

ALASKA LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE and SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE FILES, 1999 - 2000

SB

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SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 1/28/99

FURTHER:

Date of 5-Day Notice: _____
(in accordance with Uniform Rule 23)

DATE TURNED
IN TO OFFICE: 8 Feb 1999

Finance Committee considered

SENATE BILL NO. 49

"An Act relating to missions and measures to be applied to certain expenditures by the executive branch of state government and the University of Alaska from the state operating budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1999; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends:

- be replaced with _____ CS SB 49 (FIN)
- adopt previous _____ CS _____ (_____)
- attached amendment(s)
- adopt Letter of Intent by _____ Committee
- further referral to the _____ Committee

- Senate Bill:**
 same title
 new title
House Bill:
 same title
 technical title
 new: SCR# _____

SIGNING <u>DO</u> PASS	DP	OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS	NR	DNP	AM
<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	<i>[Signature]</i>	✓		
<i>[Signature]</i>	✓	<i>[Signature]</i>	✗		
<i>[Signature]</i>	✓				
Co-Chair: <i>[Signature]</i>	✓	Co-Chair:			
Co-Chair: <i>[Signature]</i>	✓	Co-Chair:			

NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal
All state Agencies	2/1/99	∅	

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S):*

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal

APPROPRIATION -- no fiscal note

*include fiscal notes accompanying Governor's bill

AMENDMENT

OFFERED IN THE SENATE

BY SENATOR PARNELL

TO: SB 49

SENATE FINANCE
COMMITTEE

- 1 Page 13, line 21:
- 2 Delete "substantial"
- 3 Insert "substantiated"

Amendment Number: # 1
Bill Number: SB 49
Sponsor: Parnell Date: 2/2/99
Logged In By: Mindy

SENATE FINANCE
COMMITTEE # 2
Amendment Number: # 2
Bill Number: SB 49
Sponsor: Parnell Date: 2/4/99
Logged In By: Mindy

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Cramer
2/3/99

AMENDMENT

OFFERED IN THE SENATE
TO: SB 49

BY SENATOR PARNELL

- 1 Page 25, following line 25:
- 2 Insert a new bill section to read:
- 3 "* Sec. 46. The state and its agents and employees are immune from suit by a private
- 4 party based upon accomplishing or failing to accomplish a mission statement or performance
- 5 measure contained in this Act."

- 6 Renumber the following bill section accordingly.

SENATE FINANCE

COMMITTEE # 3

Amendment Number:

Bill Number: SB 49

Sponsor: Parnell Date: 2/4/99

Logged In By: Goltari

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Cramer
2/4/99

AMENDMENT

OFFERED IN THE SENATE
TO: SB 49

BY SENATOR PARNELL

- 1 Page 2, line 10:
- 2 Delete "December 31, 1998"
- 3 Insert "April 30, 1999"

- 4 Page 2, lines 11 - 12:
- 5 Delete "December 31, 1998"
- 6 Insert "April 30, 1999"

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MEMORANDUM

February 1, 1999

SUBJECT: Sectional Summary of SB 49. (Missions and measures applied to state operating budget expenditures)

TO: Senator Sean Parnell
Attn: Debbie Grundmann

FROM: Teresa B. Cramer 
Legislative Counsel

You have requested a sectional summary of the above-described bill.

As a preliminary matter, note that a sectional summary of a bill should not be considered an authoritative interpretation of the bill and the bill itself is the best statement of its contents. If you would like an interpretation of the bill as it may apply to a particular set of circumstances, please advise.

Overview: This bill enacts missions and performance measures that apply to particular appropriations made in this year's operating budget.

Section 1 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Administration for the citizens foster care review panel.

Sec. 2 sets out missions and performance measures for the appropriation made to the Department of Administration for information services.

Sec. 3 sets out missions and performance measures for the appropriation made to the Alaska Science and Technology foundation in the Department of Commerce and Economic Development.

Sec. 4 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Community and Regional Affairs for local government assistance training and development.

Sec. 5 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Community and Regional Affairs for child care.

Sec. 6 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Community and Regional Affairs for day care assistance programs.

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Sec. 7 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Community and Regional Affairs for Head Start grants.

Sec. 8 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Corrections for inmate health care.

Sec. 9 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Corrections for inmate programs.

Sec. 10 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Corrections for community jails.

Sec. 11 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Education for quality schools.

Sec. 12 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Education for Alaska Postsecondary Education Commission program administration.

Sec. 13 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Education for WWAMI medical education.

Sec. 14 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Environmental Conservation for Air and Water Director.

Sec. 15 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Fish and Game for AYK Region fisheries management.

Sec. 16 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Fish and Game for habitat permitting/Title 16.

Sec. 17 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Health and Social Services for the Alaska temporary assistance program.

Sec. 18 sets out missions and performance measures for the appropriation made to the Department of Health and Social Services for Medicaid services.

Sec. 19 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Health and Social Services for child care benefits.

Sec. 20 sets out missions and performance measures for the appropriation made to the Department of Health and Social Services for front line social workers.

Sec. 21 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Health and Social Services for the McLaughlin Youth Center.

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Sec. 22 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Health and Social Services for healthy families.

Sec. 23 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Labor for mechanical inspections.

Sec. 24 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Military and Veterans' Affairs for the Youth Corps.

Sec. 25 sets out missions and performance measures for the appropriation made to the Department of Natural Resources for land development.

Sec. 26 sets out missions and performance measures for the appropriation made to the Department of Natural Resources for forest management and development.

Sec. 27 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Natural Resources for oil and gas development.

Sec. 28 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Natural Resources for mining development.

Sec. 29 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Natural Resources for geological development.

Sec. 30 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Natural Resources for water development.

Sec. 31 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Natural Resources for agricultural development.

Sec. 32 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Natural Resources for the North Latitude Plant Material Center.

Sec. 33 sets out missions and performance measures for the appropriation made to the Department of Natural Resources for the agriculture revolving loan program administration.

Sec. 34 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Public Safety for the Alaska State Troopers Criminal Investigations Bureau.

Sec. 35 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Public Safety for the Alaska State Troopers director's office.

Sec. 36 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Public Safety for judicial services in Anchorage.

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Sec. 37 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Public Safety for the narcotics task force.

Sec. 38 sets out missions and performance measures for the appropriation made to the Department of Public Safety for the Alaska State Troopers detachments.

Sec. 39 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Public Safety for village public safety officer program contracts.

Sec. 40 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Public Safety for village public safety officer program support.

Sec. 41 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Public Safety for village public safety officer administration.

Sec. 42 sets out missions and performance measures for the appropriation made to the Department of Revenue for child support enforcement.

Sec. 43 sets out missions and performance measures for the appropriation made to the Department of Revenue for the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board.

Sec. 44 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities for Southeast vessel operations.

Sec. 45 sets out missions and performance measures for the allocation made to the University of Alaska for statewide services.

Sec. 46 is an immediate effective date.

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HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT

Date Referred to Committee: April 27, 1999

FURTHER REFERRALS:

Date of Committee Action: 5/10/99

The FINANCE Committee considered:

SB 50 am

SENATE BILL NO. 50 am

BOILER AND PRESSURE VESSEL INSPECTIONS

"An Act relating to certain boiler and pressure vessel inspections and inspectors; and providing for an effective date."

recommends it be replaced with the following committee substitute _____ the same title a new title

additional referral to _____ Committee
 attached amendment(s)

ADOPTS: _____ Letter of Intent

ATTACHES NEW FISCAL NOTE(s): (Dept) _____

APPROVES PREVIOUS: (Dept/Date) _____

fiscal note(s) _____

fiscal note(s) labor 2/19/99

zero fiscal note(s) _____

zero fiscal note(s) _____

SIGNING WITH RECOMMENDATIONS		DP	DNP	NR	AM
<i>Gene Thernault</i>	Thernault			X	
<i>Con Buerge</i>	Buerge	X			
<i>Via Hohmann</i>	Hohmann				X
<i>Alan Auster</i>	Auster	X			
<i>John J. Davis</i>	J. Davis	X			
<i>Ben Grussendorf</i>	Grussendorf	X			
<i>Paul Mosley</i>	Mosley			X	
<i>John G. Davis</i>	G. Davis	X			
<i>William Williams</i>	Williams			X	
<i>John Foster</i>	Foster	X			

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CHAIR'S SIGNATURE *Gene Thernault*
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FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
1999 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

No. 1
BILL Version: SB50
(S) Publish Date: 2/19/99

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____
Title: Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspections
Sponsor: Senate Labor and Commerce
Requester: Senate Labor and Commerce

Department Affected: Labor
BRU: Labor Standards and Safety
Component: Mechanical Inspection
COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 346

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

OPERATING	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS & CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

CAPITAL						
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CHANGE IN REVENUE	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0
FUND SOURCE #	1005	1005	1005	1005	1005	1005

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipt						
1006 GF/MHTIA						
Other (Specify Type)						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

Estimate of current year (FY99) impact: \$ None

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This change will allow the department to increase efficiency by better utilizing the skills of our existing inspector personnel. These individuals are competent, by virtue of their special training, to perform annual inspections of cast iron boilers and domestic hot water heaters. Those vessels account for an estimated one-half of the current backlog of boilers overdue for inspection. By having certain state employees perform limited boiler inspections on a part-time basis, the current rate of growth in inspection backlog should be stopped and a positive reduction of the existing backlog can be achieved. Inspections performed by these inspectors is expected to generate additional receipts.

Prepared by: Alan W. Dwyer, Director *[Signature]* Phone: 465-4855
Division: Labor Standards and Safety Date/Time: 2/3/99 1:41 PM
Approved by Commissioner: Ed Flanagan, Commissioner *[Signature]*
Agency: Department of Labor Date: 2/3/99

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February 22, 1999

The Honorable John Torgerson
Co-Chair, Senate Finance Commerce
State of Alaska
Room 516, Capitol Building
Juneau, AK 99801

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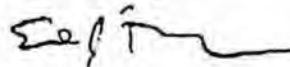
Dear Senator Torgerson:

I respectfully ask that you schedule a committee hearing for SB 50, An Act Relating to Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspections.

The Department is currently severely backlogged in its inspections of boilers and pressure vessels. Of the 6,000+ vessels that are overdue for inspection, a large percentage, over half, are of this type. This legislation will allow the Commissioner to identify certain state employees as approved inspectors for the purpose of performing routine annual inspections on this type of overdue vessel. For example, our state plumbing inspectors are journeymen plumbers trained to install and service this type of equipment and could, with a minimal amount of training from a Board certified boiler inspector, be trained to perform annual inspections on this type of equipment.

This will free up the National Board approved boiler inspectors to address those vessels that are of a larger, more complex nature, such as high capacity pressure vessels, and large capacity commercial and industrial boilers. This strategy should greatly assist the Department in addressing the backlog of boilers and pressure vessels that are overdue for inspection. This legislation will allow cross training and more efficient utilization of existing staff to the benefit of the public.

Sincerely,



Ed Flanagan
Commissioner

EF/DP:ecs

cc: Dwight Perkins, Deputy Commissioner
Al Dwyer, LS&S Director
Randy Carr, LS&S Chief

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SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 2/19/99

FURTHER: 3/9/99

DATE TURNED
IN TO OFFICE: 3/9/99

Finance Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 50

"An Act relating to certain boiler and pressure vessel inspections and inspectors; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends:

- be replaced with _____ CS _____ (_____)
- adopt previous _____ CS _____ (_____)
- attached amendment(s)
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SIGNING DO PASS	DP	OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS	NR	DNP	AM
<i>Al Adams</i>	X	<i>Lynne Green</i>	✓		
<i>Dan Dole</i>	X	<i>Pete Kelly</i>	✓		
		<i>William L. ...</i>	✓		
		<i>Kevin D. ...</i>	✓		
Co-Chair: <i>[Signature]</i>	✓	Co-Chair:			
Co-Chair:		Co-Chair:			

NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department Date Zero Fiscal

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S):*

Department Date Zero Fiscal

Labor	2/3/99		(410.0)

APPROPRIATION -- no fiscal note

*include fiscal notes accompanying Governor's bill

FISCAL NOTE

3/9/99

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SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

SIGN-IN

SB 50-BOILER AND PRESSURE VESSEL INSPECTIONS

NAME: AL DWYER Subject/Bill No: SB 50
Co./Dept./Title: Dept of Labor DIRECTOR SLS Phone: 465-4855
Address: _____ Zip: _____
Do you wish to testify? ^{if necessary} Yes No Respond To Questions

NAME: Walter Perkins Subject/Bill No: _____
Co./Dept./Title: Deputy Comm. H Phone: 2700
Address: _____ Zip: _____
Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond To Questions

NAME: _____ Subject/Bill No: _____
Co./Dept./Title: _____ Phone: _____
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NAME: _____ Subject/Bill No: _____
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Senate Community & Regional Affairs Committee

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday

1:30 PM Fahrenkamp Room

Sponsor Statement

House Committee Substitute, Senate Bill 51 (L&C)

Senate Bill 51 alters the Alaska Statute in order to better explain the duties of barbers, hairdressers, manicurists, and cosmetologists. To accomplish this, SB 51 changes "cosmetology" and "cosmetologist" to "esthetics" and "estheticians" in the applicable sections of the statutes. In addition, SB 51 also removes the shaving of a beard from the statute, as shaving is neither taught nor tested by the Board of Barbers & Hairdressers. Furthermore, Senate Bill 51 licenses manicurists and limits their instruction to a maximum requirement of a 12-hour class, which is based on health, safety, and hygiene. Furthermore, SB 51 now creates an advanced manicurist's license in order for persons who have attained further education in this area to be licensed as such. Lastly, it changes the Instructor's license to include a Practitioner license, therefore eliminating the current dual (practitioner & instructor) licensing of Instructors.

In addition, SB 51 creates a new temporary license for persons who have successfully completed a course of study or apprenticeship in barbering, hairdressing, or esthetics. This temporary license allows one to work under direct supervision of a practitioner, licensed in the field of study that they are also studying, for up to 120 days. This will allow a person to continue practicing their field of study while awaiting their board examination.

Therefore Senate Bill 51 should eliminate the ambiguities in verbiage between the states by replacing cosmetology with esthetics, it should resolve the problem of inconvenient test scheduling or location for students or apprentices who have completed their training, and it should provide for the licensing of manicurists.

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JUSE COMMITTEE REPC T

Date Referred to Committee: May 7, 1999

FURTHER REFERRALS:

Date of Committee Action: 5/14/99

The FINANCE Committee considered:

CSSB 51(L&C)

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 51(L&C)

LICENSING OF COSMETOLOGISTS

"An Act relating to barbers, hairdressers, manicurists, and cosmetologists; providing that the only qualification necessary for licensure as a manicurist, other than payment of fees, is completion of a class that is 12 hours in duration, addresses relevant health, safety, and hygiene concerns, and is offered through a school approved by the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers; and providing for an effective date."

recommends it be replaced with the following committee substitute HCS SB 51(L&C) the same title a new title

additional referral to _____ Committee
 attached amendment(s)

ADOPTS: _____ Letter of Intent

ATTACHES NEW FISCAL NOTE(S): (Dept) _____

APPROVES PREVIOUS: (Dept/Date) _____

fiscal note(s) DCED

^{Senate} fiscal note(s) DEC 3/24/99

zero fiscal note(s) _____

zero fiscal note(s) _____

SIGNING WITH RECOMMENDATIONS		DP	DNP	NR	AM
<i>Gene Therriault</i>	Therriault			X	
<i>Don Bunde</i>	Bunde	✓			
<i>Alan Austerman</i>	Austerman		X		
<i>Bill Williams</i>	Williams			X	
<i>Chris Davies</i>	Davies			X	
<i>Al Davis</i>	Davis			X	
<i>Bob Grussendorf</i>	Grussendorf			X	

CHAIR'S SIGNATURE *Gene Therriault*
cc

FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA
1999 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

BILL NO. HCS CSSB 51 (L&C)

Revision Date/Time	5/6/99	Dept. Affected	Commerce & Econ Dev.
Title	An Act relating to barbers, hairdressers, manicurists and cosmetologists.	BRU	Occupational Licensing
Sponsor	Senate Community and Regional Affairs Committee	Component	Operations
Requester	House Finance	Component Serial No.	2360

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
Personal Services	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Travel	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Contractual	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9
Supplies	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
TOTAL OPERATING	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES						
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ()	42.8	0.0	42.8	0.0	42.8	0.0
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FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

FUND SOURCE	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type)						
TOTAL	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4

Estimate of any current year (FY99) cost: 0.0

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: *(Attach a separate page if necessary)*
HCS CSSB 51 (L&C) establishes a licensing category for manicurists to be regulated by the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers. The number of individuals that would be affected by this bill is not known therefore, a number of assumptions are made in this fiscal note. Information obtained from the Business Licensing files indicate there are approximately 295 manicure/pedicure salons licensed to do business. For the purposes of this fiscal note, we have doubled the number (590) assuming that most salons would have more than one manicurist. An explanation of the costs is attached.

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Division	Occupational Licensing	Date/Time	5/6/99 1:28 PM
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Agency	Commerce & Economic Development		

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1999 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. HCS CSSB 51 (L&C)
Rev. 5/6/99

ANALYSIS: (Continued)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FISCAL NOTE CALCULATIONS FOR HCS CSSB 51 (L&C)

PERSONAL SERVICES

Funding to add 2.5 months of time to an existing PPT Occupational Licensing Examiner I position, Range 12, GGU \$8.5

The increase time to the existing position will be responsible for the Licensing of manicurists.

TRAVEL \$0.0

CONTRACTUAL SERVICES

Contractual Services are based on the following costs. \$11.9

Regulations: \$5.2

- One public notice printed in three newspapers, estimated at \$200 per paper x 3 = \$600
- Printing of regulations consisting of 6 pages, back-to-back, at \$12 per 100 x 6 pages = \$72 x 6 (to produce 600 copies) = \$432
- Postage for 600 pieces x .32 = \$192
- Printing and mailing costs to current licensees (3,838) of the New statute and regulation changes, \$4.0

Daily Communication costs: \$1.0

Printing Costs: \$0.7
Applications and other forms will be needed to implement the Licensing requirements. A large supply will be required for the Initial mailing and to have forms available in each division office. Assuming application forms are at least 3 pages, back-to-back, at \$12 per 100 x 3 pages = \$36 x 20 (to produce 2,000 copies) = \$720

HCS CSSB 51(L&C). Revised 5/6/99

Enforcement costs: \$3.0

This funding is anticipated to fund responsibilities of the Department of Environmental Conservation under Section 28 of the bill via RSA in adopting regulations for sanitary practices.

Examination costs: \$2.0

This funding is primarily as pass through costs for purchase of written examinations for advanced manicurists. Candidates will submit payment for the examination to the State, and the State will pay the testing organization for use of the exams. This costs is based on the assumption that 100 advanced manicurists examinations will be purchases at a cost of \$20 each.

SUPPLIES \$1.0

TOTAL: \$21.4

REVENUE/FUND SOURCE:

AS 08.01.065 requires all licensees to pay the costs of regulating their profession. The general fund program receipts from the licensing of manicurists will be expected to cover the direct costs shown in this fiscal note and a share of administrative indirect costs like other licensing programs.

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
1999 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

No. 3
Bill Version: CSSB 51(L4C)
(S) Publish Date: 3-26-99

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction) Rev. 3/18/99 10 a.m.

Title Relating to barbers, hairdressers, manicurists, and cosmetologists

Sponsor (S) CRA

Requester (S) Finance

Dept. _____

Affected Environmental Conservation

BRU Environmental Health

Component Food Safety and Sanitation

Component Serial No. 2343

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
Personal Services						
Travel						
Contractual	3.0					
Supplies						
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
TOTAL OPERATING	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES						
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ()						
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FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
1007 Interagency Receipts	3.0					
TOTAL	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY99) cost: 0.0

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

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Division Environmental Health

Approved by Commissioner Michele Brown

Agency Environmental Conservation

Phone 269-7645

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Date 3/18/99

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SB 51 relating to barbers, hairdressers, manicurists, and cosmetologists
Fiscal Note Details

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Copies of the Notice and explanatory letter (3 pages)	\$ 713.00
Postage to mail the Notice	\$ 940.00
Copies of the draft regulations to send upon request (250 copies)	\$ 375.00
TOTAL	\$3,043.00

No staff time is included as the department does not currently inspect facilities covered by this legislation, nor are we proposing to start an inspection program. The regulations are essentially self-implementing, and time permitting, we do and would respond to complaints. However, these facilities represent a relatively low public health risk as compared to other establishments regulated by DEC.

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295	Manicure salons
16	Beauty schools
65	Legislative copies
<u>30</u>	Other interested parties
949	Total

SB

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SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 2/18/99

FURTHER:

DATE TURNED IN TO OFFICE: 26 Mar 99

Finance Committee considered

SENATE BILL NO. 51

"An Act relating to barbers, hairdressers, manicurists, and cosmetologists; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends:

- be replaced with _____ CS _____ (_____)
- adopt previous _____ CS SB 51 (L & C)
- attached amendment(s)
- adopt Letter of Intent by _____ Committee
- further referral to the _____ Committee

- Senate Bill:
- same title
 - new title
- House Bill:
- same title
 - technical title
 - new: SCR# _____

SIGNING DO PASS	DP	OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS	NR	DNP.	AM
<i>Paul E. Kelly</i>	✓	<i>Linda Groen - Amend DEC fiscal note</i>			✓
<i>ice Carter</i>	✓	<i>D. Carney</i>	✓		
<i>Greg Leibel</i>	✓				
<i>John J. Hinken</i>	✓				
Co-Chair: <i>John Hinken</i>	✓	Co-Chair:			
Co-Chair: <i>Sean Randall</i>	✓	Co-Chair:			

NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal
DEC	3/1/99		30

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S):*

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal

APPROPRIATION -- no fiscal note

*include fiscal notes accompanying Governor's bill

FISCAL NOTE

REPORTED DATE OF
3/26/99

STATE OF ALASKA
1999 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. CS SB 51 (L&C)

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction) <u>Rev. 3/18/99 10 a.m.</u>	Dept. <u>Environmental Conservation</u>	Affected <u>Environmental Conservation</u>
Title <u>Relating to barbers, hairdressers, manicurists, and cosmetologists</u>	BRU <u>Environmental Health</u>	Component <u>Food Safety and Sanitation</u>
Sponsor <u>(S) CRA</u>		
Requester <u>(S) Finance</u>	Component Serial No. <u>2343</u>	

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
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Estimate of any current year (FY99) cost: 0.0

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

SEE ATTACHED

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Agency <u>Environmental Conservation</u>	

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FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
1999 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

No. 1
Bill Version: CSSB 51 (LAC)
(S) Publish Date: 2-18-99

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction) _____ Dept. Affected DEC
Title Relating to barbers, hairdressers, manicurists, BRU EH
and cosmetologists Component Food Safety and Sanitation
Sponsor (S) CRA
Requester (S) Labor and Commerce Component Serial No. 2343

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
Personal Services						
Travel						
Contractual	3.8					
Supplies						
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
TOTAL OPERATING	3.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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CHANGE IN REVENUES ()						
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FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

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1003 GF Match						
1004 GF	3.8					
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type)						
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Estimate of any current year (FY99) cost: _____

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

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SB 51-LICENSING OF COSMETOLOGISTS

NAME: DEUG SALIK Sub./Bill No: _____

Co./Dept./Title: Leg. Aide to CRH Phone: 4823

Address: _____ Zip: _____

Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond to Questions

NAME: _____ Sub./Bill No: _____

Co./Dept./Title: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Zip: _____

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SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

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SB 51-LICENSING OF COSMETOLOGISTS

NAME: Toug Sakir Subject/Bill No: _____
Co./Dept./Title: Legislative Aide CRT/T. in Kelly Phone: 9823
Address: _____ Zip: _____
Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond To Questions

NAME: Catherine Reardon Subject/Bill No: SB 51
Co./Dept./Title: Division Occupational Licensing Phone: 465-2538
Address: PO 110806 Jackson Zip: 99811
Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond To Questions

NAME: _____ Subject/Bill No: _____
Co./Dept./Title: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ Zip: _____
Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond To Questions

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Address: _____ Zip: _____
Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond To Questions

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SB 51-LICENSING OF COSMETOLOGISTS

NAME: DOUG SALIK Subject/Bill No: SB 51
Co./Dept./Title: STAFF to Senate CRA / Tim Kelly Phone: X4823
Address: _____ Zip: _____
Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond To Questions

NAME: Catherin Randon Subject/Bill No: SB 51
Co./Dept./Title: DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING DCED Phone: 465-2538
Address: PO 110806 TALENA AK Zip: 99811-0806
Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond To Questions

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Co./Dept./Title: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ Zip: _____
Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond To Questions

NAME: _____ Subject/Bill No: _____
Co./Dept./Title: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ Zip: _____
Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond To Questions

25 March 1999

To the Senate and Legislators of Alaska,

I am Rosalyn C. Wyche Board member on the Alaska Board of Barbers, Hairdressers and cosmetology. At our last meeting we felt that the state of Alaska should be licensing the manicurist. The required amount of hours would be 300, hours and follow the Milady text book. The other fields also follow Milady. I have provided you with a sample of the training book, the pretest, and the work book. Manicurist deal with a lot of chemicals and safety issues, if the nail tech is not aware of the correct procedure it could cause a fungus infection on the nail bed and the customer would lose their nail without it growing back. There is also the fact that if we can regulate what materials they use they could not use the poisonous liquids that are available on the market. There is a simple and easy kit available to the state at a very nominal price. Our investigator could easily walk into any salon and test it right there it only takes 5 seconds. We should be protecting the public from harm and danger. The board agrees with SB 51 in detail except the amount of hours the manicurist should receive and they should be tested.

Rosalyn C. Wyche
Rosalyn C. Wyche
Board Member

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Phone #		Phone #	
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MAIL VOTE ON SENATE BILL NUMBER 51 AND REGARDING THE PRACTICAL EXAMINATION

Attached is Senate (SB) 51 which adds manicuring as a licensed profession. The bill also adds the temporary license provision for students. Please thoroughly review this bill and its proposed changes and note your comments below.

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Individuals applying from another state who did not take a practical examination would also have to test in a local school.

Please complete and return this mail vote with your comments in the enclosed self-addressed envelope by March 5, 1999.

Are you in favor of SB 51?

yes

no

Why? _____

To:
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JEANNEAU

Are you in favor of having the practical examination administered by the schools instead of the board? This would require the schools (apprentice instructor) to sign an affidavit stating that the individual completed the course and has passed a practical exam.

yes

no

Why? _____

2/23/99

Date


Board Member

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no

Why? _____

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DIVISION OF
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JUNEAU

Are you in favor of having the practical examination administered by the schools instead of the board? This would require the schools (apprentice instructor) to sign an affidavit stating that the individual completed the course and has passed a practical exam.

yes

no

Why? Because I believe it is in the best
interest of the State to have professionals
of the industry who are working on the public, judging these
school graduates on their abilities of work.

Feb 24, 99

Date

Garry Kump

Board Member

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yes

no

Why? to protect the Public. Sanitation
and safety should be our first concern

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yes

no

Why? I could get a person off the street
with ~~not~~ prior experience and
teach them to pass the practical exam
in one month; in other words, how

2-23-99

Date

Shelby Bell

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do I really know what kind of
Hairdresser they are; plus we do not do
any more Wet Sets, Pin curls or finger
waves nor do we do Shaves; how ever
it is a requirement in the Practical
Exam.

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MAIL VOTE ON SENATE BILL NUMBER 51 AND REGARDING THE PRACTICAL EXAMINATION

DIVISION OF
OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING
JUNEAU

Attached is Senate (SB) 51 which adds manicuring as a licensed profession. The bill also adds the temporary license provision for students. Please thoroughly review this bill and its proposed changes and note your comments below.

Also, the division seeks your input regarding the administration of the practical exam (for all areas). What is your position if the schools (or instructors) apprenticeship students were to be responsible for administering a practical examination as part of the requirement to successfully complete the training program to receive licensure. In other words, the board would no longer administer the practical exam, but rather the school (apprentice instructor) would test students upon completion of the required training. The board would continue to set examination standards in regulation, however, just not conduct the exam. The division would continue to proctor the written examination.

Individuals applying from another state who did not take a practical examination would also have to test in a local school.

Please complete and return this mail vote with your comments in the enclosed self-addressed envelope by March 5, 1999.

Are you in favor of SB 51?

yes

no

Why? _____

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Are you in favor of having the practical examination administered by the schools instead of the board? This would require the schools (apprentice instructor) to sign an affidavit stating that the individual completed the course and has passed a practical exam.

yes

no

Why? _____

3/5/99
Date

[Signature]
Board Member

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Board action on the matter noted above is being taken via a mail vote in accordance with AS 44.62.600. Due to open meeting requirements in this state, members are reminded not to discuss this matter with one another. If a member feels there are questions or concerns which warrant discussion by the board before voting, the licensing examiner should be contacted. Depending upon the time frame involved, action on this matter may be delayed until a regularly scheduled meeting of the board or a special teleconference may be convened, as applicable.

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NAIL ARTIST SCHOOL

(907) 561-6245

TOTAL CLASSROOM HOURS - 180 (30 HOURS/WEEK - 6 WEEKS)

TUITION - \$3,350.00 (Includes Books & Nail Technician Kit)

TEACHING METHODS:

The curriculum is presented through a combination of lecture, demonstration, training films, and hands on experience using a variety of products and equipment. The Nail Technician/Artist Course prepares students for this needed specialty service career by giving them a detailed program of education and an opportunity to practice professional techniques in our on-campus salon.

CURRICULUM:

Anatomy
Nail Disorders
Products-Implements-Accessories
The Work Area
Basic Manicuring
Artificial Nails:
 Liquid Wraps
 Fiberglass Wraps
 Linen Wraps
 Silk Wraps
 Paper Wraps
 Tip & Tip Overlays
 Re-Wraps & Removal

Sculptured Nails:
 Floaters & Fill-ins
 Sculptured Nail Repair
 Nail Tips & Tip Overlays
 Sculptured Nail Removal
 Fungus
Nail Art:
 Dual Colors
 Stripping
 Decals
 Rhinestone
 Nuggeting
Business Aspects

The public's enthusiastic response to this new industry has created a large demand for qualified nail technicians. The desire for beautiful and professional looking nails bring more and more women into salons almost daily.

This course was designed for individuals who want to be employed in the Nail Technician/Artist industry or for the Beautician who needs skill upgrading for the purpose of increasing their income.

Alaska Student Loans Available.

For further information concerning this course, please feel free to call.

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Senate Community & Regional Affairs Committee Monday, Wednesday, & Friday 1:30 PM Fahrenkamp Room

Sponsor Statement Committee Substitute Senate Bill 51 (L&C)

Senate Bill 51 alters the Alaska Statutes in order to better explain the duties of barbers, hairdressers, manicurists, and cosmetologists. To accomplish this, SB 51 changes "cosmetology" and "cosmetologist" to "esthetics" and "esthetician" in the applicable sections of the statutes. In addition, SB 51 also removes the shaving of a beard from the statute, as shaving is neither taught nor tested by the Board of Barbers & Hairdressers. Furthermore, Senate Bill 51 licenses manicurists and limits their instruction to a maximum requirement of a 12-hour class, which is based on health, hygiene and safety. Lastly, it changes the Instructor's license to include a practitioner license, therefore eliminating the current dual (practitioner & instructor) licensing of Instructors.

In addition, SB 51 creates a new temporary license for persons who have successfully completed a course of study or apprenticeship in barbering, hairdressing, or esthetics. This temporary license allows one to work under direct supervision of a practitioner, licensed in the field of study that they are also studying, for up to 120 days. This will allow a person to continue practicing their field of study while awaiting their board examination.

Therefore Senate Bill 51 should eliminate the ambiguities in verbiage between the states by replacing cosmetology with esthetics, it should resolve the problem of inconvenient test scheduling or location for students or apprentices who have completed their training, and it should provide for the licensing of manicurists.

ALASKA STATE BOARD OF BARBERS AND HAIRDRESSERS
LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FY 99

1. Combine hairdresser and cosmetology licenses and issue an esthetician license for those choosing an exclusive skin care license.
2. Recommend that the Legislature pass legislation permitting the board to fine those not in compliance with licensing regulations.
3. Recommend that the Legislature pass legislation regarding the licensing of Nail Care professions.
4. Recommend that the Legislature pass legislation to add the category "extended student permit."
5. Recommend that the Legislature pass legislation to change the period of a lapsed license from three years to five years.
6. Recommend that the legislature pass legislation to remove shaving from the hairdresser definition in AS 08.13.220./

STATE OF ALASKA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING

Date: September 25, 1998

To: Beauty/Barber School Owners and Apprentices

From: Cindy Evans, Licensing Examiner *CE*
Board of Barbers and Hairdressers

Subject: 1999 State Board Practical and Written Examination Schedule

The Following is a list of TENTATIVELY scheduled 1999 dates for the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers. All examinations will be given in Anchorage, Fairbanks and Juneau. Please note that the Fairbanks and Juneau dates are marked with an asterisk (*). Please remember that all dates are TENTATIVE and subject to change.

Completed applications including fees and satisfactory proof of required hours must be received in this office by the application deadline.

Anchorage Dates

EXAMINATION DATE

January 24-25, 1999
March 7-8, 1999
April 18-19, 1999
June 6-7, 1999
July 18-19, 1999
August 29-30, 1999
October 10-11, 1999
November 21-22, 1999

APPLICATION DEADLINE

December 28, 1998
February 5, 1999
March 19, 1999
May 7, 1999
June 18, 1999
July 30, 1999
September 10, 1999
October 22, 1999

Fairbanks and Juneau Dates

* March 7-8, 1999
* June 6-7, 1999
* August 29-30, 1999
* November 21-22, 1999

February 5, 1999
May 7, 1999
July 30, 1999
October 22, 1999

The Fairbanks examinations are one day only. They will be administered on the first day listed, which is always a Sunday. Both the practical and the written examination will be given on this day in Fairbanks only.

If you have questions regarding examination dates, please contact this office.

cc: Board Members
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SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 3/31/99

FURTHER:

DATE TURNED
IN TO OFFICE: 4/13/99

Finance Committee considered

SENATE BILL NO. 52

"An Act relating to competition in the provision of local exchange telephone service; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends:

- be replaced with _____ CS SB 52 (FIN)
- adopt previous _____ CS _____ (_____)
- attached amendment(s) forthcoming
- adopt Letter of Intent by _____ CS
- further referral to the _____

- Senate Bill:**
- same title
 - new title
- House Bill:**
- same title
 - technical title
 - new: SCR# _____

SIGNING DO PASS	DP	OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS	NR	DNP	AM
<i>Robert Kelly</i>	✓	<i>John E. Riley</i>		✓	
<i>Brian D. Homan</i>	✓	<i>Richard Green</i>		✓	
<i>Dan Donley</i>	✓	<i>Ed Adams</i>		X	
		<i>Sam White</i>	✓		
Co-Chair: <i>[Signature]</i>	✓	Co-Chair:			
Co-Chair: <i>[Signature]</i>	✓	Co-Chair:			

NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal
<i>forthcoming</i>			
<i>F/N</i>			

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S):*

Department	Date	Zero	Fiscal

APPROPRIATION -- no fiscal note

*include fiscal notes accompanying Governor's bill

FISCAL NOTE

S:0 4/13/99

**STATE OF ALASKA
1999 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

BILL NO. CSSB 52 (Finance)

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction) _____ Dept. Affected Commerce
 Title Competition in local exchange telephone service BRU
 Component Ak Public Utilities Commission
 Sponsor Sen. Pete Kelly
 Requester _____ Component Serial No. 364

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
Personal Services	124.2	124.2	124.2	76.1	0.0	
Travel	1.5	1.5	1.5	0.9	0.0	
Contractual	11.6	11.6	11.6	7.1	0.0	
Supplies	2.7	2.7	2.7	1.7	0.0	
Equipment	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.0	
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
TOTAL OPERATING	140.6	140.6	140.6	86.2	0.0	0.0

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES						
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ()	140.6	140.6	140.6	85.2	0.0	0.0
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FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type)	140.6	140.6	140.6	86.2	0.0	0.0
TOTAL	140.6	140.6	140.6	86.2	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY99) cost: _____

POSITIONS

Full-time	2.5	2.5	2.5	1.5	0.0	
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

Please see attached narrative.

Prepared by Robert A. Lohr Phone 276-6222
 Division APUC Date/Time 4/20/99 2:55 PM
 Approved by Commissioner [Signature] Date 4/21/99
 Agency _____

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SB 52 - Narrative for Fiscal Analysis

SB 52 directs the commission to "provide for competition in local exchange telephone service in a timely manner" and to "adopt regulations that eliminate impediments to entry for local exchange carriers fit, willing and able to provide service."

SB 52 directs the commission to adopt by July 1, 1999, regulations on universal service and access charges that are compatible with full competition. The first phase of rulemaking proceedings (Dockets R-97-5 and R-97-6) to reform universal service and access charge issues has been completed. Rules have been adopted to remove implicit subsidies from access charges and to create an Alaska universal service fund to ensure the continued availability of services to all customers.

The Bill also directs the Commission to adopt by July 1, 1999, any further regulations necessary to allow and promote local exchange competition in the service areas of all local exchange carriers that served 25,000 or more access lines on January 1, 1999. This would affect five incumbent local exchange companies, Anchorage Telephone Utility, Telephone Utilities of Alaska, Telephone Utilities of the Northland, PTI Communications and Matanuska Telephone Association. The Bill delays effectiveness of the Bill for cooperative telephone companies for two years. This effectively delays implementation in the Matanuska Telephone Association service area for two years. Therefore, the changes brought by the Bill will allow competition in the service areas of the PTI companies (Fairbanks, Juneau and the Kenai Peninsula) by July 1, 1999.

To the extent that SB 52 means that the three companies will face competition the commission expects an increase in the number of tariff filings as competitors and incumbents propose new services and rates.

SB 52 requires that the Commission approve or deny applications to provide competitive local exchange telephone service within 90 days after the filing of a complete application. If the Commission fails to approve or deny an application within 90 days after the Commission has received a complete application, the application is considered approved. To fulfill its statutory responsibility to ensure that only fit, willing and able applicants are certificated to provide service the Commission will need to increase its engineering personnel to assure competent analysis and commission consideration within the ninety day period.

Personnel Costs

a) Review of Applications: Assuming an average of one new application for each local exchange telephone company, the engineering section will see an increase in the number of telephone applications it receives in the first years following implementation of local telephone competition. One full-time Utility Engineering Analyst II will be required to analyze the filings.

b) Review of Tariffs: In June 1998, the Commission adopted rules governing local exchange competition in the Anchorage area. Competitors have begun to introduce new services and modify existing rates which has resulted in increases in the number of tariff revisions filed

with the Commission. In the first 8 and one half months in FY99 the Commission has experienced a 30 percent increase in the number of tariff filings as compared to the entire twelve months of FY98--70 percent of that increase is telecommunications related tariff filings. Even under the competitive rules which allow rate changes to go into effect automatically (after 30 days notice to the Commission), a basic review of filings is required to ensure that rates are just and reasonable and that the filings are neither discriminatory nor anti-competitive. Estimate of additional staff required: one full-time Utility Tariff Analyst II. In addition the basic record keeping responsibilities that are created by an increase in tariff filings will require a full time Administrative Clerk II.

The original Bill directed the Commission to provide for competition in service areas of over 5,000 access lines that affected nine incumbent local exchange companies. The fiscal note analysis was based on those criteria. Subsequent changes to the Bill have narrowed the field of local exchange companies subject to competition to three. However, those three companies serve Fairbanks, Juneau and the Kenai Peninsula which are areas most likely to experience competition in the near future. The original analysis considered competition in the service areas of the three companies (Telephone Utilities of Alaska, Telephone Utilities of the Northland, PTI Communications) to be a major contributing factor in increased Commission workload. This revised fiscal note for SB 52 takes into account the narrowing of the scope of competition by incorporating a fifty percent reduction in the Utility Tariff Analyst II FTE.

A M E N D M E N T

SENATE FINANCE

COMMITTEE

Amendment Number: 41

Bill Number: SB 52

Sponsor: Green Date: 4/07/99

Logged In By: J. Galtari

moved by Sen. Green
object: sen. Kelly
44-51 FAILED

OFFERED IN THE SENATE

TO: SB 52

- 1 Page 2, line 16, following "1999":
- 2 Insert ", other than the service areas of telephone cooperatives"

- 3 Page 2, line 19, following "and":
- 4 Insert ", except for applications to provide competitive local exchange telephone
- 5 service in the service area of a telephone cooperative,"

- 6 Page 2, line 25, following "application":
- 7 Insert ", other than an application to provide competitive local exchange telephone
- 8 service in the service area of a telephone cooperative,"

- 9 Page 2, line 26, following ".":
- 10 Insert "The commission shall deny an application to provide competitive local
- 11 exchange telephone service in the service area of a telephone cooperative."

A M E N D M E N TSENATE FINANCE
COMMITTEEAmendment Number: # 2
Bill Number: CSSB 52 (L&C)
Sponsor: P Kelly Date: 4/13/99
Logged In By: J Koltarimoved by Sen. Kelly
object Sen. Torgerson

OFFERED IN THE SENATE

TO: CSSB 52(L&C)

1 Page 2, line 16, following "1999":

2 Insert ", other than the service areas of telephone cooperatives"

3 Page 2, line 19, following "and":

4 Insert ", except for applications to provide competitive local exchange telephone
5 service in the service area of a telephone cooperative,"

6 Page 2, line 25, following "application":

7 Insert ", other than an application to provide competitive local exchange telephone
8 service in the service area of a telephone cooperative,"

9 Page 2, line 31:

10 Delete all material and insert:

11 "** Sec. 2. AS 42.05.870(b) is amended to read:

12 (b) By July 1, 1999, the commission shall adopt

13 (1) regulations ensuring universal service and providing for access
14 charges that are compatible with full competition in the provision of local exchange
15 telephone service using all methods allowed by 47 U.S.C. 251 - 276
16 (Telecommunications Act of 1996); and17 (2) any further regulations necessary to allow and promote local
18 exchange competition, using all methods allowed by 47 U.S.C. 251 - 276
19 (Telecommunications Act of 1996), in the service areas of all local exchange carriers
20 that served 25,000 or more access lines on January 1, 1999 [, OTHER THAN THE
21 SERVICE AREAS OF TELEPHONE COOPERATIVES].

22 * Sec. 3. AS 42.05.870(c) is amended to read:

1 (c) The commission shall approve or deny applications to provide competitive
2 local exchange telephone service within 90 days after the filing of a complete
3 application and [, EXCEPT FOR APPLICATIONS TO PROVIDE COMPETITIVE
4 LOCAL EXCHANGE TELEPHONE SERVICE IN THE SERVICE AREA OF A
5 TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE,] shall consider competitive local exchange telephone
6 service to be a service required for the convenience and necessity of the public under
7 AS 42.05.241. The commission shall approve an application on a finding that the
8 applicant is fit, willing, and able to provide the service. In accordance with 47 U.S.C.
9 253(f), the commission may require the applicant to offer service throughout the study
10 area of the existing local exchange telephone utility. If the commission fails to
11 approve or deny an application [, OTHER THAN AN APPLICATION TO PROVIDE
12 COMPETITIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE TELEPHONE SERVICE IN THE SERVICE
13 AREA OF A TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE,] within 90 days after the commission
14 has received a complete application, the application is considered approved.

15 * Sec. 4. (a) Section 1 of this Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).

16 (b) Sections 2 and 3 of this Act take effect on the date two years after the day
17 sec. 1 of this Act takes effect."

SUBJECT: _____
DATE: _____

	YEA	NAY
SENATOR DONLEY		
SENATOR LEMAN		
SENATOR WILKEN		
SENATOR ADAMS		
SENATOR P. KELLY		
SENATOR L. GREEN		
SENATOR PHILLIPS		
SENATOR TORGERSON		
SENATOR PARNELL		
TOTAL:		

SUBJECT: Report Roll out
DATE: 4/12/99

	YEA	NAY
SENATOR WILKEN	✓	
SENATOR ADAMS		✓
SENATOR P. KELLY	✓	
SENATOR L. GREEN		✓
SENATOR PHILLIPS		✓
SENATOR DONLEY	✓	
SENATOR LEMAN	✓	
SENATOR TORGERSON	✓	
SENATOR PARNELL	✓	
TOTAL:	6	3

SUBJECT: ^{SB 52} Amend #1 FAILED
DATE: 4/13/99

	YEA	NAY
SENATOR LEMAN		✓
SENATOR WILKEN		✓
SENATOR ADAMS	✓	
SENATOR P. KELLY		✓
SENATOR L. GREEN	✓	
SENATOR PHILLIPS	✓	
SENATOR DONLEY		✓
SENATOR TORGERSON	✓	
SENATOR PARNELL		✓
TOTAL:	4	5

SUBJECT: Amend #2 ADOPTED
DATE: 4/13/99

	YEA	NAY
SENATOR ADAMS		✓
SENATOR P. KELLY	✓	
SENATOR L. GREEN		✓
SENATOR PHILLIPS	✓	✓
SENATOR DONLEY	✓	
SENATOR LEMAN	✓	
SENATOR WILKEN	✓	
SENATOR TORGERSON	✓	
SENATOR PARNELL	✓	
TOTAL:	6	3

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Sponsor Statement

SB 52

Telecommunications Competition

Senate Bill 52 requires the Alaska Public Utilities Commission (APUC) to adopt regulations permitting local telephone competition in areas having 5,000 or more lines by July 1, 1999. History has proven competition gives consumers lower costs, increased technology and more choices.

In 1996, Congress passed the Telecommunications Act allowing and promoting local telephone competition nationwide. The APUC exempted Fairbanks and Juneau from full local competition because of fears that competition might harm the existing phone monopoly (PTI). PTI was purchased in 1997 by Century Telephone, which has its headquarters in Louisiana. The purchase of PTI made Century the 10th largest phone company in the United States. Century has since sold its local telephone services to Alaska Communication Systems and affiliated companies (pending regulatory approval).

The fears that promoted the APUC to delay full competition in Fairbanks and Juneau are the same fears that caused the APUC to delay long distance competition in Alaska for many years. As we have all seen, those fears were unfounded and long distance competition produced better quality, new services and lower prices for consumers throughout the state.

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Sectional

SB 52

An Act providing for competition in local telephone service.

- Section 1.**
- (a) Finds competition in local exchange telephone service to be of benefit to consumers throughout the state.
 - (b) Requires the commission to adopt regulations to enable local competition.
 - (c) The Legislature provides the commission (APUC) with the finding that an applicant for local exchange competition is convenient and necessary for the public. The commission has 90 days to determine if the applicant is fit, willing and able to provide the service.
 - (d) A municipality may not regulate a utility competing in a local telephone exchange under this law.

Subscriber Access Lines

ATU (Anchorage)	155,855
GTE (See attached list)	58,738
MTA (Matanuska Valley)	45,508
PTI (Fairbanks)	37,338
PTI (Juneau)	30,063
Ketchikan Utilities	10,532
United Utilities (See attached list)	5,530
Copper Valley Telephone	5,389
Interior Telephone Co. (TeleAlaska)	4,642
Alaska Telephone Co. (S.E. Alaska – See attached list)	4,200
OTZ Telephone (Kotzebue)	3,036
Arctic Slope	2,277
Nushagak Telephone (Bristol Bay)	2,187
Cordova Telephone	1,868
Bristol Bay Telephone	1,852
Tele Alaska – Nukluk	1,228
Bush Tel (Kuskokuim)	798
Yukon Telephone	433
Summit Telephone	135



HELLENTHAL & ASSOCIATES, INC.

METHODOLOGY AND SUMMARY

This report presents an analysis of a survey of Kenai Peninsula area adult residents. The survey measured properties of Kenai Peninsula residents' demographics, behaviors and attitudes concerning competition in the local telephone market. Research typically involves estimating the characteristics of a designated population. Because of the costs of conducting a census of all items in a population, and the adequacy of sample results, sample statistics were used to make statistical inferences concerning population parameters.

Two hundred and sixty-eight (288) Kenai Peninsula area adults were interviewed between February 19th and 22nd, 1998. Interviewing was conducted by telephone on a random digit basis. All Kenai Peninsula households that are accessible by telephone had an equal chance of being interviewed.

At a 95% confidence level, the empirical proportions reported in this survey can be projected, within plus or minus 5.99%, to the entire Kenai Peninsula adult population, aged 18 and over. This means one can be 95% sure that the frequencies reported in this survey are within 5.99% of the true Kenai Peninsula area adult population proportions.

Kenai Peninsula area adults clearly

- o want competition in the local telephone market (75.7%)
- o see lower prices as the most important benefit (76.8%)
- o see higher prices as the biggest disadvantage (39.5%)
- o believe PTI is doing a somewhat or very good job (84.8%)
- o think competition will result in new technology (77.2%)
- o think competition will result in lower prices (87.5%)
- o believe repackaging PTI's service will not result in the full benefits of competition (63.9%)
- o would somewhat or very much worsen their impression of PTI, if they thought PTI was responsible for preventing competition for local telephone service (48.7%)
- o believe Kenai Peninsula is not too rural for competition (86.3%)
- o think Kenai Peninsula will not receive all of the advantages occurring in the telecommunication industry, if PTI maintains its monopoly (55.5%)
- o believe competition in the long distance market has been good (86.3%)
- o think competition in the local telephone market would be good (89.7%)

KENAI PENINSULA RESIDENTIAL PUBLIC OPINION RESEARCH SURVEY

February 19 to 22, 1998

Sample size = 268
Margin of error ± 5.99%

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Hello, my name is _____ and I am calling for Helleenthal & Associates. We are conducting a Kenai Peninsula area public opinion research survey. Your telephone number was randomly selected. The questions I need to ask will take five to seven minutes. All of your responses will be completely confidential. (PAUSE AND PROCEED)

S1. Is this telephone number _____? (IF NO, TERMINATE WITH, "I'm sorry, I dialed the wrong number")

S2. Is this a residence? (IF NO, TERMINATE INTERVIEW WITH, "I'm sorry, I need to talk to someone at a residential telephone")

S3. I would like to speak to one of the adults in your home who makes or helps make decisions about your telephone service. Who would that be?

(Ascertain the name of the person and if possible a more direct number. record on answer sheet. If they can talk straight away, proceed. If they cannot, ask appropriate questions and terminate...)

1. Do you want competition in the local telephone market?

LOCAL COMPETITION	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
YES.....	203.....	75.7%
NO.....	28.....	10.3%
DON'T KNOW.....	38.....	14.1%

2A. What is the most important benefit you see if there is competition in the local telephone market?

BENEFITS	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
Don't see any benefits.....	9.....	3.4%
Lower prices.....	206.....	76.8%
Choose quality of service.....	24.....	9.1%
Keeps the companies on their toes.....	1.....	0.4%
More choice/no monopoly.....	7.....	2.7%
Better products/newer technology.....	4.....	1.5%
Getting AK Airline miles.....	1.....	0.4%
Lower internet.....	2.....	0.8%
Office in Juneau.....	1.....	0.4%
More phone lines.....	2.....	0.8%
Don't know.....	10.....	3.8%

28. What is the biggest disadvantage to consumers you see if there is no competition in the local telephone market?

DISADVANTAGES	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
Don't see any disadvantages.....	13.....	4.9%
Higher prices.....	106.....	39.5%
Inadequate service.....	19.....	7.1%
No new technology.....	1.....	0.4%
Monopoly/can do anything they want.....	66.....	24.7%
Harder for the companies to make money...1.....	1.....	0.4%
Lack of choice.....	13.....	4.9%
Billing problems.....	1.....	0.4%
Hard to deal with big corporation.....	1.....	0.4%
No phone lines available.....	1.....	0.4%
Apathy of part of the suppliers.....	1.....	0.4%
Inconvenience.....	2.....	0.8%
Higher internet cost.....	3.....	1.1%
No local service office.....	1.....	0.4%
No consolidation.....	1.....	0.4%
Don't know.....	37.....	13.7%

3. What type of job do you think PTI is doing in providing you with local telephone service? Do you think PTI is doing a very good, somewhat good, somewhat poor, or very poor job in providing you with local telephone service?

PTI'S JOB RATING	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
VERY GOOD.....	100.....	37.3%
SOMEWHAT GOOD.....	127.....	47.5%
NEUTRAL (DO NOT READ).....	21.....	8.0%
SOMEWHAT POOR.....	9.....	3.4%
VERY POOR.....	10.....	3.8%

4. Do you think competition in the local telephone market will result in new technology?

NEW TECHNOLOGY	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
YES.....	207.....	77.2%
NO.....	26.....	9.9%
DON'T KNOW.....	35.....	12.9%

5. Do you think competition in the local telephone market will result in lower prices for telephone service?

LOWER PRICES	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
YES.....	234.....	87.5%
NO.....	22.....	8.4%
DON'T KNOW.....	11.....	4.2%

6. There are two types of competition: one way is to resell PTI's service where a competitor is only allowed to repackage that service; another way is for a competitor to build its own network and facilities. If a competitor for local telephone service is only allowed to repackage PTI's service, do you think that will result in the full benefits of competition?

REPACKAGING FULL BENEFITS	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
YES.....	30.....	11.0%
NO.....	171.....	63.9%
DON'T KNOW.....	67.....	25.1%

7. If PTI was responsible for preventing competition for local telephone service, would your impression of PTI very much worsen, somewhat worsen, or would it not make a difference to you?

PTI'S IMAGE IF PREVENTS COMPETITION	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
VERY MUCH WORSEN.....	33.....	12.2%
SOMEWHAT WORSEN.....	98.....	36.5%
NO DIFFERENCE.....	115.....	43.0%
DON'T KNOW.....	22.....	8.4%

8. The Alaska Public Utility Commission (APUC) considers Kenai Peninsula to be a rural community. Do you think Kenai Peninsula is too rural for competition?

KENAI TOO RURAL FOR COMP	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
YES.....	24.....	9.1%
NO.....	231.....	86.3%
DON'T KNOW.....	12.....	4.6%

9. If PTI maintains its monopoly and there is no competition, will Kenai Peninsula receive all of the advantages occurring in the telecommunication industry?

IF MONOPOLY ADVANTAGES	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
YES.....	63.....	23.6%
NO.....	149.....	55.5%
DON'T KNOW.....	56.....	20.9%

10. Do you think competition in the long distance market has been good for consumers?

LONG DISTANCE COMPETITION	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
YES.....	231.....	86.3%
NO.....	18.....	6.8%
DON'T KNOW.....	18.....	6.8%

11. Would competition in the local telephone market be good for consumers?

LOCAL COMPETITION GOOD	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
YES.....	240.....	89.7%
NO.....	9.....	3.4%
DON'T KNOW.....	18.....	6.8%

12. Are you registered to vote in the State of Alaska?

REGISTERED TO VOTE?	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
YES.....	239.....	89.4%
NO.....	29.....	10.6%

13. How many total years of education have you completed? (FORMAL ATTENDANCE IN SCHOOL) (EIGHTH GRADE = 8; HIGH SCHOOL = 12; TRADE SCHOOL = 13; COLLEGE GRADUATE - BA or BS = 16; MASTERS DEGREE = 18; LAWYER, DOCTOR, Ph.D = 19)

EDUCATION OF RESPONDENT	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
High school or less.....	74.....	27.8%
1 to 2 Years college.....	94.....	35.0%
3 to 4 Years college.....	56.....	20.9%
Post college.....	44.....	16.3%
(Mean = 14.251 years)		
(Median = 13.186 years)		

14. Of the people presently living in your household how many are children or adolescents aged 18 or under?

CHILDREN	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
None.....	139.....	51.7%
One.....	45.....	16.7%
Two.....	44.....	16.3%
Three or more.....	41.....	15.2%
(Mean = 1.019)		
(Households with Children Mean = 2.110)		

15. In what year were you born? (COMPUTED TO AGE BY SUBTRACTING FROM 98)

AGE OF RESPONDENT	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
18 to 29.....	26.....	9.9%
30 to 34.....	20.....	7.6%
35 to 39.....	47.....	17.5%
40 to 49.....	81.....	30.0%
50 year old or older.....	94.....	35.0%
(Mean = 46.350 years)		
(Median = 44.590 years)		

16. Are you married or single?

MARITAL STATUS	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
Married.....	182.....	68.1%
Single.....	86.....	31.9%

17. SEX (USUALLY DO NOT NEED TO ASK).....

GENDER	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
Male.....	115.....	43.0%
Female.....	153.....	57.0%

THE FOLLOWING VARIABLES ARE CALCULATED USING THE CHILDREN, YEAR BORN, MARITAL AND GENDER VARIABLES

MARITAL BY GENDER	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
Married Males.....	73.....	27.4%
Married Females.....	109.....	40.7%
Single Males.....	42.....	15.6%
Single Females.....	44.....	16.3%

FAMILY STATUS	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
Young Single (18-37).....	14.....	5.3%
Adult Single (37+).....	40.....	14.8%
Single Parent.....	32.....	11.8%
Young Couple (18-37).....	4.....	1.5%
Mature Couple (37+).....	81.....	30.0%
Young Family (18-37).....	36.....	13.3%
Mature Family (37+).....	62.....	23.2%

THE FOLLOWING VARIABLE IS CALCULATED USING THE TELEPHONE PREFIX.

AREAS OF KENAI PENINSULA	FREQUENCY	PERCENT
Seldovia/Jakalof Bay 234.....	3.....	1.1%
Halibut Cove 296.....	1.....	0.4%
Homer/Anchor Point 235.....	60.....	22.4%
Port Graham 284.....	1.....	0.4%
Ninilchik 567.....	6.....	2.3%
Kenai/Salamatof 283.....	58.....	21.7%
North Kenai/Nikiski 776.....	23.....	8.7%
Soldotna/Sterling 260.....	6.....	2.3%
Soldotna/Sterling 262.....	84.....	31.2%
Seward 224.....	22.....	8.4%
Moose Pass 288.....	1.....	0.4%
Cooper Landing 595.....	2.....	0.8%

THIS COMPLETES THE SURVEY, THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR HELPING US -- GOODBYE.

Pick Solie
Introduced: 09/24/98
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Failed: 10/12/98
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**RESOLUTION NO. 98-066
A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING FULL LOCAL TELEPHONE COMPETITION**

WHEREAS, modern telecommunications infrastructure is of critical importance to spur economic development in the Fairbanks North Star Borough; and

WHEREAS, wider choice by consumers accompanied by competition for the quality and price of telecommunications services is in the best interest of Fairbanks North Star Borough consumers; and

WHEREAS, education and medical services will benefit from advanced telecommunications services such as high speed internet access; and

WHEREAS, competition in long distance telecommunications has helped to encourage all of these benefits in Alaska; and

WHEREAS, competition in the local telecommunications market will produce the same kind of benefits when permitted in Fairbanks; and

WHEREAS, there are more than 50,000 access lines operated by PTI within the Fairbanks North Star Borough which diminishes any practical basis for a rural exemption being imposed within the Borough; and

WHEREAS, Full local telephone competition has been authorized only in Anchorage to date, where it has reduced prices significantly so far this year, and has increased the availability and variety of services; and

WHEREAS, the Alaska Public Utilities Commission has failed to approve GCI's request to allow full local competition in Fairbanks;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fairbanks North Star Borough encourages the Alaska Public Utilities Commission and Alaska State Legislature to adopt a pro-competitive policy for local telephone services which will continue to provide funding mechanisms to finance the universal service priority.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Fairbanks North Star Borough urges the Alaska Public Utilities Commission to complete its relevant dockets no later than January 1, 1999, and thereafter upon application to allow full local telephone competition.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 12th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1998.

Hank Bartos
Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

Mona Lisa Drexler, CMC/AAE
Municipal Borough Clerk

Ayes: Parr, Sonaf Frank, Young, Sattley, LaSota, Solie, Prax, McBride, Bartos

Noes: Quakenbush

Abstained: Webb

Introduced By: Council Member Allen
Mayor Jim Hayes

RESOLUTION NO. 3789
A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING FULL LOCAL
TELEPHONE COMPETITION

WHEREAS, the City of Fairbanks recently sold its telephone utility to PTI in part due to the anticipated and increasing competition in the telephone industry; and

WHEREAS, modern telecommunications infrastructure is of critical importance to spur economic development in the Fairbanks North Star Borough; and

WHEREAS, wider choice by consumers accompanied by competition for the quality and price of telecommunications services is in the best interest of Fairbanks North Star Borough consumers; and

WHEREAS, education and medical services will benefit from advanced telecommunications services such as high speed internet access; and

WHEREAS, competition in long distance telecommunications has helped to encourage all of these benefits in Alaska; and

WHEREAS, competition in the local telecommunications market will produce the same kind of benefits when permitted in Fairbanks; and

WHEREAS, there are more than 50,000 access lines operated by PTI within the Fairbanks North Star Borough which diminishes any practical basis for a rural exemption being imposed within the Borough; and

WHEREAS, Full local telephone competition has been authorized only in Anchorage to date, where it has reduced prices significantly so far this year, and has increased the availability and variety of services; and

WHEREAS, the Alaska Public Utilities Commission has failed to approve GCI's request to allow full local competition in Fairbanks;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAIRBANKS to encourage the Alaska Public Utilities Commission and Alaska State Legislature to adopt a pro-competitive policy for local telephone services which will continue to provide funding mechanisms to finance the universal service priority.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Fairbanks urges the Alaska Public Utilities Commission to complete its relevant dockets no later than January 1, 1999, and thereafter upon application to allow full local telephone competition.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 26th day of October, 1998

James C. Hayes, Mayor

Ayes: 6
Nays: 0
Abstain: 0
Absent: 0

ATTEST: APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Nancy L. DeLeon, City Clerk Herbert P. Kuss, City Attorney

Presented by: Assemblymember Garrett
Introduced: 01/04/99
Drafted by: J.R. Corso

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 1976

**A Resolution Supporting Full Local Telecommunications
Competition.**

WHEREAS, the City & Borough of Juneau is home to Alaska's State Capital, and

WHEREAS, modern telecommunications infrastructure is of critical importance in maintaining Juneau as Alaska's capital city, and

WHEREAS, modern telecommunications infrastructure is also of critical importance to economic development and a diversified economic base for the city & borough, and

WHEREAS, competition in the delivery of goods and services has always been in the best interest of the citizens of the city & borough because competition has consistently brought lower prices and a higher level of service, and

WHEREAS, the Assembly of the City & Borough of Juneau has consistently supported and advocated for competition in the provision of goods and services for the community, and

WHEREAS, wider choice by consumers accompanied by competition for the quality and price of telecommunications services is in the best interest of the city & borough consumers, and

WHEREAS, the Alaska Public Utilities Commission has now completed proceedings regarding intrastate access charges and establishing a statewide universal service fund;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY
AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA:**

Section 1. That the Assembly encourages the Alaska State Legislature and the Alaska Public Utilities Commission to adopt a pro-competitive policy especially for local telephone and cable television service.

Section 2. The Alaska Public Utilities Commission should include in that policy the requirements that competition for local telephone services assure continued funding for universal service priority, and that prospective competitors provide equal levels of service to all consumers in the city & borough.

Section 3. Effective Date. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

Adopted this 4th day of January, 1999.

Dennis Egan, Mayor

Attest:
Marian J. Miller, Clerk

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

SIGN-IN

SB 52-LOCAL EXCHANGE TELEPHONE SERVICE

NAME: Judy Warwick Sub./Bill No: CSSB52
Co./Dept./Title: GCI Reg. Mgr. External Affairs Phone: 456-3354
Address: 505 Old Steese #101, FBKS Zip: 99701

Do you wish to testify? Yes No Respond to Questions

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SB 52	MR	GREG	BERBERICH	MTA	TESTIFY
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SB 126	MR.	ARTHUR	WALTERS	TESTIFY
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