial staff and temporary pro tem judges.

The court system would need two permanent full-time judicial units composed of two superior court judges, two in-court deputies, two secretaries, four court clerks and two law clerks. Also, a complement of two pro tem judges and two in-court deputies would be hired for a two-year period in FY's 90 and 91, during which time the caseload would be monitored to determine whether there would be a continued need for this complement. If the cases are resolved more swiftly than anticipated, the pro tem complement could be reduced or terminated within the two-year period.

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STATE OF ALASKA
1988 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL VERSION: CSSB 392 (Rules)
PUBLISH DATE: 2-29-1988

FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST:

Revision Date: _____ Agency Affected: AIDEA
Title: An Act relating to the AIDEA BRU: Same as above
Sponsor: Halford, Faiks, Kelly, et al. Components: Same as above
Requester: Senate Rules

EXPENDITURES / REVENUES : (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 88	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-

CAPITAL	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
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REVENUE	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
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FUNDING: (Thousands of dollars)

GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
TOTAL	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)

Passage of this legislation will have no fiscal impact upon the Authority's budget.

Prepared by: Bertram L. Wagon, Executive Director Phone: 274-1651
Division: AK Industrial Dev. and Export Authority (AIDEA) Date: February 26, 1988

Approved by Commissioner: J. Anthony Smith *Kathy M. Kelly* Date: 2/25/88
Agency: Department of Commerce and Economic Development

Distribution (by preparer):

- Legislative Finance
- Legislative Sponsor
- Requestor
- Office of Management and Budget
- Impacted Agency(ies)

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SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT

FIRST COMMITTEE OF REFERRAL

Date of 2/18/88 5-DAY NOTICE
IN ACCORDANCE WITH UNIFORM RULE 23

FURTHER:

**FISCAL NOTE(S) ATTACHED **
IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 24.08.035
(see below)

2/3/88
Mr. President:

DATE TURNED INTO OFFICE 2/25/88

Finance Committee considered SB 392

relating to delinquent loans of the Alaska Industrial Development and
Export Authority; efd

and recommended:

- replace with CS _____ same title
- attached amendment(s) and new title
- do pass
- do not pass
- no recommendation
- individual recommendations
- further referral to _____
- letter of intent adopted and attached

** Committee attached or adopted fiscal note(s)
 zero fiscal impact

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

John Duncan
Paul Trick
John B...

Rich Halford do pass
Chairman signature and recommendation

Committee Backup Attached

FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST:

Revision Date: _____
Title: An act relating to delinquent
loans of the Authority
Sponsor: Halford, Faiks, Kelley, et al
Requestor: Unknown

AK Industrial Development
Agency Affected: and Export Authority
BRU: Same as above
Components: Same as above

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 88	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
CAPITAL	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
REVENUE	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND						
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
TOTAL						

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS : (Attach a separate page if necessary)

No cost legislation. Passage of this legislation will have no fiscal impact upon the Authority's budget.

Prepared by: Bertram L. Wagon, Executive Director Phone: 274-1651
Division: AK Industrial Development & Export Authority Date: February 5, 1988
Approved by Commissioner: *William Fox* Date: 2/9/88
Agency: Commerce & Economic Development

Distribution (by preparer):

Legislative Finance
Legislative Sponsor
Requestor
Office of Management and Budget
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BY HALFORD, FAIKS, KELLY,
STURGULEWSKI, HENSLEY, ABOOD,
FISCHER, JONES, JOSEPHSON AND
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1 IN THE SENATE

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SENATE BILL NO. 392

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to delinquent loans of the Alaska
7 Industrial Development and Export Authority; and
8 providing for an effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 44.88.165 is repealed and reenacted to read:

11 Sec. 44.88.165. DELINQUENT LOANS. (a) The authority shall
12 adopt regulations to describe the circumstances under which it will
13 discontinue purchasing loans from a financial institution because of
14 excessive delinquencies among the loans previously purchased from the
15 financial institution. In adopting the regulations, the authority
16 shall take into consideration its delinquency experience with loans it
17 has purchased from all financial institutions.

18 (b) The authority may include in the regulations other remedies
19 it considers appropriate as alternatives to the discontinuance of
20 purchasing loans from the financial institution.

21 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).

MEMORANDUM

TO: Bert Wagnon
FROM: Greta L. Anderson *Gretz*
DATE: February 19, 1988
SUBJECT: Legislative Impact on Servicing Banks

According to the information given to me by Sue and Ruby, as of January 31, 1988, there are sixteen banks (in-state) which have servicing agreements with the Authority. These banks are:

1. Alaska Commercial and Agricultural Bank
2. Denali State Bank
3. First Bank of Ketchikan
4. Alaska USA
5. National Bank of Alaska
6. Alaska Federal Savings and Loan
7. Alliance Bank
8. KeyBank of Alaska
9. Alaska Statebank
10. First Federal Bank of Alaska
11. B.M. Behrends Bank
12. First National Bank of Anchorage
13. Home Savings Bank
14. Rainier Bank, Alaska
15. Alaska Continental
16. Mt. McKinley Mutual Savings Bank

As of January 31, 1988, there are three servicers eligible to do business with the Authority. These include:

1. Alaska Commercial and Agricultural Bank
2. Denali State Bank (has eligibility resolution that is active)
3. First Bank of Ketchikan



Senator Rick Halford

Senate District 1
Chugiak, Eagle River, East Anchorage, Fort Richardson

Senate Finance Committee
Co-Chairman

February 22, 1988

MEMORANDUM

TO: Senator Finance Committee Members

FROM: Senator Rick Halford, Co-Chairman
Senate Finance Committee

SUBJECT: SB 392 - Repealing AIDEA's 2% Delinquency Rule

Senate Bill 392 repeals the law that prohibits the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority from purchasing loans from a financial institution when more than two percent of the total outstanding balance of the loans which the Authority has purchased from the institution are delinquent for 90 days or more.

The bill replaces that requirement with a section that instructs the authority to adopt regulations describing the circumstances under which it will discontinue purchasing loans from a financial institution because of excessive delinquencies.

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STATE GOVERNMENT

§ 44.88.165

Sec. 44.88.160. Findings of the authority. Before entering into a lease or other agreement as provided in AS 44.88.090(e) regarding a project for which bonds are agreed to be issued by the authority in an amount in excess of \$6,000,000, or before approving insurance or a commitment to insure a loan as provided in AS 44.88.157(b) with a principal amount in excess of \$6,000,000, there must have been filed with the authority a certified copy of a resolution of the governing body of the political subdivision of the state, if any, in which the project is to be located, consenting to the location (which consent need only refer to the general nature of the project ultimately to be acquired as set out in a request of the proposed project applicant). Before entering into a lease or other agreement as provided in AS 44.88.090(e) regarding a project, the authority must find, on the basis of all information reasonably available to it, that

- (1) the project and its development under this chapter will be economically advantageous to the state and the general public welfare and will contribute to the economic growth of the state;
- (2) the project applicant is financially responsible;
- (3) provision to meet increased demand upon public facilities that might result from the project is reasonably assured;
- (4) the project will provide or retain employment reasonably related to the amount of the financing by the authority considering the amount of investment per employee for comparable facilities and other relevant factors; and
- (5) the scope of the project is sufficient to provide a reasonable expectation of a benefit to the economy of the state. (§ 1 ch 64 SLA 1967; am § 66 ch 106 SLA 1980)

Revisor's notes. — Formerly AS 44.61.160. Renumbered in 1980.
Effect of amendments. — The 1980 amendment divided the former section into two sentences by deleting "and"; in the present first sentence, inserted "as provided in AS 44.88.090(e)" near the beginning, substituted the language beginning "for which bonds are agreed to be issued" and ending "principal amount in excess of \$6,000,000" for "as mentioned

in AS 44.88.090(e)" near the middle, and substituted "applicant" for "occupant" at the end; and in the second sentence, added "Before entering into a lease or other agreement as provided in AS 44.88.090(e) regarding a project" to the beginning, substituted "applicant" for "occupant" in paragraph (2), deleted "and" from the end of paragraph (2), and added paragraphs (4) and (5).

Sec. 44.88.165. Delinquent loans. If more than two percent of the total outstanding balance of loans purchased from a financial institution under this chapter becomes delinquent for 90 days or more, the authority shall discontinue purchasing loans from that financial institution for which it has not already made a purchase commitment and may not make new commitments to purchase loans from that financial institution until the delinquency is reduced to less than two percent. (§ 42 ch 115 SLA 1981; am § 55 ch 113 SLA 1982)

Effect of amendments. The 1992 amendment inserted "for which it has not already made a purchase commitment and may not make new commitments to purchase loans from that financial institution."

Sec. 44.88.170. Purchase of project and leases. (a) Nothing in this chapter prevents the inclusion in a lease or other agreement relating to a project of a provision granting the right to purchase the project, or to renew or extend the lease or agreement, upon the terms and conditions which may be provided for in the lease or agreement.

(b) A lease with respect to a project may provide for two or more lessees with the legal relationship between themselves and the authority which the authority may approve, including without limitation, provisions to the effect that the obligations of the lessees under the lease for payment of rental or otherwise between themselves and the authority are several, joint, or joint and several and that the lessees lease the project as tenants-in-common, or otherwise. (§ 1 ch 64 SLA 1967)

Revisor's notes. -- Formerly AS 44.61.170. Renumbered in 1980.

Sec. 44.88.172. Economic development fund. (a) The economic development fund is established in the authority. The fund consists of money or assets appropriated, loaned, or transferred to the authority, and other money or assets deposited in the fund by the authority. The fund may only be used to finance, acquire, manage, and operate projects that the authority intends to own and operate. The term "operate" includes operation directly by the authority, or by an agent of the authority.

(b) If a project is financed or developed through use of the assets of the economic development fund, the authority may not pledge or use other assets of the authority to assist in the financing, development, or operation of the project. However, whether or not the authority uses the economic development fund, it may issue bonds to finance a project and may secure the bonds with a mortgage, pledge, or assignment of the project or of revenues, money, or agreements attributable to the project or the bonds as provided in Sec. 10 of this Act. (§ 8 ch 162 SLA 1984)

Cross references. -- For requirement of legislative approval prior to the issuance of bonds to finance projects under this section, and for expression of legislative intent, see §§ 10 and 11, ch. 162, SLA 1984 in the Temporary and Special Acts.

Sec. 44.88.173. Finance plan. (a) Before approving a project financed under AS 44.88.172, the authority shall prepare a finance plan. The finance plan must include an estimate of the total cost of the project, and a description of the sources of money that will be used to

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ECONOMIC RECOVERY TASK FORCE

The task force recommendations are based upon a general consensus that Anchorage is suffering from an economic recession and, while the economic decline may be slowing, there is no immediate turnaround in sight. In fact, the recession may result in the loss of another 10,000 to 15,000 people from Anchorage during 1988, further disrupting many of the basic sectors of the local economy.

The task force concluded that the economic recession is not limited to a specific interest group. For example, it isn't only the banks that are suffering from the economic decline. Virtually every homeowner in the Municipality of Anchorage has lost at least 30 percent of the value of their residential property and further declines can be anticipated. In fact, most homeowners in the Municipality of Anchorage are now probably "under water" with respect to their mortgage, i.e., the mortgage balance exceeds the fair market value of the residential property.

The recommendations of the task force are not intended to be a subsidy. Rather, for the most part they are a restructuring of existing programs, recognizing the changed economic circumstances. They reflect a use of State money for the citizens of the state. And, in general, they result in a benefit throughout the state, not just in any one area of the state.

The recommendations of the task force are meant to be specific, action oriented programs that can be implemented with a minimum of delay. They are not intended to be an all inclusive answer to the economic woes of the state of Alaska but rather are intended to be specific steps that can reverse the economic decline.

AHFC

The Homeowners' Assistance Program (HOAP) proposed by AHFC is a significant and positive first step. We compliment AHFC for its willingness to identify a problem and work out a solution. However, we do not believe the HOAP program will provide significant enough relief to alleviate the problem. We believe AHFC should adopt an additional program which includes the following components:

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- * Reduces rates for all AHFC home mortgages. The reduction should result in a rate reduction to all home owners of 2%, and should come out of AHFC's \$1.5 billion in equity.

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- * The reduction of interest rates should not be added back to the homeowner's loan at the end of the program.
- * The reduction should be for a period of 12 to 24 months.

We believe the proposed program will provide relief to the homeowners so that they can maintain or begin to accrue some equity in their property. We believe that the interest rate relief will free funds to be spent for general stimulation of the economy. And, finally, reducing interest rates for all homeowners is not arbitrary and does not single out any one individual.

Real Estate Market

The real estate market in Anchorage, both commercial and residential, is characterized by a significant imbalance of supply and demand. The excessive supply cannot be reasonably absorbed in the near or mid-term (say next five years) and will have the ongoing effect of depressing real estate prices. The impact is not limited to real estate speculators but is pervasive to most citizens in that most have major investments in real estate. So as personal and business income decline, the ability to continue to function is jeopardized by the debt service with the resulting effect in foreclosures, bankruptcies, etc.

We believe the imbalance in supply and demand can be partially adjusted by reducing the supply of real estate. Specifically, we would recommend the following:

- * For residential property:
 - ** Remove sub-standard, low income housing from the market and destroy the properties. Convert other property to low income housing so there is no additional cost to the low income person.
 - ** Ship mobile homes that have been vacated out of the state.
 - ** Convert existing condo or similar units to University of Alaska student housing.
- * For commercial property:
 - ** Create a vehicle to take commercial property out of the market. Perhaps establishing an entity similar

to an REIT which would acquire FDIC-owned property and other obsolete property at a nominal price simply for the purpose of holding the property off the market.

- ** Consider use of the Permanent Fund as a "Vulture Fund" to finance the property acquisition in conjunction with Heritage Land Bank.

AIDEA

AIDEA should be instructed to adopt restructuring policies that provide a cushion to commercial borrowers. For example, these procedures should include interest rate reductions when loss of jobs would occur if the loan defaulted. AIDEA should be allowed to take an equity participation in consideration for restructuring the terms and conditions which result in the survival of a business.

AIDEA should modify its requirements so that banks can participate even if their loan delinquency rate exceeds two percent.

AIDEA should expand its lending activities to provide for a new guaranteed loan program modelled after the federal SBA program. The essentials of the program should include:

- * Bank administered with AIDEA guarantee.
- * Loans would be available to finance existing AIDEA debt; other debts could not be refinanced.
- * \$1,000,000 limit on loan.
- * Funds could be used for new construction if the project had an economic benefit analysis.

The revisions to the AIDEA programs should result in the survival of the viable small businesses, thereby maintaining statewide employment and minimizing the effects of the current recession.

Employment Incentives Fund

The State should identify a portion (say \$50 million) of the construction fund budget to be used as a venture capital fund. The fund should be used somewhat along the following guidelines:

- * An applicant could apply for capital funds up to

\$10 million. Matching funds would be available on a dollar-for-dollar basis. In other words, an applicant could receive \$1 of State funds to the extent the applicant put in \$1 of private sector funds.

- * The private sector project would need to create new jobs for the state of Alaska to qualify. These new jobs would need to be permanent positions as a result of the project and not as a result of any capital construction.
- * The criteria for qualifying may be that for each \$1 million of State participation, five new positions must be created.
- * The criteria might also include that the project results in new dollars coming into the state of Alaska and the economy. In other words, it will result in exporting local products or services.

The State and local municipalities have no specific program incentives to entice business. While this would be a onetime subsidy program, it would create new jobs throughout the state and provide a sustaining boost to the economy.

Public Forum

Town hall meetings should be held wherein local businesses are provided the opportunity to describe their economic and financial condition to state leaders (Governor, Commissioners, Legislators, AHFC, AIDEA, etc.).



Anchorage • *Star of the North*
Chamber of Commerce

January 8, 1988

Chamber Economic Recovery Task Force

Jan Sieberts	NBA	265-2991
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Don Wold	Municipality	272-4101
Larry Crawford	Municipality	272-4101
Bob Hickel	Hickel Investment	276-7400
Dick Rapp	Coldwell-Banker/ Area Inc.	561-1225
Jim Picaard	Alaska USA FCU	786-2736
Jerry Nerland	Nerland Furn	349-1572
Frank McQuary	Diamond H Ranch/ Continental Bank	346-1050
Jack Vandenberg	Jack White Co.	563-5500
Chris Stephens	Jack White Co.	563-5500
Bob Mintz	Gottstein Prop	564-2424
Doug Stark	Alaska Engineer	561-2332
Joe Heintz	Peat, Marwick, Main	276-7401
Wayne Beckwith	Anchorage Chamber	272-2401
Mike Freeman	MIDAS	562-1221

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SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT

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DATE TURNED INTO OFFICE _____

3/30/88
Mr. President:

_____ FINANCE _____ Committee considered _____ SB 393 _____

corrective management of threatened stocks of fish and game

and recommended

[] replace with _____ CS _____) [] same title
[] or adopt _____ CS _____) [] new title

[] attached amendment(s) and

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[] individual recommendations

[] further referral to _____

[] letter of intent adopted _____

Committee [] attached or [] adopted fiscal note(s)

[] new [] updated or [] previous

[] zero [] fiscal impact

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Chairman signature and recommendation

[] Committee Backup attached

SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT

FIRST COMMITTEE OF REFERRAL

Date of 2-2 5-DAY NOTICE
IN ACCORDANCE WITH UNIFORM RULE 23

FURTHER: FINANCE

**FISCAL NOTE(S) ATTACHED _____ **
IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 24.08.035
(see below)

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Mr. President:

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letter of intent adopted and attached

** Committee attached or adopted fiscal note(s)
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OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

1 J. Dunca
1 Paul Greck

2 J. Tamm No Rec

J. B. [Signature] Do Pass
Chairman signature and recommendation

Committee Backup Attached



STATE OF ALASKA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

BILL ANALYSIS

DEPARTMENT Fish and Game	DIVISION Game	BILL NUMBER CSSB 393 (Res)	SPONSOR Senator Coghill
SHORT TITLE OF BILL An Act relating to Corrective Management of Threatened Stocks of Game			
DEPARTMENT POSITION Opposed			
PREPARED BY Donald E. McKnight	DATE 3/18/88	COMMISSIONER'S SIGNATURE <i>Donnell H. Ellsworth</i>	DATE 3-22-88

SUMMARY

OTHER AGENCIES AFFECTED BY BILL Board of Game	CONSTITUENT GROUP(S) AFFECTED BY BILL All users of wildlife
ORGANIZATIONAL SUPPORT FOR BILL	ORGANIZATIONAL OPPOSITION TO BILL

FISCAL IMPACT: NONE FISCAL NOTE ATTACHED

BACKGROUND/LEGISLATIVE INTENT

This bill appears to be an attempt to insure that when a game population declines to levels at which human utilization must be severely restricted or curtailed, the Board of Game must develop (be provided with) an action plan designed to increase that population to levels which will support optimal human utilization. In addition, the Board must at least draft regulations necessary to implement that plan. This Corrective Stock Management Plan (CSMP) then must be provided to local advisory committees.

ANALYSIS OF BILL/PROGRAM EFFECTS

Under this bill, the Board of Game would, after receiving information from the department that a game population will not or may not sustain continued human utilization, develop a "corrective stock management plan" (CSMP) designed to restore that population to levels which would support human use, presumably harvest. Because the Board of Game has no staff to write CSMPs, this task would, by necessity, be absorbed by Game Division. Very likely the Area Biologist for the Unit in which the "threatened" stock occurs would be the one writing the CSMP for that threatened stock; this redirection of staff time would necessitate the hiring of additional biologists or technicians to provide assistance to an area biologist involved in writing a CSMP. Because the Game Division has a dynamic and responsive management planning system already in place, development of CSMPs constitutes a redundancy of effort which is both unnecessary and economically unsound.

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED

Use of the term "threatened" (Page 1, lines 6, 13, 19, 21, 23 and 27; page 2, lines 3 and 21) will be very confusing to agencies and the public. This term is normally applied in Federal law, news media, etc., to species which are in danger of becoming endangered (a species whose very existence is threatened). Use of the term "threatened" to mean human use of a population is in jeopardy, will be confusing to the public and the courts.

PLEASE ATTACH A SEPARATE SHEET FOR ADDITIONAL COMMENTS OR ANALYSIS.



**STATE OF ALASKA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
BILL ANALYSIS**

DEPARTMENT <i>Fish and Game</i>	DIVISION <i>Game</i>	BILL NUMBER <i>CSSB 393(Res)</i>	SPONSOR <i>Senator Coghill</i>
SHORT TITLE OF BILL <i>Corrective Management of Threatened Game Stock</i>			
DEPARTMENT POSITION <i>Opposed</i>			
PREPARED BY <i>Don McKnight</i>	DATE <i>3-18-88</i>	COMMISSIONER'S SIGNATURE <i>Sam W. Gilby</i>	DATE <i>3/18/88</i>

SUMMARY

OTHER AGENCIES AFFECTED BY BILL <i>Board of Game</i>	CONSTITUENT GROUP(S) AFFECTED BY BILL <i>All users of wildlife</i>
ORGANIZATIONAL SUPPORT FOR BILL	ORGANIZATIONAL OPPOSITION TO BILL

FISCAL IMPACT: NONE FISCAL NOTE ATTACHED

BACKGROUND/LEGISLATIVE INTENT

This bill appears to be an attempt to insure that when a game population declines to levels at which human utilization must be severely restricted or curtailed, the Board of Game must develop (be provided with) an action plan designed to increase that population to levels which will support optional human utilization. In addition, the Board must at least draft regulations necessary to implement that plan. This Corrective Stock Management Plan (CSMP) then must be provided to local advisory committees.

ANALYSIS OF BILL/PROGRAM EFFECTS

Under this bill, the Board of Game would, after receiving information from the department that a game population will not or may not sustain continued human utilization, develop a "corrective stock management plan (CSMP) designed to restore that population to levels which would support human use, presumably harvest. Because the Board of Game has no staff to write CSMPs this task would, by necessity, be absorbed by Game Division. Very likely the Area Biologist for the Unit in which the "threatened" stock occurs would be the one writing the CSMP for that threatened stock; this redirection of staff time would necessitate the hiring of an additional 3 biologists or technicians to provide assistance to an area biologist involved in writing a CSMP. Because the Game Division has a dynamic and responsive management planning system already in place, development of CSMPs constitutes a redundancy of effort which is both unnecessary and economically unsound.

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED

Use of the term "threatened" (Page 1 line 6, line 13, line 19, line 21, line 23, line 27, Page 2 line 3, line 21) will be very confusing to agencies and the public. This term is normally applied in Federal law, news media, etc. to species which are in danger of becoming endangered (a species whose very existence is threatened). Use of the term threatened to mean human use of a population is in jeopardy will be confusing to the public and to the Courts.

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Offered: 3/30/88
Referred: Finance

5-1766B

Original sponsor: Coghill

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 393 (Resources)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to corrective management of threat-
7 ened stocks of game."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 16.05 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 16.05.265. MANAGEMENT OF THREATENED STOCKS OF GAME. (a)

11 The Board of Game shall adopt a corrective stock management plan at
12 its next regularly scheduled meeting after the board receives scien-
13 tific data compiled by the department that a stock is threatened. The
14 board shall provide to the advisory committees in the game management
15 unit where the stock is located a copy of the adopted corrective stock
16 management plan and the biological rationale for the plan.

17 (b) The Board of Game

18 (1) shall include in the corrective stock management plan
19 regulations for intensive management of the threatened stock and for
20 effective and expeditious corrective management of prey and natural
21 predator species of the threatened stock; and

22 (2) may include in the corrective stock management plan
23 guidelines or regulations for human utilization of the threatened
24 stock, for research on the population status and the ecology of the
25 threatened stock, for restoration of habitat, for public education
26 programs, for law enforcement programs, for designation of reserves,
27 ranges, and preserves, and for artificial rearing of the threatened
28 stock.

29 (c) The Board of Game shall review annually each corrective
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1 stock management plan and shall

2 (1) receive scientific data compiled by the department on
3 the status of the threatened stock;

4 (2) evaluate the success of the corrective stock management
5 plan;

6 (3) continue, amend, or rescind the corrective stock man-
7 agement plan; and

8 (4) adopt regulations in accordance with the Administrative
9 Procedure Act (AS 44.62) necessary to achieve the corrective goals of
10 the corrective stock management plan.

11 (d) The commissioner shall implement corrective stock management
12 plans subject to priorities among plans and to the availability of
13 resources to the department.

14 (e) In this section

15 (1) "corrective stock management plan" means a document
16 that compiles information for the purpose of restoring a stock to
17 sustained-yield population levels, as determined by the department,
18 and the regulations adopted to implement the plan;

19 (2) "stock" means a population of a game species identi-
20 fied with a specific geographic area;

21 (3) "threatened" means the prospect for the continued human
22 utilization of the stock is jeopardized due to either

23 (A) reduction of the stock below sustained-yield
24 levels by disease, pollution, predation, or overutilization;

25 (B) overabundance of a game species leading to the
26 imminent

27 (i) depletion of the stock; or

28 (ii) destruction of habitat of the stock;

29 (C) destruction, modification, or reduction of

1 habitat; or

2 (D) other natural or man-made factors seriously af-
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1 IN THE SENATE

BY COGHILL

2 SENATE BILL NO. 393

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to corrective management of threat-
7 ened stocks of fish and game."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 16.05 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 16.05.265. MANAGEMENT OF THREATENED STOCKS OF FISH AND
11 GAME. (a) A board shall adopt an interim corrective stock management
12 plan by emergency regulation under AS 44.62.250 and 44.62.260 when the
13 board receives scientific data compiled by the department that a stock
14 is threatened and a majority of the advisory committees in or adjacent
15 to the game management unit or fishing district where the stock is
16 located petitions the board to adopt an interim corrective stock
17 management plan.

18 (b) An interim corrective stock management plan expires after
19 120 days or when the board adopts a corrective stock management plan,
20 whichever occurs first.

21 (c) Within 120 days after adopting an interim corrective stock
22 management plan the board shall adopt a corrective stock management
23 plan in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act (AS 44.62).

24 (d) The board

25 (1) shall include in the corrective stock management plan
26 regulations for intensive management of the threatened stock and for
27 effective and expeditious corrective management of prey and natural
28 predator species of the threatened stock; and

29 (2) may include in the corrective stock management plan
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2 stock, for research on the population status and the ecology of the
3 threatened stock, for restoration of habitat, for public education
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6 stock.

7 (e) The board shall review annually each corrective stock man-
8 agement plan and shall

9 (1) receive scientific data compiled by the department on
10 the status of the threatened stock;

11 (2) evaluate the success of the corrective stock management
12 plan;

13 (3) continue, amend, or rescind the corrective stock man-
14 agement plan; and

15 (4) adopt, amend, or repeal regulations in accordance with
16 the Administrative Procedure Act (AS 44.62) necessary to achieve the
17 corrective goals of the corrective stock management plan.

18 (f) The commissioner shall implement interim corrective stock
19 management plans and corrective stock management plans subject to
20 priorities among plans and to the availability of resources to the
21 department.

22 (g) In this section

23 (1) "corrective stock management plan" means a document
24 that compiles information for the purpose of restoring a stock to
25 sustained-yield population levels, as determined by the department,
26 and the regulations adopted to implement the plan;

27 (2) "interim corrective stock management plan" means a
28 corrective stock management plan that provides for management and
29 conservation of a threatened stock while a board prepares and adopts a

1 corrective stock management plan;

2 (3) "stock" means a population of a fish or game species
3 identified with a specific geographic area;

4 (4) "threatened" means the prospect for the continued human
5 utilization of the stock is jeopardized due to either

6 (A) reduction of the stock below sustained-yield
7 levels by disease, pollution, predation, or overutilization;

8 (B) overabundance of a fish or game species leading to
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10 (i) depletion of the stock; or

11 (ii) destruction of habitat of the stock;

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FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST:

Revision Date: 2/3/88 Agency Affected: Fish and Game
 Title: An Act relating to corrective management of threatened stocks... BRU: Game
 Sponsor: Coghill Components: _____
 Requestor: Senate Resources

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 88	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93
PERSONAL SERVICES		59.4	61.8	63.3	65.8	68.4
TRAVEL		8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
CONTRACTUAL		10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
SUPPLIES		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	0	78.4	80.8	82.3	84.8	87.4
CAPITAL						
REVENUE						

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	0	78.4	80.8	82.3	84.8	87.4
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
TOTAL						

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME	0	3	3	3	3	3
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS : (Attach a separate page if necessary)

See attached page.

Prepared by: Donald E. McKnight Phone: 465-4190
 Division: Game Date: 3/22/88
 Approved by Commissioner: *Donna C. Jensen* Date: 3-22-88
 Agency: Fish and Game

Distribution (by preparer):

- Legislative Finance
- Legislative Sponsor
- Requestor
- Office of Management and Budget
- Impacted Agency(ies)

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Fiscal Note for CSSB 393 (Res)
Management of Threatened Stocks of Game

The emergency nature of the actions necessitated by passage of this bill makes it impossible to accurately predict the level of funding needed to complete work on the CSMPs. At a minimum, however, it appears that we will have to hire an additional 9 months of P/S Game Biologist II support for the Interior and 3 months of P/S Game Biologist II support for Southcentral in FY 89. The above budget includes monies for these salaries and benefits plus money to support necessary travel, per diem, supplies and contractual services for these employees. It is important to recognize additionally that the development of CSMPs will place an additional workload on area biologists, regional management coordinators and supervisors and the Game Director. If development of CSMPs incurs additional costs to those above, the department will report to the Legislature with additional fiscal information based on actual impacts of this legislation.

ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

.15th. .Legislature .2nd. .Session

SENATE.....BILL..... NO. 393.

ByCOGHILL.....

"An Act relating to corrective management of threatened stocks of fish and game."

Introduced in the Senate2/3....., 19 .32..

HISTORY IN THE SENATE

19	88	Read first time and referred to Committee on
2	16	<i>Finance / - lerral added</i>
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		Signed by President
		Sent to House

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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19		Read first time and referred to Committee on
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		Signed by Speaker
		Returned to Senate

CHIEF CLERK OF THE HOUSE

HISTORY IN THE SENATE

19		Received from House
		To enrolling
		Reported correctly enrolled
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	 by Governor
		Chapter No.
		Filed with Lt. Governor

STATE OF ALASKA
1988 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL VERSION: SB 393
PUBLISH DATE: _____

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FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST:

Revision Date: _____ Agency Affected: ADF&G
Title: An Act relating to corrective
management of threatened stocks of fish & game
Sponsor: Coghill BRT: Division of Boards
Requestor: Senate Resources Committee Components: _____

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 88	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93
PERSONAL SERVICES		147.9	152.7	167.8	167.9	168.0
TRAVEL		25.1	27.0	29.0	31.0	33.0
CONTRACTUAL		13.5	14.0	15.0	16.0	17.0
SUPPLIES		2.5	6.0	6.5	7.0	7.5
EQUIPMENT		4.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING		193.5	201.2	209.8	218.4	227.0
CAPITAL						
REVENUE						

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND		193.5	201.2	209.8	218.4	227.0
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
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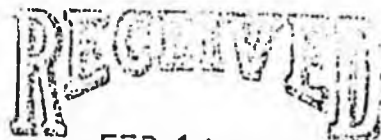
FULL-TIME		3	3	3	3	3
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ANALYSIS : (Attach a separate page if necessary)

See attached narrative

Prepared by: Beth Stewart Phone: 465-4110
Division: Division of Boards Date: 2-8-88
Approved by Commissioner: *Norman All* Date: 465-4100
Agency: Alaska Department of Fish and Game

Distribution (by preparer):
Legislative Finance
Legislative Sponsor
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Office of Management and Budget
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STATE OF ALASKA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
BILL ANALYSIS

DEPARTMENT Fish and Game	DIVISION Boards	BILL NUMBER SB 393	SPONSOR Coghill
SHORT TITLE OF BILL An Act relating to corrective management of threatened stocks of fish and game			
DEPARTMENT POSITION Neutral			
PREPARED BY Beth Stewart	DATE 2/8/88	COMMISSIONER'S SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i>	DATE 2/8/88

SUMMARY

OTHER AGENCIES AFFECTED BY BILL Boards of Fish and Game	CONSTITUENT GROUP(S) AFFECTED BY BILL Hunters and fishermen
ORGANIZATIONAL SUPPORT FOR BILL Unknown	ORGANIZATIONAL OPPOSITION TO BILL Unknown
FISCAL IMPACT: <input type="checkbox"/> NONE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FISCAL NOTE ATTACHED	

BACKGROUND/LEGISLATIVE INTENT
Introduced by Coghill

ANALYSIS OF BILL/PROGRAM EFFECTS

The Boards of Fisheries and Game normally meet twice yearly. This bill would require special emergency board meetings in addition to the regular board meetings. The proposed requirement that the board develop emergency interim corrective stock management plans (CSMP) when petitioned by advisory committees will require additional board meetings. Staff support as well as travel, per diem and other costs associated with board meetings will be required to implement this program.

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED

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LEGISLATIVE FINANCE

PLEASE ATTACH A SEPARATE SHEET FOR ADDITIONAL COMMENTS OR ANALYSIS.

Department of Fish and Game
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FISCAL IMPACT

This bill would require that the board develop emergency interim corrective stock management plans (CSMP) when petitioned by an advisory committee. This means there will be additional board meetings.

Based on the number of petitions the boards have received in the past two years, we expect at least one additional meeting for each board per year. Preparation of CSMP in addition to the department's normal work load will require additional staff and funding. A commercial fisheries biologist, a sport fisheries biologist, and a game biologist will be hired to prepare the CSMP's in advance of the board meetings and to prepare the annual reports for on-going CSMP's.

The emergency nature of these actions provides no way of predicting in advance the level of funding needed to complete the work generated by the CSMP's. The department will report to the legislature with additional fiscal information based on actual impact as it occurs.

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LEGISLATIVE FINANCE

Table 1. Estimated costs for emergency five-day meeting of Board of Fish and Board of Game.

Line Item	Explanation	Cost (1000)
300	Room Rental, 10 days @ \$400/day	4.0
300	Printing and mailing costs (Proposals and legal notices)	5.0
300	Advertisements	1.0
300/ 400	Incidental expenses (Telephone, xerox, supplies)	3.5
200	Travel	
	5 board members @ \$300 (avg. ticket)	1.5
	20 advisory committee members @ \$100	2.0
	2 board staff, 1 Department of Law staff, 4 Game Division staff @ \$350	2.5
	1 Commissioner's office staff @ \$350	.3
200	Per Diem	
	7 board members @ \$150/day x 10 days	10.5
	20 advisory committee members @ \$80/ day x 1 day	1.6
	7 staff members @ \$80/day x 10 days	5.6
	1 Commissioner's office staff @ \$80/ day x 6 days	.5
	TOTAL	38.0

Position Title Fish and Game Biologist III (3 positions)			No. of Positions 3	Range/Step 1 BA	Org. Unit GGU	Gov.	Approv.	Disapp.	
Time Status PFT	Staff Months 12 (x 3)	RP Number	Location Juneau	Election District		Leg.			
Type of Expenditure			Justification						
			Staff necessary to implement HB 536. See bill analysis and fiscal note.						
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Salary	111.9								
Benefits	36.0								
Premium Pay									
Other									
Total Personal Services		147.9							
Travel									
Contractual									
Commodities									
Equipment	1.5 x 3	4.5							
Other									
Total Cost		152.4							
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Request For New Position

Agency Fish and Game

BRU Boards

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SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT

FURTHER

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Mr. President:

Finance Committee considered SB 394

appointments to the boards of fisheries and game

and recommended

[] replace with _____ CS _____) [] same title
[] or adopt _____ CS _____) [] new title

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[] no recommendation

[] individual recommendations

[] further referral to _____

[] letter of intent adopted _____

Committee [] attached or [] adopted fiscal note(s)

[] new [] updated or [] previous

[] zero [] fiscal impact

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

[] Committee Backup attached Chairman signature and recommendation

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE RULES COMMITTEE

Date _____

2/16/88

Mr. President:

The Committee on Rules considered SB 394

relating to appointments to the boards of fisheries and game

and recommended it be placed on the _____ Calendar

with attached amendment(s).

replace with CS for _____ same title
 new title

and attached a Letter of Intent

new fiscal note

MEMBERS SIGNING FOR PLACEMENT
ON THE CALENDAR

MEMBERS HAVING OTHER
RECOMMENDATIONS

CHAIRMAN

SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT

FIRST COMMITTEE OF REFERRAL

Date of 2-5 5-DAY NOTICE
IN ACCORDANCE WITH UNIFORM RULE 23

FURTHER: Rules

**FISCAL NOTE(S) ATTACHED **
IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 24.08.035
(see below)

2/3/88 DATE TURNED INTO OFFICE _____
Mr. President: _____
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relating to appointments to the boards of fisheries and game

and report it back as follows
~~and recommended.~~

- replace with CS _____ same title
 - attached amendment(s) and new title
 - do pass
 - do not pass
 - no recommendation
 - ~~individual recommendations~~
 - further referral to _____
 - letter of intent adopted and attached
- ** Committee attached or adopted fiscal note(s)
 zero fiscal impact

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MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

1 [Signature]

2 Justin Angulochi Do Not Pass

3 Paul Frank No Pass

1 [Signature]
Chairman signature and recommendation

Committee Backup Attached

1 IN THE SENATE

BY COGHILL AND FANNING

2 SENATE BILL NO. 394

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to appointments to the boards of
7 fisheries and game."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 16.05.221 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 16.05.221. BOARDS OF FISHERIES AND GAME. (a) For purposes
11 of the conservation and development of the fishery resources of the
12 state, there is created the Board of Fisheries composed of seven
13 members appointed by the governor, subject to confirmation by a major-
14 ity of the members of the legislature in joint session. At least 30
15 days before making an appointment to the Board of Fisheries, the
16 governor shall publish the name of the proposed appointee in news-
17 papers in all sections of the state and shall accept public comment on
18 the fitness of the proposed appointee to sit on the Board of Fisher-
19 ies. The appointed members shall be residents of the state who are
20 knowledgeable about the allocation and use of fisheries resources.
21 Members [AND] shall be appointed without regard to political affil-
22 iation. At least one member shall be appointed from each of the six
23 fish and game resource management regions created by the board [OR
24 GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION OF RESIDENCE]. The commissioner is not a member
25 of the Board of Fisheries, but shall be ex officio secretary.

26 (b) For purposes of the conservation and development of the game
27 resources of the state, there is created a Board of Game composed of
28 seven members appointed by the governor, subject to confirmation by a
29 majority of the members of the legislature in joint session. At least
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1 30 days before making an appointment to the Board of Game, the gover-
2 nor shall publish the name of the proposed appointee in newspapers in
3 all sections of the state and shall accept public comment on the
4 fitness of the proposed appointee to sit on the Board of Game. The
5 appointed members shall be residents of the state who are knowledge-
6 able about the allocation and use of game resources. Members [, AND]
7 shall be appointed without regard to political affiliation. At least
8 one member shall be appointed from each of the six fish and game
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10 LOCATION OF RESIDENCE]. The commissioner is not a member of the Board
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FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST:

Revision Date: _____ Agency Affected: Office of the Governor
 Title: An Act relating to appointments to the boards of fisheries and game BRU: Executive Operations
 Sponsor: Coghill/Fanning Components: Executive Office
 Requestor: Coghill/Fanning

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 88	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93
PERSONAL SERVICES	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6

CAPITAL						
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REVENUE						
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FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
TOTAL	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6

POSITIONS:

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PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS : (Attach a separate page if necessary)

See attachment.

Prepared by: Michael A. Nizich, Director Phone: 465-3616
 Division: Division of Administrative Services Date: 2/9/88
 Approved by Commissioner: [Signature] Date: 2/9/88
 Agency: Office of the Governor

Distribution (by preparer):

- Legislative Finance
- ✓ Legislative Sponsor
- Requestor
- Office of Management and Budget
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CONTINUATION of FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

For Bill/Resolution No. SB394 .

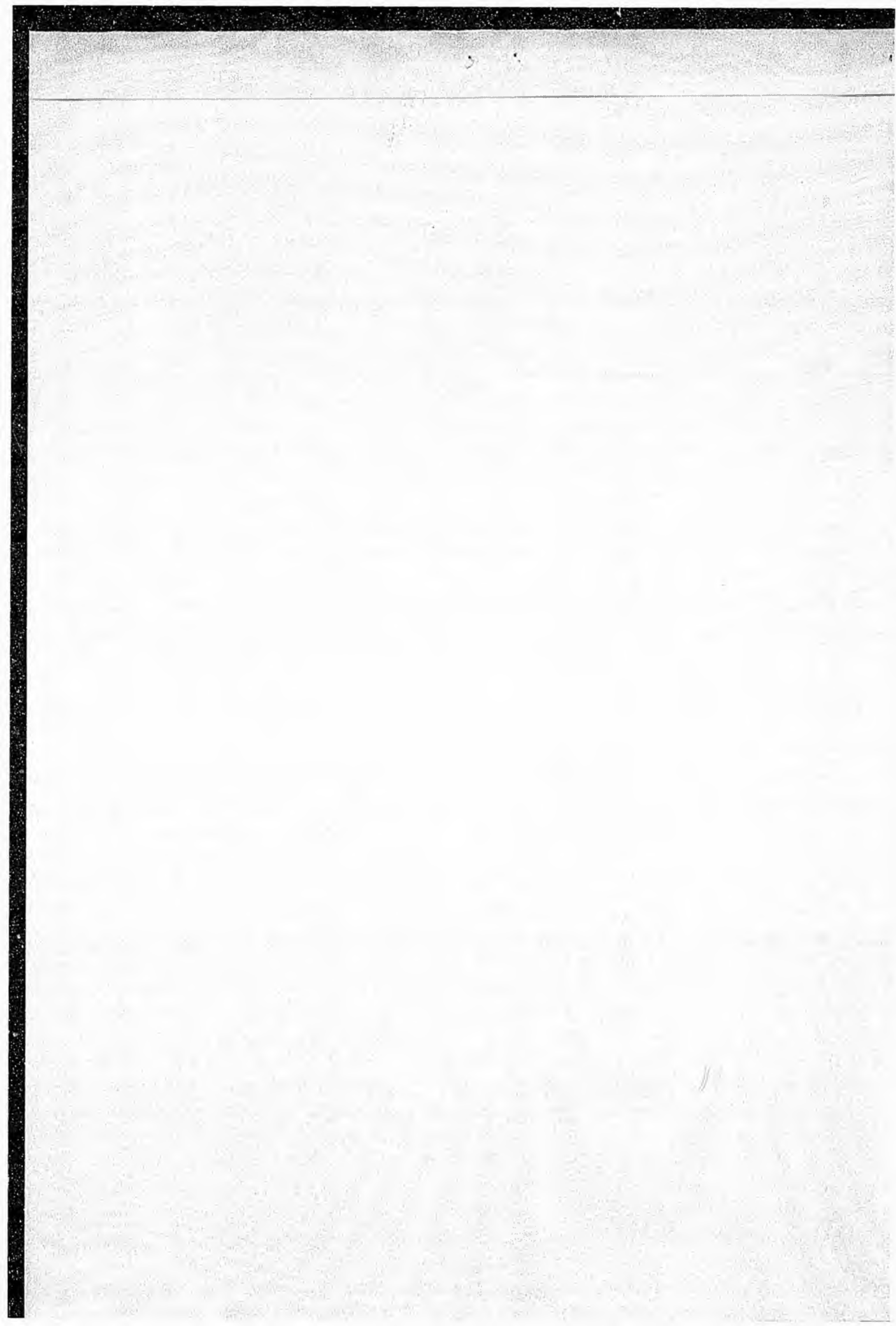
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By COGHILL, FANNING

"An Act relating to appointments to the boards of fisheries and game."

Introduced in the Senate 2/3, 19 88

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FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST:

Revision Date: _____ Agency Affected: Office of the Governor
Title: An Act relating to appointments SBRU: Executive Operations
to the boards of fisheries and game
Sponsor: Coghill/Fanning Components: Executive Office
Requestor: Coghill/Fanning

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 88	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93
PERSONAL SERVICES	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6

CAPITAL						
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REVENUE						
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FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
TOTAL	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS : (Attach a separate page if necessary)

See attachment.

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