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PUBLIC OPINION MESSAGE

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BILL NO: HB 566
SUBJECT: EXXON VALDEZ SPILL ENDOWMENT GRANTS
MESSAGE: PLEASE SUPPORT AND PASS HB566 TO ALLOW THE EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL
ENDOWMENT TO PROCEED. THIS MUST OCCUR TO HELP HB411. THANK YOU.

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PUBLIC OPINION MESSAGE

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BILL NO: HB 566
SUBJECT: EXXON VALDEZ SPILL ENDOWMENT GRANTS
MESSAGE: PROVIDING AN ENDOWMENT TO FUND ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION OF ALASKA
MARINE RESOURCES IS A WISE AND NECESSARY USE OF EXXON SETTLEMENT
MONEY.

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PUBLIC OPINION MESSAGE

DEAR: REPRESENTATIVE DAVIDSON

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BILL NO: HB 566
SUBJECT: EXXON VALDEZ SPILL ENDOWMENT GRANTS
MESSAGE: PLEASE SUPPORT HB566 SETTING UP A FOUNDATION FOR EDUCATION. WE NEED
THIS FOR OUR CHILDRENS FUTURE.

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HB572

(11)

Date Referred: April 1, 1992

HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT
FURTHER REFERRALS:

Date of Committee Action: 4/13/92

The FINANCE Committee considered:

HB 572

HOUSE BILL NO. 572

OPERATIONS OF STATE AGENCIES

"An Act relating to operations of certain state agencies; and providing for an effective date."

RECOMMENDATIONS:

be replaced with CS HB 572 (FIN) the same title

a new title

have attached amendments(s)

do pass

do not pass

no recommendations

individual recommendations

additional referral to the _____ Committee

ADOPTS: _____ letter of Intent

ATTACHES NEW FISCAL NOTE(S): (Dept)

APPROVES PREVIOUS: (Dept/Date)

fiscal impact DPS 4/7/92

fiscal note(s) _____

zero fiscal note HFC 4/10/92

zero fiscal note(s) _____

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E.P. Macher
CHAIRMAN'S SIGNATURE

STATE OF ALASKA
1992 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. CSHB 572 (FIN)

Revision Date: _____ Department Affected: ALL DEPARTMENTS
 Title: OPERATIONS OF STATE AGENCIES BRU: ALL DEPARTMENTS
 Component: _____
 Sponsor: HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE
 Requestor: HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE COMPONENT SERIAL NO.

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EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 93	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98
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
FUND SOURCE:						

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	0	0	0	0	0	0
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
FUND SOURCE:						
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0	0

POSITIONS:

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

Estimate of current year impact: _____

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)

SEE ATTACHMENT

Prepared By: Co-Chair Eileen MacLean *Eileen MacLean* Phone: 465-4853
Co-Chair Mike Navarr *Mike Navarr* Phone: 465-3779
 Division: House Finance Committee Date: APRIL 6, 1992

Approved by Commissioner: _____ Date: _____
 Agency: _____

FISCAL ANALYSIS CSHB 572 (FIN)

Section 1: Savings \$30.0 to Division of Motor Vehicles

Section 2,3,4: Transfer of \$302.5 existing general fund expenditure to Science and Technology fund.

Section 5,6,7,8,9,10,11: Generates additional program receipts of \$277.3 replacing general funds for Division of Lands.

Section 12,13: No immediate savings.

Section 14: Saves \$156.5 in FY93 operating budget.

Section 15: Fund source change from general fund to other funds. No savings.

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
1992 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. HB 572

Revision Date: _____ Department Affected: Public Safety

Title: "An Act relating to operations of certain state agencies." BRU: Motor Vehicles

Sponsor: House Finance Component: Field Services

Requestor: House Finance COMPONENT SERIAL NO.

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EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars) (inflation not included)

OPERATING	FY 93	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)
CAPITAL						

REVENUE						
FUND SOURCE:						

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
FUND SOURCE:						
TOTAL						

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

Estimate of current year impact: _____

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)

The savings shown results from going from two validation stickers to a single sticker to be placed on the rear plate. The other portions of the bill give the authority to implement new designs for the license plate. There will be no fiscal impact if a new design is phased in over a period of years in lieu of reordering the current plates. There are no definite plans for a new plate issue, but this bill does remove the statutory barriers for this type of program.

Prepared By: Charles B. Hosack Phone: 269-5559

Division: Motor Vehicles Date: 4/3/92

Approved by Commissioner: *Richard L. Burton* Richard L. Burton

Agency: Department of Public Safety Date: 4/7/92

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 572 (FINANCE)
 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
 SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered:
 Referred:

Sponsor(s): HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the powers, duties, and operations of certain state agencies, including
 2 those of the Alaska Science and Technology Foundation, those of the Citizen's Advisory
 3 Commission on the Federal Areas in Alaska, the disposal or leasing of state land or
 4 interests in state land, the management of public recreational land and the management
 5 of state parks and recreation areas, vehicle registration, small procurements, the employment
 6 assistance and training program fund, contracts for confinement of certain prisoners, and
 7 the recording of public documents; and providing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 28.10.161(b) is amended to read:

10 (b) Every [AFTER JANUARY 1, 1979, EVERY] passenger vehicle registration plate,
 11 except as specifically provided in AS 28.10.181, shall have displayed upon it

12 (1) [THE ALASKA FLAG;

13 (2) THE TRADITIONAL COLORS OF YELLOW-GOLD AND BLUE;

1 (3) THE SLOGAN "THE LAST FRONTIER";
2 (4)] the registration number assigned to the vehicle for which it is issued;
3 (2) [(5)] the name of this state, which may be abbreviated; and
4 (3) [(6)] the registration year number or expiration date for which time it is
5 validated; the registration year number or expiration date may be part of the license plate or
6 contained on a suitable sticker or tab device issued by the department; however, only one sticker
7 or tab device may be issued for each pair of plates and the sticker or tab device must be
8 affixed to the rear plate.

9 * Sec. 2. AS 33.30.031(a) is amended to read:

10 (a) The commissioner shall determine the availability of state correctional facilities
11 suitable for the detention and confinement of persons held under authority of state law or
12 municipal ordinance. If the commissioner determines that suitable state correctional facilities
13 are not available, the commissioner may enter into an agreement with a public or private agency
14 to provide necessary facilities. Correctional facilities provided through agreement with a public
15 agency may be in this state or in another state. Correctional facilities provided through
16 agreement with a private agency must be located in this state. The commissioner may not enter
17 into an agreement with an agency unable to provide a degree of custody, care, and discipline
18 similar to that required by the laws of this state.

19 * Sec. 3. AS 33.30.031(b) is amended to read:

20 (b) Unless the purpose is to involve prisoners in a program established under AS
21 33.30.091 - 33.30.131 or 33.30.151 - 33.30.181 or to confine persons charged with or
22 [PRISONERS] convicted of a misdemeanor or violation of a municipal ordinance, the
23 commissioner may not enter into an agreement with a privately operated correctional facility
24 under (a) of this section.

25 * Sec. 4. AS 36.30.320(a) is amended to read:

26 (a) A procurement for supplies, services, or construction that does not exceed an
27 aggregate dollar amount of \$25,000 [\$10,000] may be made in accordance with regulations
28 adopted by the commissioner for small procurements.

29 * Sec. 5. AS 37.17.030(b) is amended to read:

30 (b) In addition to endowment income, the foundation may receive individual,
31 foundation, or corporate gifts, grants, or bequests that by their terms are restricted to a

1 particular purpose [AND OTHER AID]. The foundation may accumulate income, gifts, grants,
2 and bequests [OTHER AID] from any one year and distribute them in a later year.

3 * Sec. 6. AS 37.17.030(c) is amended to read:

4 (c) The administrative expenses of the foundation are subject to AS 37.07 and shall be
5 paid from the income of the endowment. The legislature may appropriate income of the
6 endowment for payment of the administrative expenses of the Alaska Aerospace
7 Development Corporation established under AS 14.40.821 and the agricultural and forestry
8 experiment station research centers of the University of Alaska.

9 * Sec. 7. AS 37.17.030(d) is amended to read:

10 (d) Except for payments under (c) of this section, the [THE] board of directors shall
11 distribute the income of the endowment through competitive grants under this chapter. The board
12 may disburse money that is received by the foundation for special or general purposes.

13 * Sec. 8. AS 38.05.035(e) is amended to read:

14 (e) Upon a written finding that the interests of the state will be best served, the director
15 may, with the consent of the commissioner, approve contracts for the sale, lease, or other disposal
16 of available land, resources, property or interests in them, and, in addition to the conditions and
17 limitations imposed by law, may impose additional conditions or limitations in the contracts as
18 the director determines, with the consent of the commissioner, will best serve the interests of the
19 state. A written finding for an oil and gas lease sale under AS 38.05.180 is subject to (g) of this
20 section. A contract for the sale, lease, or other disposal of available land or an interest in land
21 is not legally binding on the state until the commissioner approves the contract but if the
22 appraised value is not greater than \$50,000 in the case of the sale of land or an interest in land,
23 or \$5,000 in the case of the annual rental of land or interest in land, the director may execute the
24 contract without the approval of the commissioner. Before a public hearing, if held, or in any
25 case no less than 21 days before the sale, lease, or other disposal of available land, property,
26 resources, or interests in them, the director shall make available to the public a written finding
27 that sets out the facts and applicable law upon which the determination that the sale, lease, or
28 other disposal will best serve the interests of the state was based. A written finding is not
29 required before the approval of

30 (1) a contract for a negotiated sale authorized under AS 38.05.115;

31 (2) [A LEASE OF LAND FOR A SHORE FISHERY SITE UNDER

1 AS 38.05.082;

2 (3)] a permit or other authorization revocable by the commissioner;

3 (3) [(4)] a mineral claim located under AS 38.05.195;

4 (4) [(5)] a mineral lease issued under AS 38.05.205;

5 (5) [(6)] a production license issued under AS 38.05.207;

6 (6) [(7)] an exempt oil and gas sale under AS 38.05.180(d) of acreage offered in
7 a sale that was held within the previous five years if the sale was subject to a written best interest
8 finding, unless the commissioner determines that new information has become available that
9 justifies a revision of the best interest finding; or

10 (7) [(8)] a lease sale under AS 38.05.180(w) of acreage offered in a sale that was
11 held within the previous five years if the sale was subject to a best interest finding, unless the
12 commissioner determines that new information has become available that justifies a revision of
13 the best interest finding.

14 * Sec. 9. AS 38.05.075(a) is amended to read:

15 (a) Except as provided in AS 38.05.035, 38.05.070, 38.05.073, 38.05.079, 38.05.083,
16 38.05.087, 38.05.102, 38.05.810, [AS 38.05.087] and this section, leasing shall be made at public
17 auction to the highest qualified bidder as determined by the commissioner. In the public notice
18 of a lease to be offered at public auction, the commissioner shall specify a minimum
19 acceptable bid and the lease compensation method. The lease compensation method shall
20 be designed to maximize the return on the lease to the state and shall be a form of
21 compensation set out in AS 38.05.073(m). An aggrieved bidder may appeal to the
22 commissioner within five days for a review of the determination. The leasing shall be conducted
23 by the commissioner and the successful bidder shall deposit at the auction the first year's rental
24 or other lease compensation as specified by the commissioner, or that portion of it that the
25 commissioner requires in accordance with the bid. The commissioner shall require, under
26 AS 38.05.860, qualified bidders to deposit a sum equal to any survey or appraisal costs
27 reasonably incurred by another qualified bidder acting in accordance with the regulations of the
28 commissioner or incurred by the department under AS 38.04.045 and AS 38.05.840. If a
29 bidder making a deposit of survey or appraisal costs is determined by the commissioner to be the
30 highest qualified bidder under this subsection, the deposit shall be paid to the unsuccessful bidder
31 who incurred those costs or to the department if the department incurred the costs. [ANY

1 SURVEY OR APPRAISAL COSTS REASONABLY INCURRED BY A QUALIFIED BIDDER
2 UNDER THE REGULATIONS OF THE COMMISSIONER OR DEPOSITED UNDER THIS
3 SUBSECTION MUST BE CREDITED UNDER THE FIRST AND THEN SUBSEQUENT
4 YEARS' RENTALS.] All costs for survey and appraisal shall be approved in advance in writing
5 by the commissioner. The commissioner shall immediately issue a receipt containing a description
6 of the land or interest leased, the price bid, and the terms of the lease [, AND THE AMOUNT
7 OF ANY CREDIT FOR SURVEY AND APPRAISAL COSTS] to the successful qualified
8 bidder. If the receipt is not accepted in writing by the bidder under this subsection, the
9 commissioner may offer the land for lease again under this subsection. A lease, on a form
10 approved by the attorney general, shall be signed by the successful bidder and by the
11 commissioner within the period specified in the auction notice [30 DAYS AFTER THE
12 AUCTION].

13 * Sec. 10. AS 38.05.075(f) is amended to read:

14 (f) If, after completion of the procedures required by (e) of this section, the
15 commissioner determines that there is only one qualified bidder, the [THE] commissioner
16 may issue a lease without competitive bidding at the approved, appraised market value of the
17 land determined under AS 38.05.840 or by another form of lease compensation specified by
18 the commissioner from among those set out in AS 38.05.073(m) and designed to maximize
19 the return on the lease to the state [IF, AFTER COMPLETION OF THE PROCEDURES
20 REQUIRED BY (E) OF THIS SECTION, THE COMMISSIONER DETERMINES THAT
21 THERE IS ONLY ONE QUALIFIED BIDDER]. The commissioner may establish terms and
22 conditions for entry to the land pending survey and appraisal of the land. The commissioner
23 shall issue the lease as soon as is practicable following the survey and appraisal of the land
24 subject to the provisions of AS 38.05.035(e).

25 * Sec. 11. AS 38.05.083(a) is amended to read:

26 (a) The commissioner may offer to the public for lease at public auction under
27 AS 38.05.075 or by negotiation under AS 38.05.070 a site [THAT HAS BEEN DEVELOPED]
28 for aquatic farming or related hatchery operations [UNDER A PERMIT ISSUED UNDER
29 AS 38.05.856. BEFORE OFFERING THE SITE TO THE PUBLIC, THE COMMISSIONER
30 SHALL OFFER THE SITE TO THE PERMITTEE].

31 * Sec. 12. AS 38.05.085(c) is amended to read:

1 (c) The lessee shall make advance payments of the annual rent or other form of lease
2 compensation specified by the commissioner or that portion of it [AS] the [DIRECTOR, WITH
3 THE APPROVAL OF THE] commissioner [,] may require.

4 * Sec. 13. AS 38.05.105(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) Each lease shall stipulate that [AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE INITIAL 25-YEAR
6 PERIOD OF THE LEASE AND] at five-year intervals as specified in the lease [OF 10 YEARS
7 THEREAFTER] the annual rent payment or other form of lease compensation specified by the
8 commissioner is subject to adjustment. Changes [CHARGES] or adjustments shall be based
9 primarily on changes in the lease's [AN ADJUSTED] fair market value. However, if the
10 commissioner [DIRECTOR] determines that single-family residential development is the best
11 use of the land, the reappraisal period may be lengthened or the readjustment waived in
12 accordance with regulations adopted by the department. Before a waiver of rent adjustment is
13 issued, the land shall have a current reappraisal. A waiver is valid only if single-family
14 residential development actually occurs. The regulations adopted under this section shall ensure
15 that the state receives a fair return from the land.

16 * Sec. 14. AS 38.05.860(a) is amended to read:

17 (a) The commissioner [DIRECTOR] may require an applicant seeking the sale, lease,
18 or other disposal of land or an interest in land, other than under an oil and gas or mineral lease,
19 to deposit an amount covering the estimated cost of an appraisal, survey, and other costs
20 necessary to offer the land or interest in land, including advertising. All deposited funds not
21 expended shall be refunded to the applicant. If the land or interest in land is awarded [SOLD
22 OR LEASED] to a person other than the applicant making the deposit, the person [PARTY]
23 awarded the land shall pay the total actual cost incurred by the department in making the
24 disposal [OF APPRAISING AND SURVEYING THE LAND, TOGETHER WITH THE TOTAL
25 ACTUAL COST OF ADVERTISING], and the deposit shall be returned to the original applicant.
26 In lieu of requiring the deposit under this subsection, the commissioner may enter into an
27 agreement with an applicant seeking land or an interest in land requiring the applicant to
28 reimburse the department for costs incurred in the disposal if the applicant is awarded the
29 land or interest in land.

30 * Sec. 15. AS 38.05.945(a) is amended to read:

31 (a) This section establishes the requirements for notice given by the department for the

1 following actions:

2 (1) classification or reclassification of state land under AS 38.05.300 and the
3 closing of land to mineral leasing or entry under AS 38.05.185;

4 (2) zoning of land under applicable law;

5 (3) a decision under AS 38.05.035(e) regarding the sale, lease, or disposal of an
6 interest in state land or resources;

7 (4) a competitive disposal of an interest in state land or resources after final
8 decision under AS 38.05.035(e);

9 (5) [A PUBLIC HEARING UNDER AS 38.05.856(b);

10 (6)] a preliminary finding under AS 38.05.035(e) [AND 38.05.855(c)] concerning
11 sites for aquatic farms and related hatcheries.

12 * Sec. 16. AS 41.21.020(a) is amended to read:

13 (a) The department shall

14 (1) develop a continuing plan for the conservation and maximum use in the public
15 interest of the scenic, historic, archaeological, scientific, biological, and recreational resources of
16 the state;

17 (2) plan for and develop a system of state parks and recreational facilities, to be
18 established as the legislature authorizes and directs;

19 (3) acquire by gift, purchase, or transfer from state or federal agencies, or from
20 individuals, corporations, partnerships or associations, land necessary, suitable and proper for
21 roadside, picnic, recreational, or park purposes;

22 (4) [CONTROL,] develop, manage, and maintain state parks and recreational
23 areas;

24 (5) provide for the acquisition, care, management [CONTROL], supervision,
25 improvement, development, extension, and maintenance of public recreational land, and make
26 necessary arrangements, contracts, or commitments for the improvement and development of land
27 acquired under AS 41.21.010 - 41.21.040; contracting for improvement and development under
28 this paragraph is governed by AS 36.30 (State Procurement Code);

29 (6) adopt, in accordance with this section and the Administrative Procedure Act
30 (AS 44.62), regulations governing the use and designating incompatible uses within the
31 boundaries of state park and recreational areas to protect the property and to preserve the peace;

1 (7) cooperate with the United States and its agencies and local subdivisions of the
2 state to secure the effective supervision, improvement, development, extension, and maintenance
3 of state parks, state monuments, state historical areas, and state recreational areas, and secure
4 agreements or contracts for the purpose of AS 41.21.010 - 41.21.040;

5 (8) encourage the organization of state public park and recreational activities in
6 the local political subdivisions of the state;

7 (9) provide for consulting service designed to develop local park and recreation
8 facilities and programs;

9 (10) provide clearinghouse services for other state agencies concerned with park
10 and recreation matters;

11 (11) perform other duties as are prescribed by executive order or by law;

12 (12) maintain memorials to Alaska veterans located in state parks; and

13 (13) adopt, in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act (AS 44.62),
14 regulations governing the use of the Chena River State Recreation Area and designating
15 incompatible uses within the boundaries of the Chena River State Recreation Area in accordance
16 with AS 41.21.490.

17 * Sec. 17. AS 44.37.025(c) is amended to read:

18 (c) The department, with the concurrence of the administrative director of courts, may
19 appoint judicial employees to perform services in connection with recording, providing access
20 to, and copying documents in locations where the department has not otherwise designated a
21 public office [NO EMPLOYEES AVAILABLE] to perform those functions.

22 * Sec. 18. Section 4, ch. 81, SLA 1981, as amended by sec. 1, ch. 25, SLA 1988, is amended to read:

23 Sec. 4. Section 3 of this Act takes effect July 1, 1992 [JUNE 30, 1998].

24 * Sec. 19. Section 3, ch. 95, SLA 1989, is amended to read:

25 Sec. 3. EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING PROGRAM FUND
26 [ACCOUNT]. The employment assistance and training program fund [ACCOUNT] is
27 established in the department. Deposits into the fund are not general fund program receipts
28 [GENERAL FUND. THE COMMISSIONER OF ADMINISTRATION SHALL SEPARATELY
29 ACCOUNT FOR MONEY COLLECTED UNDER SEC. 4 OF THIS ACT THAT THE
30 DEPARTMENT DEPOSITED IN THE GENERAL FUND]. The annual estimated balance in
31 the fund [ACCOUNT] may be appropriated by the legislature to the department to implement

1 this Act. If the entire estimated balance is not used to implement this Act during a fiscal
2 year, the [THE] legislature may make appropriations from the employment assistance and
3 training fund [APPROPRIATE THE LAPSING BALANCE OF THE ACCOUNT] to the
4 unemployment compensation fund established in AS 23.20.130.

5 * Sec. 20. AS 28.10.161(c), AS 38.05.082, 38.05.085(a), 38.05.085(b), 38.05.085(g), 38.05.105(b),
6 38.05.855, 38.05.856, and 38.05.946(b) are repealed.

7 * Sec. 21. This Act takes effect July 1, 1992.

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
1992 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. SCS CS HB 572(FIN) AM

Revision Date: 11-May-92 Department Affected: Natural Resources
 Title: Operations of State Agencies BRU: Parks and Recreation Management
 Components: Parks Management
 Sponsor: House Finance
 Requestor: Senate Finance COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 452

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 93	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98
PERSONAL SERVICES	38.2	19.0	15.0	15.0		
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL	27.0	15.0	12.0	12.0		
SUPPLIES	10.8	6.0	5.0	5.0		
EQUIPMENT						
LAND&STRUCTURES						
GRANTS.CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	76.0	40.0	32.0	32.0	0.0	0.0

CAPITAL						
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REVENUE GF/PR	150.0	200.0	300.0	400.0	400.0	400.0
Funding Source: 1005						

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	76.0	40.0	32.0	32.0	0.0	0.0
FEDERAL FUNDS	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
OTHER						
Funding Source:	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL	76.0	40.0	32.0	32.0	0.0	0.0

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
PART-TIME	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TEMPORARY	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of Current year impact:

ANALYSIS:	(Attach a separate page if necessary)
See Attached	

Prepared by: David Stephens Phone: 762-2653
 Division: Parks & Outdoor Recreation Date: 11-May-92
 Approved by Commissioner: Harold C. Heinrich Date: 11-May-92
 Agency: Department of Natural Resources

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FISCAL ANALYSIS

The state park fee program to be funded by this fiscal note consists of the design, construction, and installation of fee collection stations at approximately 44 locations in the state park system. Each fee station is estimated to cost \$4,000, including labor, supplies, and contractual expenses.

The fee stations would be installed in phases, over a four year period. Eighteen stations would be installed in FY93, and ten stations installed in FY94. Eight stations would be installed in both FY95 and FY96. First year costs include design and production of fee collection envelopes and annual pass decals, as well as design and production of standard drawings and plans for the fee stations. These one-time costs are estimated at \$4,000.

No new positions would be required by this legislation. Additional administrative and management costs would be absorbed by existing staff.

The estimate of revenue to be produced by this bill is based on visitation records for selected park units, as well as financial records for the existing camping fee program. In the fourth year of implementation, this new fee program is expected to generate annual revenues of approximately \$400,000. Potential revenues to the state from this program exceed the state's costs in each year of the four year implementation period. In subsequent years, these user fees would help offset increased park maintenance and operating costs as well as possible general fund budget reductions. The net financial effect of this program would be positive, with fee revenues significantly greater than operating costs.

4/12/92

CS HB572 (Finance)

Section 1: Amends requirement for two stickers identifying year of plate registration: estimated by the department to save \$30.0 (Part of DMV proposal from the Public Safety subcommittee)

Savings: \$30.0

Section 2: Amends the small procurement limit from \$10,000 to \$25,000.

Savings: \$150.0

Section 3,4,5: Amends Science and Technology fund language to allow the disbursement of funds for the purposes of the Alaska Aerospace Development Corporation and the agricultural research stations of the University of Alaska. (From the Commerce subcommittee)

Transfers GF costs: \$3,302.5

Section 6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13: Amends Public Lands leasing (From the Natural Resources subcommittee)

Transfers GF costs: \$277.3

Section 14: Amends the Parks statute to reflect management instead of control

technical change

Section 15: Cleans up the description of the relationship under which judicial officers would perform recording functions.

technical change

Section 16: Moves the sunset date of the Citizen's Advisory Committee on Federal Lands (CACFA) to June, 1992. (Elimination recommended by Natural Resources subcommittee)

Savings: \$156.5

Section 17: Describes the STEP fund as a program receipt, removing it from the category of general fund. (Adopted as an amendment by the Finance committee).

Removes from GF description \$2,160.0

Section 18: Repeal of AS 28.10,161(c) removes language restricting the design of license plates; Repeal of AS 38.05 sections are related to the changes proposed for Public Lands Leasing.

Section 19: Effective date clause.

Total General Fund impact: **\$6,076.3**

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 572 (FINANCE)
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered:
Referred:

Sponsor(s): HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the powers, duties, and operations of certain state agencies, including
2 those of the Alaska Science and Technology Foundation, those of the Citizen's Advisory
3 Commission on the Federal Areas in Alaska, the disposal or leasing of state land or
4 interests in state land, the management of public recreational land and the management
5 of state parks and recreation areas, vehicle registration, small procurements, the employment
6 assistance and training program fund, and the recording of public documents; and
7 providing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 28.10.161(b) is amended to read:

10 (b) Every [AFTER JANUARY 1, 1979, EVERY] passenger vehicle registration plate,
11 except as specifically provided in AS 28.10.181, shall have displayed upon it

12 (1) [THE ALASKA FLAG;

13 (2) THE TRADITIONAL COLORS OF YELLOW-GOLD AND BLUE;

1 (3) THE SLOGAN "THE LAST FRONTIER";
2 (4) the registration number assigned to the vehicle for which it is issued;
3 (2) [(5)] the name of this state, which may be abbreviated; and
4 (3) [(6)] the registration year number or expiration date for which time it is
5 validated; the registration year number or expiration date may be part of the license plate or
6 contained on a suitable sticker or tab device issued by the department; however, only one sticker
7 or tab device may be issued for each pair of plates and the sticker or tab device must be
8 affixed to the rear plate.

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10 (a) A procurement for supplies, services, or construction that does not exceed an
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12 adopted by the commissioner for small procurements.

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15 foundation, or corporate gifts, grants, or bequests that by their terms are restricted to a
16 particular purpose [AND OTHER AID]. The foundation may accumulate income, gifts, grants,
17 and bequests [OTHER AID] from any one year and distribute them in a later year.

18 * Sec. 4. AS 37.17.030(c) is amended to read:

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20 paid from the income of the endowment. The legislature may appropriate income of the
21 endowment for payment of the administrative expenses of the Alaska Aerospace
22 Development Corporation established under AS 14.40.821 and the agricultural and forestry
23 experiment station research centers of the University of Alaska.

24 * Sec. 5. AS 37.17.030(d) is amended to read:

25 (d) Except for payments under (c) of this section, the [THE] board of directors shall
26 distribute the income of the endowment through competitive grants under this chapter. The board
27 may disburse money that is received by the foundation for special or general purposes.

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29 (e) Upon a written finding that the interests of the state will be best served, the director
30 may, with the consent of the commissioner, approve contracts for the sale, lease, or other disposal
31 of available land, resources, property or interests in them, and, in addition to the conditions and

1 limitations imposed by law, may impose additional conditions or limitations in the contracts as
2 the director determines, with the consent of the commissioner, will best serve the interests of the
3 state. A written finding for an oil and gas lease sale under AS 38.05.180 is subject to (g) of this
4 section. A contract for the sale, lease, or other disposal of available land or an interest in land
5 is not legally binding on the state until the commissioner approves the contract but if the
6 appraised value is not greater than \$50,000 in the case of the sale of land or an interest in land,
7 or \$5,000 in the case of the annual rental of land or interest in land, the director may execute the
8 contract without the approval of the commissioner. Before a public hearing, if held, or in any
9 case no less than 21 days before the sale, lease, or other disposal of available land, property,
10 resources, or interests in them, the director shall make available to the public a written finding
11 that sets out the facts and applicable law upon which the determination that the sale, lease, or
12 other disposal will best serve the interests of the state was based. A written finding is not
13 required before the approval of

14 (1) a contract for a negotiated sale authorized under AS 38.05.115;

15 (2) [A LEASE OF LAND FOR A SHORE FISHERY SITE UNDER
16 AS 38.05.082;

17 (3)] a permit or other authorization revocable by the commissioner;

18 (3) [(4)] a mineral claim located under AS 38.05.195;

19 (4) [(5)] a mineral lease issued under AS 38.05.205;

20 (5) [(6)] a production license issued under AS 38.05.207;

21 (6) [(7)] an exempt oil and gas sale under AS 38.05.180(d) of acreage offered in
22 a sale that was held within the previous five years if the sale was subject to a written best interest
23 finding, unless the commissioner determines that new information has become available that
24 justifies a revision of the best interest finding; or

25 (7) [(8)] a lease sale under AS 38.05.180(w) of acreage offered in a sale that was
26 held within the previous five years if the sale was subject to a best interest finding, unless the
27 commissioner determines that new information has become available that justifies a revision of
28 the best interest finding.

29 * Sec. 7. AS 38.05.075(a) is amended to read:

30 (a) Except as provided in AS 38.05.035, 38.05.070, 38.05.073, 38.05.079, 38.05.083,
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1 auction to the highest qualified bidder as determined by the commissioner. In the public notice
2 of a lease to be offered at public auction, the commissioner shall specify a minimum
3 acceptable bid and the lease compensation method. The lease compensation method shall
4 be designed to maximize the return on the lease to the state and shall be a form of
5 compensation set out in AS 38.05.073(m). An aggrieved bidder may appeal to the
6 commissioner within five days for a review of the determination. The leasing shall be conducted
7 by the commissioner and the successful bidder shall deposit at the auction the first year's rental
8 or other lease compensation as specified by the commissioner, or that portion of it that the
9 commissioner requires in accordance with the bid. The commissioner shall require, under
10 AS 38.05.860, qualified bidders to deposit a sum equal to any survey or appraisal costs
11 reasonably incurred by another qualified bidder acting in accordance with the regulations of the
12 commissioner or incurred by the department under AS 38.04.045 and AS 38.05.840. If a
13 bidder making a deposit of survey or appraisal costs is determined by the commissioner to be the
14 highest qualified bidder under this subsection, the deposit shall be paid to the unsuccessful bidder
15 who incurred those costs or to the department if the department incurred the costs. [ANY
16 SURVEY OR APPRAISAL COSTS REASONABLY INCURRED BY A QUALIFIED BIDDER
17 UNDER THE REGULATIONS OF THE COMMISSIONER OR DEPOSITED UNDER THIS
18 SUBSECTION MUST BE CREDITED UNDER THE FIRST AND THEN SUBSEQUENT
19 YEARS' RENTALS.] All costs for survey and appraisal shall be approved in advance in writing
20 by the commissioner. The commissioner shall immediately issue a receipt containing a description
21 of the land or interest leased, the price bid, and the terms of the lease [, AND THE AMOUNT
22 OF ANY CREDIT FOR SURVEY AND APPRAISAL COSTS] to the successful qualified
23 bidder. If the receipt is not accepted in writing by the bidder under this subsection, the
24 commissioner may offer the land for lease again under this subsection. A lease, on a form
25 approved by the attorney general, shall be signed by the successful bidder and by the
26 commissioner within the period specified in the auction notice [30 DAYS AFTER THE
27 AUCTION].

28 * Sec. 8. AS 38.05.075(f) is amended to read:

29 (f) If, after completion of the procedures required by (e) of this section, the
30 commissioner determines that there is only one qualified bidder, the [THE] commissioner
31 may issue a lease without competitive bidding at the approved, appraised market value of the

1 land determined under AS 38.05.840 or by another form of lease compensation specified by
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7 shall issue the lease as soon as is practicable following the survey and appraisal of the land
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11 AS 38.05.075 or by negotiation under AS 38.05.070 a site [THAT HAS BEEN DEVELOPED]
12 for aquatic farming or related hatchery operations [UNDER A PERMIT ISSUED UNDER
13 AS 38.05.856. BEFORE OFFERING THE SITE TO THE PUBLIC, THE COMMISSIONER
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5 expended shall be refunded to the applicant. If the land or interest in land is awarded [SOLD
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FAX TRANSMISSION COVER SHEET

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FROM: Allan Adasiak
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DATE: 8 April 1992

SUBJECT: HB 572 -- Recorder's Office

MESSAGE:

A two-page letter on the above subject accompanies this cover sheet.

I assume that you have already heard of and looked into the rumor that a gag rule has been imposed on Recorder's Office employees to keep them from testifying on this measure, and that you have found no substance to it.

Page __1__ of __3__, including this page.

House Finance Committee
State Capitol
Juneau, AK 99811

8 April 1992

Dear Finance Committee Members:

This is to register opposition to provisions of HB 572 that would authorize the Recorder's Office in the Department of Natural Resources to contract with local governments to perform Recorder's Office functions.

Such a move would lead to:

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2. A costly administrative jumble, if not - nightmare during the transition to a regressive form of operation.
3. Raggadness, failures of process, and outright errors in connection with title and other land transaction records.
4. Inconvenience and expense for all citizens who would have to use the proposed system and to untangle its errors.

The reasons for the above are as follows:

1. Higher costs: The present system has several economies of scale that could not be continued with a fragmented operation.
2. Transitional administrative costs: a. Local government boundaries do not conform to Recording District boundaries. Records would have to be identified, re-allocated, and perhaps physically transferred. b. Recording office functions in the unorganized borough would have to be continued, presumably by the State, but without the volume of transactions in other areas that now supports that activity. c. The State's integrated data base of Recorder's Office records would have to be restructured and maintained in a different way, if it could be maintained at all. d. Local recording offices would have to be assumed by the new muni-district that contained them. (This assumes that "local government" means an organized borough, not a city, town or village.)
3. Errors in records: Some of these would be due to the roughness of a transition. Some would be due to inconsistency in procedures, training and quality control at the local government level. Some would depend on whether an effective, accurate data base could be maintained.
4. Inconvenience and expense: Incorrect property records can cost someone money. Not discovering an error until it becomes crucial in a transaction can cost even more money. Remedying the error will cost more time and money.

I have been a private investigator in Alaska for several years. I have always found the staff at the Recorder's

Office informed and helpful. The records are well maintained, and the state-wide data base makes them easy to review for any area of the state.

Those Eastern states in which I have had to look for records stand in stark contrast to our situation here. The Recorder's Offices are by county. Different counties have different procedures. The fees are high, and they can be inconsistent from county to county. A computerized data base is a rarity: Few counties have one. Most seem to rely on file cabinets of documents -- and in a few cases it seems as if they rely on shoe boxes and bales of documents stacked in other rooms.

In conclusion, the proposal to turn over Recorder's Office functions to local governments is one to which you should say strongly, "We don't give a damn how they do it outside."

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,



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HB572

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 4/21/92

FURTHER:

DATE TURNED INTO OFFICE: 5-12-92

The Finance Committee considered CS FOR HB 572 (FINANCE) am
OPERATIONS OF STATE AGENCIES

and recommends:

- replace with 5 CS CS HB 572 (FINANCE)
or adopt previous CS ()
 attaches amendment(s)

- same title
 new title
 technical title change
(HB only)

adopts Letter of Intent

further referral to the

- do pass
 do not pass
 no recommendation
 individual recommendations

NEW FISCAL NOTES: Dept/Date
 zero fiscal notes

fiscal notes

appropriation--no fiscal note

DO PASS:

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTES: Dept/Date
 zero fiscal notes

fiscal notes DPS (30.0) 4-3-92

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Rich Williams
Dick Stahl - Do Not Pass unless Ammended

Jan Duncan - No Rec

Al Adams - No Rec

2. *Agnes Huff - No Rec*

[Signature]
Co-Chair: Signature/Recommendation

Co-Chair: Signature/Recommendation

STATE OF ALASKA
1992 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

FISCAL NOTE
REPORTED OUT OF
SFC 5-12-92

No. 1
Bill Version: CSHB 572(FIN)
(H) Publish Date: 4/14/92

Revision Date: _____ Department Affected: Public Safety
Title: "An Act relating to operations of certain state agencies." BRU: Motor Vehicles
Sponsor: House Finance Component: Field Services
Requestor: House Finance COMPONENT SERIAL NO.

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EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars) (inflation not included)

OPERATING	FY 93	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)

CAPITAL						
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REVENUE						
FUND SOURCE:						

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)	(30.0)
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER FUND SOURCE:						
TOTAL						

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

Estimate of current year impact: _____

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)

The savings shown results from going from two validation stickers to a single sticker to be placed on the rear plate. The other portions of the bill give the authority to implement new designs for the license plate. There will be no fiscal impact if a new design is phased in over a period of years in lieu of reordering the current plates. There are no definite plans for a new plate issue, but this bill does remove the statutory barriers for this type of program.

Prepared By: Charles R. Hosack Phone: 269-5559
Division: Motor Vehicles Date: 4/3/92
Approved by Commissioner: David C. Hostetler for Richard L. Burton
Agency: Department of Public Safety Date: 4/7/92

STATE OF ALASKA
1992 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

FISCAL NOTE
REPORTED OUT OF
SFC 5-12-92

No. 2
Bill Version: CSHB 572(FIN)
(H) Publish Date: 4/14/92

Revision Date: _____
Title: OPERATIONS OF STATE AGENCIES

Department Affected: ALL DEPARTMENTS
BRU: ALL DEPARTMENTS

Sponsor: HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE
Requestor: HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Component: _____
COMPONENT SERIAL NO.

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EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 93	FY 94	FY 95	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98
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 FUND SOURCE:	0	0	0	0	0	0

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND	0	0	0	0	0	0
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER FUND SOURCE:						
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0	0

POSITIONS:

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

Estimate of current year impact: _____

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)

SEE ATTACHMENT

Prepared By: Co-Chair Eileen MacLean *Eileen P. MacLean* Phone: 465-4833
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Division: House Finance Committee Date: APRIL 6, 1992

Approved by Commissioner: _____

Agency: _____ Date: _____

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COMMITTEE COPY

Section 1: Savings \$30.0 to Division of Motor Vehicles

Section 2,3,4: Transfer of \$302.5 existing general fund expenditure to Science and Technology fund.

Section 5,6,7,8,9,10,11: Generates additional program receipts of \$277.3 replacing general funds for Division of Lands.

Section 12,13: No immediate savings.

Section 14: Saves \$156.5 in FY93 operating budget.

Section 15: Fund source change from general fund to other funds. No savings.

Final

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 572 (FINANCE)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered:
Referred:

Sponsor(s): HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the powers, duties, and operations of certain state agencies, including
2 those of the Alaska Science and Technology Foundation, those of the Citizen's Advisory
3 Commission on the Federal Areas in Alaska, the disposal or leasing of state land or
4 interests in state land, the management of public recreational land and the management
5 of state parks and recreation areas, vehicle registration, small procurements, the employment
6 assistance and training program fund, contracts for confinement of certain prisoners, and
7 the recording of public documents; and providing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 05.10.070 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 05.10.070. APPLICATION FOR LICENSE. A club, corporation, organization,
11 association, or fraternal society affected by this chapter may apply to the commission for a
12 license. An application must be in writing and upon a form prescribed by the commission and
13 must be verified in the manner the commission requires and accompanied by an annual license

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1 fee set by the commission by regulation under AS 05.10.125 [OF \$100].

2 * Sec. 2. AS 05.10.120(a) is amended to read:

3 (a) The commission may grant annual licenses upon application in compliance with the
4 regulations adopted by the commission and the payment of the fees prescribed by regulation
5 under AS 05.10.125 for managers, referees, examining physicians, boxers, wrestlers, seconds,
6 and trainers.

7 * Sec. 3. AS 05.10 is amended by adding a new section to read:

8 Sec. 05.10.125. FEES. The commission shall establish by regulation the fees for licenses
9 issued by the commission under this chapter.

10 * Sec. 4. AS 06.01.010 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

11 (g) The commissioner may establish by regulation a fee for the filing of an application
12 required by this title. The fee is in addition to investigation expenses that may be charged to the
13 applicant.

14 * Sec. 5. AS 06.20.030(b) is amended to read:

15 (b) An applicant shall pay to the department at the time of submitting an application a
16 sum, in addition to that specified in (a) of this section, set by the commissioner by regulation
17 [OF \$200] as an annual license fee for a period terminating on the last day of the current
18 calendar year. If the application is filed after June 30, an [THE] additional sum set by the
19 commissioner by regulation shall be paid to the department [IS \$100].

20 * Sec. 6. AS 06.30.815 is amended to read:

21 Sec. 06.30.815. FEE FOR FILING COPY OF CHARTER OF FEDERAL SAVINGS
22 AND LOAN. A fee set by the commissioner under AS 06.01.010 [OF \$10] shall accompany
23 each copy of the charter of a federal savings and loan association or certificate showing the
24 organization by conversion.

25 * Sec. 7. AS 06.30.820 is amended to read:

26 Sec. 06.30.820. FEE FOR APPROVAL BY COMMISSIONER. The commissioner may
27 charge a fee set by regulation under AS 06.01.010 for [OF NOT EXCEEDING \$10 UPON]
28 each application submitted for the commissioner's approval under [, AS PROVIDED BY] this
29 chapter.

30 * Sec. 8. AS 06.40.040 is amended to read:

31 Sec. 06.40.040. ANNUAL LICENSE FEE. On or before December 20 of each year, each

1 licensee shall pay a fee established by the department by regulation [OF \$200] to the
2 department as an annual license fee for the next succeeding calendar year. At that same time the
3 licensee shall file with the department a new bond that complies with AS 06.40.030.

4 * Sec. 9. AS 08.01.065(c) is repealed and reenacted to read:

5 (c) The department shall establish fee levels under (a) of this section so that the total
6 amount of fees collected for an occupation approximately equals the actual regulatory costs for
7 the occupation. The department shall annually review each fee level to determine whether the
8 regulatory costs of each occupation are approximately equal to fee collections related to that
9 occupation. If the review indicates that an occupation's fee collections and regulatory costs are
10 not approximately equal, the department shall calculate fee adjustments and adopt regulations
11 under (a) of this section to implement the adjustments. In January of each year, the department
12 shall report on all fee levels and revisions for the previous year under this subsection to the office
13 of management and budget. If a board regulates an occupation covered by this chapter, the
14 department shall consider the board's recommendations concerning the occupation's fee levels
15 and regulatory costs before revising fee schedules to comply with this subsection. In this
16 subsection, "regulatory costs" means costs of the department that are attributable to regulation:
17 of an occupation plus

18 (1) all expenses of the board that regulates the occupation if the board regulates
19 only one occupation;

20 (2) the expenses of a board that are attributable to the occupation if the board
21 regulates more than one occupation.

22 * Sec. 10. AS 10.06.843 is repealed and reenacted to read:

23 Sec. 10.06.843. REGULATIONS RELATING TO FEES. (a) The department shall
24 establish by regulation the fees specified or authorized in this chapter.

25 (b) The filing fee for a document not otherwise provided in this chapter shall be
26 established by the department by regulation.

27 (c) The department may by regulation charge a corporation subject to this chapter a fixed
28 fee, for routine administrative services rendered to a corporation by the department, that is in
29 place of the fees specified in this chapter. However, a fixed fee under this subsection may not
30 include the fees specified under AS 10.06.140 and 10.06.828, or the tax under AS 10.06.845.

31 * Sec. 11. AS 14.48.090(a) is repealed and reenacted to read:

1 (a) The commission shall establish by regulation and collect fees for

2 (1) authorization to operate;

3 (2) renewal of authorization to operate;

4 (3) an agent's permit; and

5 (4) renewal of an agent's permit.

6 * Sec. 12. AS 15.13.050 is amended to read:

7 Sec. 15.13.030. DUTIES OF THE COMMISSION. The commission shall

8 (1) develop and provide all forms for the reports and statements required to be
9 made under this chapter, AS 24.45₂ and AS 39.50;

10 (2) prepare and publish a manual setting out uniform methods of bookkeeping and
11 reporting for use by persons required to make reports and statements under this chapter and
12 otherwise assist candidates, groups, and individuals in complying with the requirements of this
13 chapter;

14 (3) receive and hold open for public inspection reports and statements required
15 to be made under this chapter and, upon request, furnish copies at cost to interested persons;

16 (4) compile and maintain a current list of all filed reports and statements;

17 (5) prepare a summary of each report filed under AS 15.13.110 and make copies
18 of this summary available to interested persons at their actual cost;

19 (6) notify, by registered or certified mail, all persons who are delinquent in filing
20 reports and statements required to be made under this chapter;

21 (7) report within 60 days after the election the names of all persons and groups
22 who have failed to comply with any of the provisions of this chapter to the office of the attorney
23 general;

24 (8) examine, investigate₂, and compare all reports, statements₂, and actions required
25 by this chapter, AS 24.45₂ and AS 39.50 and report to the attorney general the names of all
26 persons or groups that [WHICH] the commission has substantial reason to believe have violated
27 this chapter, AS 24.45₂ or AS 39.50;

28 (9) prepare and publish a biennial report to the legislature concerning the activities
29 of the commission, the effectiveness of this chapter, its enforcement by the attorney general's
30 office, and recommendations and proposals for change;

31 (10) adopt regulations necessary to implement and clarify the provisions of

1 AS 24.45, AS 39.50, and this chapter, subject to the provisions of the Administrative Procedure
2 Act (AS 44.62);

3 (11) establish by regulation a schedule of fees for reports, statements, and
4 filings and for services performed by the commission; a fee established under this
5 paragraph should reflect, but should not exceed, the actual costs to the commission of the
6 activity for which the fee is charged.

7 * Sec. 13. AS 16.05.340(a) is amended to read:

8 (a) Fees for licenses and tags are as follows:

9 (1) Resident sport fishing license \$ 15 [10]

10 However, the fee is 25 cents for a resident who is blind.

11 (2) Resident hunting license 25 [12]

12 (3) Resident hunting and trapping license 40 [22]

13 (4) Resident trapping license 15 [10]

14 (5) Resident hunting and sport fishing license 40 [22]

15 (6) Resident hunting, trapping, and sport fishing license 55 [32];

16 (A) however, the fee is \$5 for an applicant who

17 (i) is receiving or has received assistance during the preceding six
18 months under any state or federal welfare program to aid the indigent, or

19 (ii) has an annual family gross income of less than \$8,200 for the
20 year preceding application;

21 (B) a person paying \$5 for a resident hunting, trapping, and sport fishing
22 license must provide proof of eligibility under this paragraph when requested by the
23 departments.

24 (7) Nonresident special sport fishing license - valid for the period inscribed on
25 the license

26 (A) For 14-day license \$ 30

27 (B) For three-day license 15

28 (C) For one-day license 10

29 (8) Nonresident sport fishing license 50

30 (9) Nonresident hunting license 85

31 (10) Nonresident hunting and sport fishing license 135

1 A nonresident may not take a big game animal without previously purchasing a numbered,
 2 nontransferable, appropriate tag, issued under (15) of this subsection. The tag must be affixed
 3 to the animal immediately upon capture and must remain affixed until the animal is prepared for
 4 storage, consumed, or exported. A tag issued but not used for an animal may be used to satisfy
 5 the tagging requirement for an animal of any other species for which the tag fee is of equal or
 6 less value.

7	(11) Nonresident hunting and trapping license	\$250
8	(12) Fur dealers	
9	(A) Resident fur dealer biennial license	150
10	(B) Nonresident fur dealer biennial license	500
11	(13) Taxidermists	
12	(A) Resident taxidermy biennial license	200
13	(B) Nonresident taxidermy biennial license	500
14	(14) Aquatic farming triennial license	400
15	(15) Nonresident big game tags	
16	(A) Bear, black, each	225
17	(B) Bear, brown or grizzly, each	500
18	(C) Bison, each	450
19	(D) Caribou, each	325
20	(E) Deer, each	150
21	(F) Elk, each	300
22	(G) Goat, each	300
23	(H) Moose, each	400
24	(I) Sheep, each	425
25	(J) Wolf, each	175
26	(K) Wolverine, each	175
27	(L) Musk oxen, each	1,100
28	(16) Resident big game tags	
29	(A) Bear, brown or grizzly, each	\$25

30 The Board of Game may, by regulation effective for not more than one year, eliminate the
 31 resident brown or grizzly bear tag and fee for all or a portion of a game management unit.

1 (B) Musk oxen, each 500

2 However, the Board of Game may by regulation reduce or eliminate the fee for a resident big
3 game tag for musk oxen for an open season.

4 (17) Waterfowl conservation tag 5

5 (A) A person may not engage in waterfowl hunting without having the
6 current year's waterfowl tag in the person's actual possession, unless that person

7 (i) qualifies for a \$5 license fee under (6) of this subsection;

8 (ii) is a resident under the age of 16;

9 (iii) is 60 years of age or older and is a resident;

10 (iv) is a disabled veteran eligible for a free license under

11 AS 16.05.341.

12 (B) The Board of Game shall by regulation exempt the requirement of a
13 waterfowl conservation tag for waterfowl hunting in areas of the state not likely to benefit
14 from programs described in AS 16.05.130(b)(2) - (4).

15 (18) Game farming

16 (A) Game mammal or game reptile farming biennial license ... \$250

17 (B) Game bird farming biennial license 50

18 (19) Nonresident small game hunting license 20

19 (20) Nonresident alien hunting license 300

20 A nonresident alien may not take a big game animal without previously purchasing a numbered,
21 nontransferable, appropriate tag, issued under (21) of this subsection. The tag must be affixed
22 to the animal immediately upon capture and must remain affixed until the animal is prepared for
23 storage, consumed, or exported. A tag issued but not used for an animal may be used to satisfy
24 the tagging requirement for an animal of any other species for which the tag fee is of equal or
25 less value.

26 (21) Nonresident alien big game tags

27 (A) Bear, black, each \$300

28 (B) Bear, brown or grizzly, each 650

29 (C) Bison, each 650

30 (D) Caribou, each 425

31 (E) Deer, each 200

1 (F) Elk, each 400
 2 (G) Goat, each 400
 3 (H) Moose, each 500
 4 (I) Musk oxen, each 1,500
 5 (J) Sheep, each 550
 6 (K) Wolf, each 250
 7 (L) Wolverine, each 250

- 8 (22) Chitina personal use salmon dip net fishing permit 10
 9 (23) Resident king salmon tag 10

10 A resident may not engage in sport fishing for king salmon without having the current year's
 11 king salmon tag in the resident's actual possession, unless that person

- 12 (A) qualifies for a 25 cent license fee under (1) of this subsection;
 13 (B) is under the age of 16;
 14 (C) is 60 years of age or older and has been a resident of the state for at
 15 least one year;
 16 (D) is a disabled veteran eligible for a free license under AS 16.05.341;
 17 or
 18 (E) qualifies for a \$5 license fee under (6) of this subsection.

19 (24) Nonresident king salmon tag \$20

20 A nonresident may not engage in sport fishing for king salmon without having the current
 21 year's king salmon tag in the person's actual possession.

22 * Sec. 14. AS 18.31.200 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

- 23 (g) The Department of Labor shall adopt by regulation a fee schedule for
 24 (1) review, approval, and certification of asbestos training certification programs
 25 and plans under this section; and
 26 (2) certification of a person employed to abate an asbestos health hazard.

27 * Sec. 15. AS 18.65.310(a) is amended to read:

28 (a) Upon payment of a \$10 [\$5] fee, the Department of Public Safety shall issue a card
 29 identical to the motor vehicle operator's license provided for in AS 28.15.111, except that the
 30 card shall be of a different color and shall state in bold type letters across the face of it that it
 31 is for identification purposes only.

1 * Sec. 16. AS 18.65.410 is amended to read:

2 Sec. 18.65.410. APPLICATIONS. Application for a license as a security guard or
3 security guard agency shall [MUST] be made on forms provided by the commissioner. The
4 application must require the furnishing of information reasonably required by the commissioner
5 to carry out the provisions of AS 18.65.400 - 18.65.490, including classifiable fingerprints to
6 enable the search of criminal indices for evidence of a prior criminal record. The application
7 must be accompanied by a nonrefundable application fee set by the commissioner by regulation
8 under AS 18.65.450 [OF \$50 FOR A SECURITY GUARD AND \$200 FOR A SECURITY
9 GUARD AGENCY].

10 * Sec. 17. AS 18.65.450 is amended to read:

11 Sec. 18.65.450. REGULATIONS. The commissioner shall adopt regulations necessary
12 to implement AS 18.65.400 - 18.65.490, including provisions specifying the amount of bond or
13 insurance required and the types of uniforms, badges, and insignia that may be used, and
14 establishing the application fees for security guards and security guard agencies.

15 * Sec. 18. AS 23.15.390 is amended to read:

16 Sec. 23.15.390. FEES. The fee for filing an application for a permit shall be set by the
17 department by regulation adopted under AS 23.15.500 [IS \$10]. All fees shall be deposited
18 in the general fund. In addition to paying this fee, all persons conducting employment agencies
19 must comply with the provisions of AS 43.70 (Alaska Business License Act).

20 * Sec. 19. AS 24.45.041(g) is amended to read:

21 (g) An application for registration as a lobbyist under (a) of this section or for renewal
22 of a registration under (f) of this section is subject to a fee set by the commission by regulation
23 [OF \$100]. The commission may not accept an application for registration or renew a
24 registration until the fee is paid. This subsection does not apply to a volunteer lobbyist under
25 AS 24.45.161 or a representational lobbyist under regulations of the commission.

26 * Sec. 20. AS 28.10.161(b) is amended to read:

27 (b) Every [AFTER JANUARY 1, 1979, EVERY] passenger vehicle registration plate,
28 except as specifically provided in AS 28.10.181, shall have displayed upon it

- 29 (1) the Alaska flag;
30 (2) the traditional colors of yellow-gold and blue;
31 (3) the slogan "The Last Frontier";

1 (4) the registration number assigned to the vehicle for which it is issued;
2 (5) the name of this state, which may be abbreviated; and
3 (6) the registration year number or expiration date for which time it is validated;
4 the registration year number or expiration date may be part of the license plate or contained on
5 a suitable sticker or tab device issued by the department; however, only one sticker or tab
6 device may be issued for each pair of plates and the sticker or tab device must be affixed
7 to the rear plate.

8 * Sec. 21. AS 33.30.031(a) is amended to read:

9 (a) The commissioner shall determine the availability of state correctional facilities
10 suitable for the detention and confinement of persons held under authority of state law or under
11 agreement entered into under (e) of this section. If the commissioner determines that suitable
12 state correctional facilities are not available, the commissioner may enter into an agreement with
13 a public or private entity [AGENCY] to provide necessary facilities. Correctional facilities
14 provided through agreement with a public or private entity [AGENCY] may be in this state or
15 in another state. [CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES PROVIDED THROUGH AGREEMENT
16 WITH A PRIVATE AGENCY MUST BE LOCATED IN THIS STATE.] The commissioner
17 may not enter into an agreement with an entity [AGENCY] unable to provide a degree of
18 custody, care, and discipline similar to that required by the laws of this state. AS 33.36.020 and
19 33.36.070 do not apply to contracts entered into under this section.

20 * Sec. 22. AS 33.30.231 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

21 (d) Notwithstanding (a) of this section, the department may contract under AS 36.30 for
22 telephone services for use by a prisoner.

23 * Sec. 23. AS 36.20.100(b) is amended to read:

24 (b) Competitive sealed bidding is not required

25 (1) when the commissioner determines in writing that food, clothing, or medical
26 supplies, or supplies [MATERIALS] for use in laboratory or medical studies may be purchased
27 otherwise to the best advantage of the state;

28 (2) [WHEN RATES ARE FIXED BY LAW OR ORDINANCE;

29 (3)] for the purchase of products or services manufactured or provided by an
30 employment program; or

31 (3) [(4)] for the purchase of products or services provided by the correctional

1 industries program established under AS 33.32 [;

2 (5) FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES; OR

3 (6) FOR CONCESSIONS OPERATED ON STATE PROPERTY].

4 * Sec. 24. AS 36.30.320(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) A procurement for supplies, services, or construction that does not exceed an
6 aggregate dollar amount of \$25,000 [\$10,000] may be made in accordance with regulations
7 adopted by the commissioner for small procurements.

8 * Sec. 25. AS 36.30.850(b)(20) is amended to read:

9 (20) contracts for supplies or services for research projects or equipment funded
10 by money received from the federal government or private grants;

11 * Sec. 26. AS 36.30.850(b) is amended by adding new paragraphs to read:

12 (23) disposals of supplies acquired through foreclosure of loans issued under
13 AS 03.10;

14 (24) purchases of curatorial and conservation services to maintain, preserve, and
15 interpret

16 (A) objects of art; and

17 (B) items having cultural, historical, or archaeological significance to the
18 state;

19 (25) acquisition of confidential seismic survey data necessary for pre-sale oil and
20 gas lease analyses under AS 38.05.180;

21 (26) contracts for village public safety officers;

22 (27) purchases of supplies and services to support the operations of the Alaska
23 state troopers or the division of fish and wildlife protection if the procurement officer for the
24 Department of Public Safety makes a written determination that publicity of the purchases would
25 jeopardize the safety of personnel or the success of a covert operation;

26 (28) expenditures when rates are set by law or ordinance;

27 (29) construction of new vessels by the Department of Transportation and Public
28 Facilities for the Alaska marine highway system.

29 * Sec. 27. AS 37.10.050(a) is amended to read:

30 (a) A state agency may not charge for [THE PROVISION OF] state services, materials,
31 licenses, registrations, permits, application processing, the use of state facilities, or other

1 state activities unless the charge (1) is set or otherwise authorized by statute; and (2) where a
2 regulation is necessary, is set by or provided for in a regulation that meets the standards of
3 AS 44.62.020 and 44.62.030. A fee or other charge that is set by regulation may not exceed the
4 estimated actual costs of the state agency in administering the activity or providing the service
5 unless otherwise provided by the statute under which the regulation is adopted; this limitation
6 does not apply to sales of property by a state agency. Unless specifically exempted by statute,
7 a state agency authorized to collect or receive fees, licenses, taxes, or other money belonging to
8 the state shall account for and remit the receipts, less fees to which the collector is entitled by
9 statute or regulation, to the Department of Revenue at least once each month. The commissioner
10 of administration shall separately account under AS 37.05.142 for receipts deposited under this
11 subsection.

12 * Sec. 28. AS 37.10.050 is amended by adding new subsections to read:

13 (d) Each state agency shall annually review fees and charges collected by the agency.
14 If a fee that is set by an agency by regulation does not pay for the estimated actual costs of
15 administering the activity or providing the service or material, the agency shall adjust the fee to
16 that level. If an agency regulates an activity or provides a service or material and another agency
17 is authorized to set fees by regulation for the costs of regulating the activity or providing the
18 service or material, the other agency shall consider the recommendations of the agency regarding
19 the setting of fee levels and adjustment of fee levels so that they comply with this subsection.
20 If the adjustment of a fee results in a substantial increase, the agency may set a schedule to phase
21 in the increase over a period of time. By October 1, each state agency shall submit a report to
22 the office of management and budget regarding existing fee levels set by the agency by
23 regulation and adjustments made to fee levels by the agency during the previous fiscal year, and
24 recommended increases in fees set by statute that the agency collects. Each year by January 1,
25 the office of management and budget shall submit a report to the Legislative Budget and Audit
26 Committee summarizing the reports and recommendations. Within 30 days after the convening
27 of each regular session of the legislature, the committee shall report to the legislature the status
28 of fee regulations and make recommendations for statutory changes.

29 (e) In this section, "agency" means a board, commission, or agency in the legislative,
30 judicial, or executive branch, but does not include the University of Alaska or a public
31 corporation.

1 * Sec. 29. AS 37.17.030(b) is amended to read:

2 (b) In addition to endowment income, the foundation may receive individual.
3 foundation, or corporate gifts, grants, or bequests that by their terms are restricted to a
4 particular purpose [AND OTHER AID]. The foundation may accumulate income, gifts, grants,
5 and bequests [OTHER AID] from any one year and distribute them in a later year.

6 * Sec. 30. AS 37.17.030(c) is amended to read:

7 (c) The administrative expenses of the foundation are subject to AS 37.07 and shall be
8 paid from the income of the endowment. The legislature may appropriate income of the
9 endowment for payment of the administrative expenses of the Alaska Aerospace
10 Development Corporation established under AS 14.40.821 and the agricultural and forestry
11 experiment station research centers of the University of Alaska.

12 * Sec. 31. AS 38.05.057(d) is amended to read:

13 (d) To apply for participation in a lottery under this section an applicant shall

14 (1) be qualified under the applicable provisions of this section and certify that fact
15 in the application; and

16 (2) pay a nonrefundable application fee [OF NOT MORE THAN \$25] for each
17 application; the fee shall be set by the commissioner by regulation.

18 * Sec. 32. AS 38.05.075(a) is amended to read:

19 (a) Except as provided in AS 38.05.035, 38.05.070, 38.05.073, 38.05.079, 38.05.082,
20 38.05.083, 38.05.087, 38.05.102, 38.05.810, [AS 38.05.087] and this section, leasing shall be
21 made at public auction to the highest qualified bidder as determined by the commissioner. In
22 the public notice of a lease to be offered at public auction, the commissioner shall specify
23 a minimum acceptable bid and the lease compensation method. The lease compensation
24 method shall be designed to maximize the return on the lease to the state and shall be a
25 form of compensation set out in AS 38.05.073(m). An aggrieved bidder may appeal to the
26 commissioner within five days for a review of the determination. The leasing shall be conducted
27 by the commissioner and the successful bidder shall deposit at the auction the first year's rental
28 or other lease compensation as specified by the commissioner, or that portion of it that the
29 commissioner requires in accordance with the bid. The commissioner shall require, under
30 AS 38.05.860, qualified bidders to deposit a sum equal to any survey or appraisal costs
31 reasonably incurred by another qualified bidder acting in accordance with the regulations of the

1 commissioner or incurred by the department under AS 38.04.045 and AS 38.05.840. If a
2 bidder making a deposit of survey or appraisal costs is determined by the commissioner to be the
3 highest qualified bidder under this subsection, the deposit shall be paid to the unsuccessful bidder
4 who incurred those costs or to the department if the department incurred the costs. [ANY
5 SURVEY OR APPRAISAL COSTS REASONABLY INCURRED BY A QUALIFIED BIDDER
6 UNDER THE REGULATIONS OF THE COMMISSIONER OR DEPOSITED UNDER THIS
7 SUBSECTION MUST BE CREDITED UNDER THE FIRST AND THEN SUBSEQUENT
8 YEARS' RENTALS.] All costs for survey and appraisal shall be approved in advance in writing
9 by the commissioner. The commissioner shall immediately issue a receipt containing a description
10 of the land or interest leased, the price bid, and the terms of the lease [, AND THE AMOUNT
11 OF ANY CREDIT FOR SURVEY AND APPRAISAL COSTS] to the successful qualified
12 bidder. If the receipt is not accepted in writing by the bidder under this subsection, the
13 commissioner may offer the land for lease again under this subsection. A lease, on a form
14 approved by the attorney general, shall be signed by the successful bidder and by the
15 commissioner within the period specified in the auction notice [30 DAYS AFTER THE
16 AUCTION].

17 * Sec. 33. AS 38.05.075(f) is amended to read:

18 (f) If, after completion of the procedures required by (e) of this section, the
19 commissioner determines that there is only one qualified bidder, the [THE] commissioner
20 may issue a lease without competitive bidding at the approved, appraised market value of the
21 land determined under AS 38.05.840 or by another form of lease compensation specified by
22 the commissioner from among those set out in AS 38.05.073(m) and designed to maximize
23 the return on the lease to the state [IF, AFTER COMPLETION OF THE PROCEDURES
24 REQUIRED BY (E) OF THIS SECTION, THE COMMISSIONER DETERMINES THAT
25 THERE IS ONLY ONE QUALIFIED BIDDER]. The commissioner may establish terms and
26 conditions for entry to the land pending survey and appraisal of the land. The commissioner
27 shall issue the lease as soon as is practicable following the survey and appraisal of the land
28 subject to the provisions of AS 38.05.035(e).

29 * Sec. 34. AS 38.05.085(c) is amended to read:

30 (c) The lessee shall make advance payments of the annual rent or other form of lease
31 compensation specified by the commissioner or that portion of it [AS] the [DIRECTOR, WITH

1 THE APPROVAL OF THE] commissioner [,] may require.

2 * Sec. 35. AS 38.05.105(a) is amended to read:

3 (a) Each lease shall stipulate that [AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE INITIAL 25-YEAR
4 PERIOD OF THE LEASE AND] at five-y. or intervals as specified in the lease [OF 10 YEARS
5 THEREAFTER] the annual rent payment or other form of lease compensation specified by the
6 commissioner is subject to adjustment. Changes [CHARGES] or adjustments shall be based
7 primarily on changes in the lease's [AN ADJUSTED] fair market value. However, if the
8 commissioner [DIRECTOR] determines that single-family residential development is the best
9 use of the land, the reappraisal period may be lengthened or the readjustment waived in
10 accordance with regulations adopted by the department. Before a waiver of rent adjustment is
11 issued, the land shall have a current reappraisal. A waiver is valid only if single-family
12 residential development actually occurs. The regulations adopted under this section shall ensure
13 that the state receives a fair return from the land.

14 * Sec. 36. AS 38.05.860(a) is amended to read:

15 (a) The commissioner [DIRECTOR] may require an applicant seeking the sale, lease,
16 or other disposal of land or an interest in land, other than under an oil and gas or mineral lease,
17 to deposit an amount covering the estimated cost of an appraisal, survey, and other costs
18 necessary to offer the land or interest in land, including advertising. All deposited funds not
19 expended shall be refunded to the applicant. If the land or interest in land is awarded [SOLD
20 OR LEASED] to a person other than the applicant making the deposit, the person [PARTY]
21 awarded the land shall pay the total actual cost incurred by the department in making the
22 disposal [OF APPRAISING AND SURVEYING THE LAND, TOGETHER WITH THE TOTAL
23 ACTUAL COST OF ADVERTISING], and the deposit shall be returned to the original applicant.
24 In lieu of requiring the deposit under this subsection, the commissioner may enter into an
25 agreement with an applicant seeking land or an interest in land requiring the applicant to
26 reimburse the department for costs incurred in the disposal if the applicant is awarded the
27 land or interest in land.

28 * Sec. 37. AS 38.08.030(b) is amended to read:

29 (b) Fees for filing an application shall be set by the commissioner by regulation [MAY
30 NOT EXCEED \$10].

31 * Sec. 38. AS 38.50 is amended by adding a new section to read:

1 Sec. 38.50.025. COSTS OF EXCHANGE; FEES. (a) The director shall charge a party
2 proposing an exchange of land under this chapter a nonrefundable application fee.

3 (b) In addition to the fee under (a) of this section, the costs of an exchange of land under
4 this chapter, including survey, appraisal, advertising, and public hearing expenses that are
5 incurred by the department, shall be charged to the party proposing the exchange as a processing
6 fee.

7 (c) The commissioner shall adopt regulations to implement this section.

8 * Sec. 39. AS 41.21.020(a) is amended to read:

9 (a) The department shall

10 (1) develop a continuing plan for the conservation and maximum use in the public
11 interest of the scenic, historic, archaeological, scientific, biological, and recreational resources of
12 the state;

13 (2) plan for and develop a system of state parks and recreational facilities, to be
14 established as the legislature authorizes and directs;

15 (3) acquire by gift, purchase, or transfer from state or federal agencies, or from
16 individuals, corporations, partnerships or associations, land necessary, suitable and proper for
17 roadside, picnic, recreational, or park purposes;

18 (4) [~~CONTROL,~~] develop, manage, and maintain state parks and recreational
19 areas;

20 (5) provide for the acquisition, care, management [~~CONTROL~~], supervision,
21 improvement, development, extension, and maintenance of public recreational land, and make
22 necessary arrangements, contracts, or commitments for the improvement and development of land
23 acquired under AS 41.21.010 - 41.21.040; contracting for improvement and development under
24 this paragraph is governed by AS 36.30 (State Procurement Code);

25 (6) adopt, in accordance with this section and the Administrative Procedure Act
26 (AS 44.62), regulations governing the use and designating incompatible uses within the
27 boundaries of state park and recreational areas to protect the property and to preserve the peace;

28 (7) cooperate with the United States and its agencies and local subdivisions of the
29 state to secure the effective supervision, improvement, development, extension, and maintenance
30 of state parks, state monuments, state historical areas, and state recreational areas, and secure
31 agreements or contracts for the purpose of AS 41.21.010 - 41.21.040;

1 (8) encourage the organization of state public park and recreational activities in
2 the local political subdivisions of the state;

3 (9) provide for consulting service designed to develop local park and recreation
4 facilities and programs;

5 (10) provide clearinghouse services for other state agencies concerned with park
6 and recreation matters;

7 (11) perform other duties as are prescribed by executive order or by law;

8 (12) maintain memorials to Alaska veterans located in state parks; and

9 (13) adopt, in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act (AS 44.62),
10 regulations governing the use of the Chena River State Recreation Area and designating
11 incompatible uses within the boundaries of the Chena River State Recreation Area in accordance
12 with AS 41.21.490; and

13 (14) accept cash and other donations from public or private sources to assist
14 and support the department in carrying out the purposes of this chapter.

15 * Sec. 40. AS 41.21.026(a) is amended to read:

16 (a) Notwithstanding (b) of this section, the [THE] department may charge or collect
17 a fee in a park unit for

18 (1) rental of public use cabins or other overnight lodgings;

19 (2) overnight use of a developed campsite;

20 (3) special park use permits;

21 (4) competitive and exclusive commercial use permits;

22 (5) noncompetitive and nonexclusive commercial use permits;

23 (6) use of a sewage holding tank dump station;

24 (7) admission to or guided tours of visitor centers or historic sites; [AND]

25 (8) use of an improved boat ramp in a park facility developed principally for boat
26 launching;

27 (9) sale of firewood;

28 (10) use of a developed trailhead, access site, or picnic site, that has parking,
29 rest rooms, and refuse collection; and

30 (11) the presentation or attendance at programs related to natural or cultural
31 history, outdoor skills or education, or other topics concerned with public use, enjoyment,

1 or understanding of parks.

2 * Sec. 41. AS 42.05 is amended by adding a new section to read:

3 Sec. 42.05.253. PUBLIC UTILITY REGULATORY COST CHARGE. (a) A regulated
4 public utility operating in the state shall pay to the commission an annual regulatory cost charge
5 in an amount not to exceed .61 percent of gross revenue derived from operations in the state, as
6 modified under (c) of this section if appropriate. An exempt utility shall pay the actual cost of
7 services provided to it by the commission.

8 (b) The commission shall by regulation establish a method to determine annually the
9 amount of the regulatory cost charge for a public utility. If the amount the commission expects
10 to collect under (a) of this section and under AS 42.06.285(a) exceeds the authorized budget of
11 the commission, the commission shall, by order, reduce the percentages set out in (a) of this
12 section so that the total amount of the fees collected approximately equals the authorized budget
13 of the commission for the fiscal year.

14 (c) In determining the amount of the regulatory cost charge imposed under (a) of this
15 section,

16 (1) a utility selling utility services at wholesale shall modify its gross revenue by
17 deducting payments it receives for wholesale sales;

18 (2) a local exchange telephone utility shall modify its gross revenue by deducting
19 payments received from other carriers for settlements or access charges.

20 (d) The commission shall calculate the total regulatory cost charges to be levied against
21 all regulated electric utilities under this section. The commission shall allocate the total amount
22 among the regulated electric utilities by using an equal charge per kilowatt hour sold at retail.

23 (e) The commission shall administer, collect, and enforce the charge imposed under this
24 section.

25 (f) The commission shall allow a public utility to recover all payments made to the
26 commission under this section. The commission may not require a public utility to file a rate
27 case in order to be eligible to recover the regulatory cost charge.

28 (g) The commission may adopt regulations under AS 44.62 (Administrative Procedure
29 Act) necessary to administer this section, including requirements and procedures for reporting
30 information and making quarterly payments, for investigating the accuracy of filed information,
31 and for collecting required payments.

1 (h) In this section,

2 (1) "exempt utility" means a public utility that is certificated by the commission
3 under AS 42.05.221 - 42.05.281 but, in accordance with AS 42.05.711, is exempt from other
4 regulatory requirements of this chapter;

5 (2) "gross revenue" means the total operating revenue from intrastate services, as
6 shown in a utility's annual report required by the commission by regulation;

7 (3) "regulated utility" means a public utility that is certificated by the commission
8 under AS 42.05.221 - 42.05.281 and that is subject to the other regulatory requirements of this
9 chapter;

10 (4) "wholesale sales" means sales to another utility for resale under circumstances
11 that make revenue from the resale subject to the regulatory cost charge imposed under this
12 section.

13 * Sec. 42. AS 42.05.651(a) is amended to read:

14 (a) During [AFTER COMPLETION OF] a hearing or investigation held under this
15 chapter, the commission may [SHALL] allocate the costs of the hearing or investigation among
16 the parties, including the commission, as is just under the circumstances. In allocating costs, the
17 commission shall consider the regulatory cost charge paid by a utility under AS 42.05.253
18 and may consider the results, ability to pay, evidence of good faith, other relevant factors, and
19 mitigating circumstances. The costs allocated may include the costs of any time devoted to the
20 investigation or hearing by hired consultants, whether or not the consultants appear as witnesses
21 or participants. The costs allocated may also include any out-of-pocket expenses incurred by the
22 commission in the particular proceeding. The commission shall provide an opportunity for any
23 person objecting to an allocation to be heard before the allocation becomes final.

24 * Sec. 43. AS 42.05.661 is amended to read:

25 Sec. 42.05.661. APPLICATION FEES. With each application relating to a certificate
26 the applicant shall pay the commission a fee set by the commission by regulation that [OF \$50
27 WHICH] shall be deposited in the general fund of the state.

28 * Sec. 44. AS 42.06 is amended by adding a new section to read:

29 Sec. 42.06.285. PIPELINE CARRIER REGULATORY COST CHARGE. (a) A pipeline
30 carrier operating in the state shall pay to the commission an annual regulatory cost charge in an
31 amount not to exceed .61 percent of gross revenue derived from operations in the state.

1 (b) The commission shall by regulation establish a method to determine annually the
2 amount of the regulatory cost charge. If the amount the commission expects to collect under (a)
3 of this section and under AS 42.05.253(a) exceeds the authorized budget of the commission, the
4 commission shall, by order, reduce the percentage set out in (a) of this section so that the total
5 amount of the fees collected approximately equals the authorized budget of the commission for
6 the fiscal year.

7 (c) The commission shall administer, collect, and enforce the charge imposed under this
8 section.

9 (d) The commission may adopt regulations under AS 44.62 (Administrative Procedure
10 Act) necessary to administer this section, including requirements and procedures for reporting
11 information and making quarterly payments, for investigating the accuracy of filed information,
12 and for collecting required payments.

13 (e) In this section, "gross revenue" means the total intrastate operating revenue as shown
14 in a pipeline carrier's annual report required by the commission by regulation.

15 * Sec. 45. AS 42.06.610(a) is amended to read:

16 (a) During a proceeding held under this chapter, the commission may [SHALL] allocate
17 the cost of the proceeding among the parties, including the commission, as is just under the
18 circumstances. In allocating costs, the commission shall consider the regulatory cost charge
19 paid directly or indirectly under AS 42.06.285. The costs allocated may include the costs of
20 any time devoted to investigations or hearings by hired consultants, whether or not the
21 consultants appear as witnesses or participants. The commission shall provide an opportunity for
22 any person objecting to an allocation to be heard before the allocation becomes final.

23 * Sec. 46. AS 44.19.024 is amended to read:

24 Sec. 44.19.024. FEES FOR ISSUING CERTIFICATE. For issuing each certificate with
25 the seal of the state affixed, the lieutenant governor shall collect a fee set by the lieutenant
26 governor by regulation [OF \$2 FOR THE FIRST THREE FOLIOS OR LESS AND 20 CENTS
27 PER FOLIO FOR EACH ADDITIONAL FOLIO]. The lieutenant governor shall account for the
28 fees received under this section and shall pay them into the general fund [STATE TREASURY].

29 * Sec. 47. AS 44.21.310(b) is amended to read:

30 (b) The department may

31 (1) coordinate its functions with local, regional, state, and federal officials, private

1 groups and individuals, and with officials of other countries, provinces, and states;

2 (2) enter into contracts and subcontracts on behalf of the state to carry out the
3 provisions of AS 44.21.305 - AS 44.21.330;

4 (3) act for the state in the initiation, investigation, and evaluation of, or
5 participation in, programs related to the purposes of the department that [WHICH] involve more
6 than one government or governmental unit;

7 (4) on behalf of the state, apply for, accept, and expend gifts or grants made to
8 the state if the gifts or grants are for the purposes of furthering the objectives of the department;
9 [AND]

10 (5) hold public hearings to obtain information for the purpose of carrying out the
11 provisions of AS 44.21.305 - 44.21.330; and

12 (6) provide telecommunication services to commercial entities for television
13 broadcast and charge for those services.

14 * Sec. 48. AS 44.28 is amended by adding new sections to read:

15 Sec. 44.28.040. FEES. Notwithstanding AS 09.25.110 - 09.25.130, the department may
16 establish by regulation and may charge reasonable fees for

17 (1) training; and

18 (2) departmental publications and research data to cover the cost of reproduction,
19 printing, mailing, and distribution.

20 Sec. 44.28.090. DEFINITIONS. In this chapter,

21 (1) "commissioner" means the commissioner of corrections;

22 (2) "department" means the Department of Corrections.

23 * Sec. 49. AS 44.37.025(c) is amended to read:

24 (c) The department, with the concurrence of the administrative director of courts, may
25 appoint judicial employees to perform services in connection with recording, providing access
26 to, and copying documents in locations where the department has not otherwise designated a
27 public office [NO EMPLOYEES AVAILABLE] to perform those functions.

28 * Sec. 50. AS 44.50.040 is amended to read:

29 Sec. 44.50.040. FEES. A fee set by the lieutenant governor by regulation [OF \$40]
30 shall be paid to the lieutenant governor for each commission issued to a person other than a state
31 employee.

1 * Sec. 51. AS 44.83.080 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

2 (17) to adopt regulations establishing fees under which the authority may be
3 reimbursed for services or recover equity investments or capital costs for projects and activities
4 described in (5), (6), and (8) of this section under agreements described in (7) - (11) of this
5 section, or under other agreements that relate to the projects or covenants or representations made
6 in bond documents that relate to the projects or loan programs.

7 * Sec. 52. AS 45.55.195(b) is amended to read:

8 (b) The administrator may by regulation [OR ORDER] adopt a schedule of charges for
9 annual examination fees of issuers, broker-dealers, agents, and investment advisers.

10 * Sec. 53. AS 46.15 is amended by adding new sections to read:

11 Sec. 46.15.035. APPROPRIATION OR REMOVAL OF WATER OUT OF
12 HYDROLOGIC UNITS TO OTHER HYDROLOGIC UNITS; WATER CONSERVATION FEE;
13 RESERVATION OF WATER FOR FISH. (a) Water may not be removed from the hydrologic
14 unit from which it was appropriated to another hydrologic unit, inside or outside the state,
15 without being returned to the hydrologic unit from which it was appropriated nor may water be
16 appropriated for removal from the hydrologic unit from which the appropriation is sought to
17 another hydrologic unit, inside or outside the state, without the water being returned to the
18 hydrologic unit from which it is to be appropriated, unless the commissioner

19 (1) finds that the water to be removed or appropriated for removal is surplus to
20 needs within the hydrologic unit from which the water is to be removed or appropriated for
21 removal;

22 (2) finds that the application for removal or appropriation for removal meets the
23 requirements of AS 46.15.080; and

24 (3) assesses a water conservation fee under (b) of this section.

25 (b) The commissioner shall establish, by regulation, a water conservation fee for a use
26 of water in which the water is removed from the hydrologic unit from which it was appropriated
27 to another hydrologic unit inside or outside the state, without the water being returned to the
28 hydrologic unit from which it was appropriated. The fee established under this subsection shall
29 be graduated to encourage the conservation of water.

30 (c) Except as provided in AS 46.15.090, and in addition to the requirements of (a) of this
31 section, the commissioner may approve an application for removal or permit an appropriation for

1 removal under (a) of this section of water from a lake, river, or stream that is used by fish for
2 spawning, incubation, rearing, or migration, or ground water that significantly influences the
3 volume of water in a lake, river, or stream that is used by fish for spawning, incubation, rearing,
4 or migration, only if the commissioner reserves a volume of water in the lake or an instream flow
5 in the river or stream for the use of fish and to maintain habitat for fish. The commissioner may
6 adjust the volume of water reserved under this subsection if the commissioner, after public notice
7 and opportunity to comment and with the concurrence of the commissioner of fish and game,
8 finds that the best interests of the state are served by the adjustment. A reservation under this
9 subsection

10 (1) of a volume of water or an instream flow for the use of fish and to maintain
11 habitat for fish that is reserved under this section is withdrawn from appropriation;

12 (2) for fish from a lake, river, or stream, identified under AS 16.05.870 or
13 identified in a Department of Fish and Game regional guide as being used by fish for spawning,
14 incubation, rearing, or migration on or before the effective date of this section, has a priority date
15 as of the effective date of this section;

16 (3) of water does not apply to an application for removal or appropriation for
17 removal under AS 46.15.040 for nonconsumptive uses of water or for single family domestic use;

18 (4) is not subject to AS 46.15.145;

19 (5) of water does not apply to appropriations of ground water of 5,000 gallons
20 or less a day unless the commissioner, in consultation with the Department of Fish and Game,
21 determines that the appropriation may adversely affect fish habitat in a lake, river, or stream; the
22 commissioner shall consider multiple appropriations of water for a single related use as a single
23 appropriation for the purposes of this subsection.

24 (d) In this section,

25 (1) "fish" means a species of anadromous or freshwater fish that may be taken
26 under regulations of the Board of Fisheries;

27 (2) "hydrologic unit" means either a hydrologic unit or subunit established by the
28 United States Geologic Survey on current hydrologic unit maps of the state.

29 Sec. 46.15.037. SALE OF WATER BY THE STATE. (a) The commissioner may
30 provide for the sale of water by the state if

31 (1) the water has first been appropriated to the state in accordance with the

1 requirements of this chapter, and

2 (2) the commissioner determines that

3 (A) the water is surplus to needs within the hydrologic unit from which
4 it was appropriated;

5 (B) the proposed sale of the water meets the requirements of
6 AS 46.15.080; and

7 (C) the sale price of the water is based upon the fair market value of the
8 water.

9 (b) A purchaser of water from the state under this section shall acquire only those
10 contractual rights to the water set out in sale documents prepared by the commissioner except
11 that a sale of water by the state does not constitute an appropriation of water under this chapter
12 to the purchaser.

13 (c) If water to be sold by the state under (a) of this section, is to be removed from the
14 hydrologic unit from which it was appropriated to another hydrologic unit, inside or outside the
15 state, without being returned to the hydrologic unit from which it was appropriated, the
16 commissioner may not sell the water unless the sale meets the requirements of (a)(2) of this
17 section, a water conservation fee is assessed under AS 46.15.035, and, if the water to be sold is
18 from a lake, river, or stream that is used by fish for spawning, incubation, rearing, or migration
19 ground water that significantly influences the volume of water in a lake, river, or stream that is
20 used by fish for spawning, incubation, rearing, or migration, the commissioner reserves a volume
21 of water in the lake or an instream flow in the river or stream for the use of fish and to maintain
22 habitat for fish. The commissioner may adjust the volume of water reserved under this
23 subsection if the commissioner, after public notice and opportunity to comment and with the
24 concurrence of the commissioner of fish and game, finds that the best interests of the state are
25 served by the adjustment. A reservation under this subsection

26 (1) of a volume of water or an instream flow for the use of fish and to maintain
27 habitat for fish that is reserved under this section is withdrawn from appropriation;

28 (2) for fish from a lake, river, or stream, identified under AS 16.05.870 or
29 identified in a Department of Fish and Game regional guide as being used by fish for spawning,
30 incubation, rearing, or migration on or before the effective date of this section, has a priority date
31 as of the effective date of this section;

1 (3) is not subject to AS 46.15.145;

2 (4) of water does not apply to appropriations of ground water of 5,000 gallons
3 or less a day unless the commissioner, in consultation with the Department of Fish and Game,
4 determines that the appropriation may adversely affect fish habitat in a lake, river, or stream; the
5 commissioner shall consider multiple appropriations of water for a single related use as a single
6 appropriation for the purposes of this subsection.

7 (d) In this section,

8 (1) "fish" means a species of anadromous or freshwater fish that may be taken
9 under regulations of the Board of Fisheries;

10 (2) "hydrologic unit" has the meaning given in AS 46.15.035(d).

11 (e) The commissioner may not provide for the sale of salt water under this section.

12 * Sec. 54. AS 46.15.133 is amended to read:

13 Sec. 46.15.133. NOTICES; OBJECTIONS. (a) If the commissioner proposes a sale
14 of water or receives [UPON RECEIPT OF] an application for appropriation or removal, the
15 commissioner shall prepare a notice containing the location and extent of the proposed sale,
16 appropriation, or removal, the name and address of the applicant, if applicable, and other
17 information the commissioner considers pertinent. The notice shall state that within 15 days of
18 publication or service of notice, persons may file with the director written objections, stating the
19 name and address of the objector, and any facts tending to show that rights of the objector or the
20 public interest would be adversely affected by the proposed sale, appropriation, or removal.

21 (b) The commissioner shall publish the notice [AT THE APPLICANT'S EXPENSE] in
22 one issue of a newspaper of general distribution in the area of the state in which the water is to
23 be appropriated. The commissioner shall also have notice served personally or by certified mail
24 upon an appropriator of water or applicant for or holder of a permit who, according to the records
25 of the division of lands, may be affected by the proposed sale, appropriation, or removal and
26 may serve notice upon any governmental agency, political subdivision, or person; notice shall
27 also be served upon the Department of Fish and Game and the Department of Environmental
28 Conservation. An applicant for an appropriation or removal shall pay the commissioner's
29 costs in providing publication and notice under this subsection. The commissioner may
30 require as a condition of a sale of water under AS 46.15.037, that a purchaser of water
31 reimburse the department for the costs associated with providing notice of the proposed

1 sale.

2 (c) Within 15 days of publication or service of notice, an interested person may file an
3 objection. The commissioner may hold hearings upon giving due notice and shall grant, deny,
4 or condition the proposed sale or application for appropriation or removal in whole or in part
5 within 30 days of receipt of the last objection or, if the commissioner elects to hold hearings,
6 within 180 days of receipt of the last objection. Notice of the order or decision shall be served
7 personally or mailed to any person who has filed an objection.

8 (d) If no objection is filed, the commissioner may proceed to make a determination upon
9 the application for appropriation or removal or the proposal for sale.

10 (e) A person aggrieved by the action of the commissioner or by the failure of the
11 commissioner to grant, deny, or condition a proposed sale or an application for appropriation
12 or removal in accordance with (c) of this section may appeal to the superior court.

13 (f) The commissioner may, by regulation, designate types of appropriations that are
14 exempt from this section and provide simplified procedures for ruling on the applications. The
15 commissioner may not exempt under this subsection appropriations for removal under
16 AS 46.15.035, appropriations by the state for sale or sales by the state under AS 46.15.037,
17 or removals of water under AS 46.15.035 and 46.15.037.

18 * Sec. 55. Section 4, ch. 81, SLA 1981, as amended by sec. 1, ch. 25, SLA 1988, is amended to read:

19 Sec. 4. Section 3 of this Act takes effect July 1, 1997 [JUNE 30, 1998].

20 * Sec. 56. Section 3, ch. 95, SLA 1989, is amended to read:

21 Sec. 3. EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING PROGRAM FUND
22 [ACCOUNT]. The employment assistance and training program fund [ACCOUNT] is
23 established in the department. Deposits into the fund are not general fund program receipts
24 [GENERAL FUND. THE COMMISSIONER OF ADMINISTRATION SHALL SEPARATELY
25 ACCOUNT FOR MONEY COLLECTED UNDER SEC. 4 OF THIS ACT THAT THE
26 DEPARTMENT DEPOSITED IN THE GENERAL FUND]. The annual estimated balance in
27 the fund [ACCOUNT] may be appropriated by the legislature to the department to implement
28 this Act. If the entire estimated balance is not used to implement this Act during a fiscal
29 year, the [THE] legislature may make appropriations from the employment assistance and
30 training fund [APPROPRIATE THE LAPSING BALANCE OF THE ACCOUNT] to the
31 unemployment compensation fund established in AS 23.20.130.

1 * Sec. 57. AS 05.10.120(b); AS 28.10.161(c); AS 33.30.031(b), 33.30.031(c), 33.30.031(d);
2 AS 38.05.085(a), 38.05.085(b), 38.05.085(g), and 38.05.105(b) are repealed.

3 * Sec. 58. MATERIAL SITES USED FOR TIMBER OPERATIONS. Material sites used for timber
4 operations are subject to regulation under AS 41.17. AS 27.19 does not apply to material sites used for
5 timber operations.

6 * Sec. 59. TRANSITIONAL FEES. Except as provided in sec. 60 of this Act, a fee set by a statute
7 that is amended or repealed by this Act remains in effect until a regulation setting a new fee to replace
8 that fee takes effect.

9 * Sec. 60. TEMPORARY FEES IN STATE PARKS. (a) The following fees apply for the following
10 activities in units of the state park system until the Department of Natural Resources adopts a regulation
11 under AS 41.21.026(c) that establishes a fee for that activity:

- 12 (1) sale of firewood \$4 per bundle;
- 13 (2) use of a developed trailhead, access site, or picnic site, that has parking, rest rooms,
14 and refuse collection \$2 per vehicle, or \$25 for an annual pass;
- 15 (3) admission to visitor centers or historic sites \$1 per person.

16 (b) The commissioner of natural resources shall notify the revisor of statutes when a regulation
17 is adopted that establishes a fee for an activity described under (a) of this section.

18 * Sec. 61. Sections 58 and 60 of this Act are repealed July 1, 1994.

19 * Sec. 62. Section 13 of this Act takes effect January 1, 1993.

20 * Sec. 63. Except as provided in sec. 62 of this Act, this Act takes effect July 1, 1992.

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~~amended~~

AMENDMENTS INCLUDED IN THE 5/7/92 WORK DRAFT SCS CSHB 572(FIN)

TOPIC	SPONSOR	DATE
SB 474	STURGULEWSKI	
CONTRACT FACILITIES	CORRECTIONS	5/2/92
OCC LICENSING/FEE LANGUAGE	POURCHOT/STURGULEWSKI	5/5/92
L B & A	LEG FIN	5/2/92
ELECTIONS	STURGULEWSKI	5/2/92
LAND EXCHANGE FEES	KERTTULA	5/2/92
AEA	POURCHOT	5/1/92
AQUATIC FARMING	ELIASON	5/2/92
FIREWORKS, SNOWMACHINES	DPS	5/2/92
AEROSPACE/ASTF DELETE	SFC COMMITTEE	5/2/92
CACFA SUNSET 7/1/93	SFC COMMITTEE	5/2/92

PREVIOUS AMENDMENTS OFFERED: NOT INCLUDED IN THE 5/7/92 WORK DRAFT:

APOC AMENDMENT	DUNCAN
AQUATIC FARMING INTENT LANGUAGE	ELIASON
ASTF AMENDMENT	POURCHOT
TITLE 38/ADDITIONAL DELETIONS	KERTTULA

AMENDMENTS ~~REMOVED 5/9/92~~ FOR FINANCE CS:

#	TOPIC	SPONSOR
1.	TECHNICAL REVISIONS "BY REGULATIONS"	STURGULEWSKI
2.	SMALL PROCUREMENTS	ADAMS
3.	MATERIAL SITES: FPA	ADAMS
6.	AMHS (ADDED TO AMENDMENT #2)	DUNCAN
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~~PROPOSED~~ FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION:

4.	DELETE REPEAL OF SHORE FISHERIES SITES	ADAMS
5.	APPROPRIATION OF WATER	SHULTZ
7.	RESERVATION OF WATER FOR FISH	HOFFMAN

*DNR TITLE 38. . . DNR, ADAMS, KERTTULA

*HYDROLOGIC UNITS. . . ELIASON - *withdrawn*

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SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 572 (FINANCE)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Offered:

Referred:

Sponsor(s): **HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE**

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the powers, duties, and operations of certain state agencies, including
2 those of the Alaska Science and Technology Foundation, those of the Citizen's Advisory
3 Commission on the Federal Areas in Alaska, the disposal or leasing of state land or
4 interests in state land, the management of public recreational land and the management
5 of state parks and recreation areas, vehicle registration, small procurements, the employment
6 assistance and training program fund, contracts for confinement of certain prisoners, and
7 the recording of public documents; and providing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 05.10.070 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 05.10.070. APPLICATION FOR LICENSE. A club, corporation, organization,
11 association, or fraternal society affected by this chapter may apply to the commission for a
12 license. An application must be in writing and upon a form prescribed by the commission and
13 must be verified in the manner the commission requires and accompanied by an annual license

1 fee set by the commission by regulation under AS 05.10.125 [OF \$100].

2 * Sec. 2. AS 05.10.120(a) is amended to read:

3 (a) The commission may grant annual licenses upon application in compliance with the
4 regulations adopted by the commission and the payment of the fees prescribed by regulation
5 under AS 05.10.125 for managers, referees, examining physicians, boxers, wrestlers, seconds,
6 and trainers.

7 * Sec. 3. AS 05.10 is amended by adding a new section to read:

8 Sec. 05.10.125. FEES. The commission shall establish by regulation the fees for licenses
9 issued by the commission under this chapter.

10 * Sec. 4. AS 06.01.010 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

11 (g) The commissioner may establish by regulation a fee for the filing of an application
12 required by this title. The fee is in addition to investigation expenses that may be charged to the
13 applicant.

14 * Sec. 5. AS 06.20.030(b) is amended to read:

15 (b) An applicant shall pay to the department at the time of submitting an application a
16 sum, in addition to that specified in (a) of this section, set by the commissioner by regulation
17 [OF \$200] as an annual license fee for a period terminating on the last day of the current
18 calendar year. If the application is filed after June 30, an [THE] additional sum set by the
19 commissioner by regulation shall be paid to the department [IS \$100].

20 * Sec. 6. AS 06.30.815 is amended to read:

21 Sec. 06.30.815. FEE FOR FILING COPY OF CHARTER OF FEDERAL SAVINGS
22 AND LOAN. A fee set by the commissioner under AS 06.01.010 [OF \$10] shall accompany
23 each copy of the charter of a federal savings and loan association or certificate showing the
24 organization by conversion.

25 * Sec. 7. AS 06.30.820 is amended to read:

26 Sec. 06.30.820. FEE FOR APPROVAL BY COMMISSIONER. The commissioner may
27 charge a fee set by regulation under AS 06.01.010 for [OF NOT EXCEEDING \$10 UPON]
28 each application submitted for the commissioner's approval under [, AS PROVIDED BY] this
29 chapter.

30 * Sec. 8. AS 06.40.040 is amended to read:

31 Sec. 06.40.040. ANNUAL LICENSE FEE. On or before December 20 of each year, each

1 licensee shall pay a fee established by the department by regulation [OF \$200] to the
2 department as an annual license fee for the next succeeding calendar year. At that same time the
3 licensee shall file with the department a new bond that complies with AS 06.40.030.

4 * Sec. 9. AS 08.01.065(c) is repealed and reenacted to read:

5 (c) The department shall establish fee levels under (a) of this section so that the total
6 amount of fees collected for an occupation approximately equals the actual regulatory costs for
7 the occupation. The department shall annually review each fee level to determine whether the
8 regulatory costs of each occupation are approximately equal to fee collections related to that
9 occupation. If the review indicates that an occupation's fee collections and regulatory costs are
10 not approximately equal, the department shall calculate fee adjustments and adopt regulations
11 under (a) of this section to implement the adjustments. In January of each year, the department
12 shall report on all fee levels and revisions for the previous year under this subsection to the office
13 of management and budget. If a board regulates an occupation covered by this chapter, the
14 department shall consider the board's recommendations concerning the occupation's fee levels
15 and regulatory costs before revising fee schedules to comply with this subsection. In this
16 subsection, "regulatory costs" means costs of the department that are attributable to regulation
17 of an occupation plus

18 (1) all expenses of the board that regulates the occupation if the board regulates
19 only one occupation;

20 (2) the expenses of a board that are attributable to the occupation if the board
21 regulates more than one occupation.

22 * Sec. 10. AS 10.06.843 is repealed and reenacted to read:

23 Sec. 10.06.843. REGULATIONS RELATING TO FEES. (a) The department shall
24 establish by regulation the fees specified or authorized in this chapter.

25 (b) The filing fee for a document not otherwise provided in this chapter shall be
26 established by the department by regulation.

27 (c) The department may by regulation charge a corporation subject to this chapter a fixed
28 fee, for routine administrative services rendered to a corporation by the department, that is in
29 place of the fees specified in this chapter. However, a fixed fee under this subsection may not
30 include the fees specified under AS 10.06.140 and 10.06.828, or the tax under AS 10.06.845.

31 * Sec. 11. AS 14.48.090(a) is repealed and reenacted to read:

- 1 (a) The commission shall establish by regulation and collect fees for
2 (1) authorization to operate;
3 (2) renewal of authorization to operate;
4 (3) an agent's permit; and
5 (4) renewal of an agent's permit.

6 * Sec. 12. AS 15.13.030 is amended to read:

7 Sec. 15.13.030. DUTIES OF THE COMMISSION. The commission shall

8 (1) develop and provide all forms for the reports and statements required to be
9 made under this chapter, AS 24.45, and AS 39.50;

10 (2) prepare and publish a manual setting out uniform methods of bookkeeping and
11 reporting for use by persons required to make reports and statements under this chapter and
12 otherwise assist candidates, groups, and individuals in complying with the requirements of this
13 chapter;

14 (3) receive and hold open for public inspection reports and statements required
15 to be made under this chapter and, upon request, furnish copies at cost to interested persons;

16 (4) compile and maintain a current list of all filed reports and statements;

17 (5) prepare a summary of each report filed under AS 15.13.110 and make copies
18 of this summary available to interested persons at their actual cost;

19 (6) notify, by registered or certified mail, all persons who are delinquent in filing
20 reports and statements required to be made under this chapter;

21 (7) report within 60 days after the election the names of all persons and groups
22 who have failed to comply with any of the provisions of this chapter to the office of the attorney
23 general;

24 (8) examine, investigate, and compare all reports, statements, and actions required
25 by this chapter, AS 24.45, and AS 39.50 and report to the attorney general the names of all
26 persons or groups that [WHICH] the commission has substantial reason to believe have violated
27 this chapter, AS 24.45, or AS 39.50;

28 (9) prepare and publish a biennial report to the legislature concerning the activities
29 of the commission, the effectiveness of this chapter, its enforcement by the attorney general's
30 office, and recommendations and proposals for change;

31 (10) adopt regulations necessary to implement and clarify the provisions of

1 AS 24.45, AS 39.50, and this chapter, subject to the provisions of the Administrative Procedure
2 Act (AS 44.62);

3 (11) establish by regulation a schedule of fees for reports, statements, and
4 filings and for services performed by the commission; a fee established under this
5 paragraph should reflect, but should not exceed, the actual costs to the commission of the
6 activity for which the fee is charged.

7 * Sec. 13. AS 16.05.340(a) is amended to read:

8 (a) Fees for licenses and tags are as follows:

9 (1) Resident sport fishing license \$ 15 [10]

10 However, the fee is 25 cents for a resident who is blind.

11 (2) Resident hunting license 25 [12]

12 (3) Resident hunting and trapping license 40 [22]

13 (4) Resident trapping license 15 [10]

14 (5) Resident hunting and sport fishing license 40 [22]

15 (6) Resident hunting, trapping, and sport fishing license 55 [32];

16 (A) however, the fee is \$5 for an applicant who

17 (i) is receiving or has received assistance during the preceding six
18 months under any state or federal welfare program to aid the indigent, or

19 (ii) has an annual family gross income of less than \$8,200 for the
20 year preceding application;

21 (B) a person paying \$5 for a resident hunting, trapping, and sport fishing
22 license must provide proof of eligibility under this paragraph when requested by the
23 departments.

24 (7) Nonresident special sport fishing license - valid for the period inscribed on
25 the license

26 (A) For 14-day license \$ 30

27 (B) For three-day license 15

28 (C) For one-day license 10

29 (8) Nonresident sport fishing license 50

30 (9) Nonresident hunting license 85

31 (10) Nonresident hunting and sport fishing license 135

1 A nonresident may not take a big game animal without previously purchasing a numbered,
 2 nontransferable, appropriate tag, issued under (15) of this subsection. The tag must be affixed
 3 to the animal immediately upon capture and must remain affixed until the animal is prepared for
 4 storage, consumed, or exported. A tag issued but not used for an animal may be used to satisfy
 5 the tagging requirement for an animal of any other species for which the tag fee is of equal or
 6 less value.

- 7 (11) Nonresident hunting and trapping license \$250
- 8 (12) Fur dealers
- 9 (A) Resident fur dealer biennial license 150
- 10 (B) Nonresident fur dealer biennial license 500
- 11 (13) Taxidermists
- 12 (A) Resident taxidermy biennial license 200
- 13 (B) Nonresident taxidermy biennial license 500
- 14 (14) Aquatic farming triennial license 400
- 15 (15) Nonresident big game tags
- 16 (A) Bear, black, each 225
- 17 (B) Bear, brown or grizzly, each 500
- 18 (C) Bison, each 450
- 19 (D) Caribou, each 325
- 20 (E) Deer, each 150
- 21 (F) Elk, each 300
- 22 (G) Goat, each 300
- 23 (H) Moose, each 400
- 24 (I) Sheep, each 425
- 25 (J) Wolf, each 175
- 26 (K) Wolverine, each 175
- 27 (L) Musk oxen, each 1,100
- 28 (16) Resident big game tags
- 29 (A) Bear, brown or grizzly, each \$25

30 The Board of Game may, by regulation effective for not more than one year, eliminate the
 31 resident brown or grizzly bear tag and fee for all or a portion of a game management unit.

1 (B) Musk oxen, each 500

2 However, the Board of Game may by regulation reduce or eliminate the fee for a resident big
3 game tag for musk oxen for an open season.

4 (17) Waterfowl conservation tag 5

5 (A) A person may not engage in waterfowl hunting without having the
6 current year's waterfowl tag in the person's actual possession, unless that person

7 (i) qualifies for a \$5 license fee under (6) of this subsection;

8 (ii) is a resident under the age of 16;

9 (iii) is 60 years of age or older and is a resident;

10 (iv) is a disabled veteran eligible for a free license under

11 AS 16.05.341.

12 (B) The Board of Game shall by regulation exempt the requirement of a
13 waterfowl conservation tag for waterfowl hunting in areas of the state not likely to benefit
14 from programs described in AS 16.05.130(b)(2) - (4).

15 (18) Game farming

16 (A) Game mammal or game reptile farming biennial license . . . \$250

17 (B) Game bird farming biennial license 50

18 (19) Nonresident small game hunting license 20

19 (20) Nonresident alien hunting license 300

20 A nonresident alien may not take a big game animal without previously purchasing a numbered,
21 nontransferable, appropriate tag, issued under (21) of this subsection. The tag must be affixed
22 to the animal immediately upon capture and must remain affixed until the animal is prepared for
23 storage, consumed, or exported. A tag issued but not used for an animal may be used to satisfy
24 the tagging requirement for an animal of any other species for which the tag fee is of equal or
25 less value.

26 (21) Nonresident alien big game tags

27 (A) Bear, black, each \$300

28 (B) Bear, brown or grizzly, each 650

29 (C) Bison, each 650

30 (D) Caribou, each 425

31 (E) Deer, each 200

1 (F) Elk, each 400
 2 (G) Goat, each 400
 3 (H) Moose, each 500
 4 (I) Musk oxen, each 1,500
 5 (J) Sheep, each 550
 6 (K) Wolf, each 250
 7 (L) Wolverine, each 250
 8 (22) Chitina personal use salmon dip net fishing permit 10
 9 (23) Resident king salmon tag 10

10 A resident may not engage in sport fishing for king salmon without having the current year's
 11 king salmon tag in the resident's actual possession, unless that person

- 12 (A) qualifies for a 25 cent license fee under (1) of this subsection;
 13 (B) is under the age of 16;
 14 (C) is 60 years of age or older and has been a resident of the state for at
 15 least one year;
 16 (D) is a disabled veteran eligible for a free license under AS 16.05.341;
 17 or
 18 (E) qualifies for a \$5 license fee under (6) of this subsection.

19 (24) Nonresident king salmon tag \$20

20 A nonresident may not engage in sport fishing for king salmon without having the current
 21 year's king salmon tag in the person's actual possession.

22 * Sec. 14. AS 18.31.200 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

- 23 (g) The Department of Labor shall adopt by regulation a fee schedule for
 24 (1) review, approval, and certification of asbestos training certification programs
 25 and plans under this section; and
 26 (2) certification of a person employed to abate an asbestos health hazard.

27 * Sec. 15. AS 18.65.310(a) is amended to read:

28 (a) Upon payment of a \$10 [\$5] fee, the Department of Public Safety shall issue a card
 29 identical to the motor vehicle operator's license provided for in AS 28.15.111, except that the
 30 card shall be of a different color and shall state in bold type letters across the face of it that it
 31 is for identification purposes only.