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| Margie Stewart     | 3325 Rose St. Anchorage Ak         | 8-8-81       |
| Evelyn A. Kihula   | 9499 BRAYTON DR. Sp. 197 ANCH. AK. | 8-8-81       |
| Natalia Barenin    | Engle River                        | 8-8-81       |
| Doraleen Colon     | 644 W. 34th #315                   | 8-8-81       |
| Marilyn Russell    | 2-788 D B St. E.A.F.B.             | 8-8-81       |
| James E. Payne     | 8810 Cordell Cir - Anch. Ak        | 8-8-81       |
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| Betty [unclear]            | 1516 Cook Dr. Anchorage           | 8/8/81       |
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| Shirley Trent              | P.O. Box 3-522 ECB Anch.          | 99501        |
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| Jean Roggi         | Box 283 Seward AK 99664                      | 8/8/81 |
| <del>Bob</del>     | 4117 McRae Sp. 19B Anch 99504                | 8-8-81 |
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| Donna K. Tubala    | P499 Brainerd Sp 197 8/8/81                  |        |
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| Judy Dickson       | 2910 ROSA ST.                       |        |
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| Jane Thompson      | Box 4-955 (P.O. Box) AK 99509       |        |
| Beverly A. Brudwin | P.O. Box 2013 Anch AK 99510         |        |
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| Karen Nicks        | 5839 Dowd Pl. Anch. AK. 99507       |        |
| Von Haller         | 4022 Burbank Dr Anch AK 99503       |        |
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| MATHIE HARVEY      | 7506 ZURICH Anch 99507              |        |
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| Penney L. Miles    | 1002 W. 30th #21 Anch. 99503        |        |
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| Celia Mesley       | 639 E 76 Ave                        |        |
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| William Thompson  |                                    |         |
| Judy Jones        |                                    |         |
| Edward Hubbard    | 606 <del>Box</del> W 34th Apt #118 | 8-11-81 |
| Bette Humphrey    | 1435 1/2 Ingraft 2                 |         |
| Linda Peterson    | 900 Box 13016 Anchorage 99502      | 8-11-81 |
| Lila L. Hubbard   | 606 W. 34th Apt #118 Anch.         |         |
| Marie Anderson    | Box 14 Naknek, AK                  | 8-11-81 |
| Lucille Alfred    | 908 Wildrose Ct.                   |         |
| Janet G. Foss     | 2017 N. Rae Rd. Sp1                | 8/11/81 |
| Charles Bandy     | 402 Taylor                         | 8/11/81 |
| Harriet Selcup    | 2705 Klondike                      | 8/11/81 |
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| Agnes Lindley     | 415 E 11th                         | 8/11/81 |
| Edith Engman      | 3900 Seaford                       | 8-11-81 |
| Diane L. MARTIN   | 7609 Stanley                       | 8/11/81 |
| Pat Martin        | 7505 Glenn Hwy                     | 8/11/81 |
| Willie McCall     | 1340 Airport Hwy                   | 8/11/81 |
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| Alma Larson       | 519 E 6th Anch                     | 8/11/81 |
| Marcia V. Merrill | 3213 Linden Dr.                    | 8/11/81 |
| Marian Kinneenack | 1353 W 27th                        | 8/11/81 |
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| Charles Stabig    | 421 E-ST-ANC                       | 8/11/81 |
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| Jessie Ross        | 5700-Fiji ANC, AK.     | 8/9/81               |
| Carolee Mae        | 1545 So Hope ANCH AK   | 8/9/81               |
| Kimberly Patterson | 2627 Terrace Bldg WA.  | 8/9/81               |
| Patricia Austin    | 801 Airport Hts Sp 187 | 8/9/81               |
| Alan Bradshaw      | 801 " " # 236          | 8/9/81               |
| Don Bradshaw       | 801 " " # 236          | 8/9/81               |
| Mary Johnson       | 5121 Mills Dr          | 9/5/81               |
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| Wynne R. Barth     | 6033 Tudor Rd          | ANCH. AK.            |
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| Heena Dunderoff    | Box 10-457             | Anchorage, AK.       |
| Melissa White      | 3740 1/2 W. McLean     | ANCH 99503           |
| Elena E. Eason     | 1200 W. Diamond        | ANCH 99502           |
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| Tom Franke         | 3206 Greenland         | 99509                |
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| Willie Dell        | Box 7741               | ANCHORAGE. 99510     |
| Adeline Scheel     | P.O. Box 100           | Eagle River          |
| Barie Borten       | 111 Agate Cir          | ANCH AK 99504        |
| Erin Hobbs         | 2530 Abbey Ln #4       | 99503.               |
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| Fiona Strout     | S.K.H. - Box 491-11          | 8-13-81     |
| Henry Strout     | S.K.H. - Box 491-11          | 8-13-81     |
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| Hildi Frankotack | 1559 KARLUK                  | 8/13/81     |
| Minerva Williams | 2960 JONES ANCH              | 8-13-81     |
| L. W. Williams   | " " " "                      | 8-13-81     |
| Shirley Browning |                              | 4-14-81     |
| Esse Spencer     | 03176 CAMPBELL AIRSTRP AK    | 8-14-81     |
| India Oksanen    | Box 671 Whittier AK 99193    | 8-14-81     |
| Margit DeTrick   | 1200 Dismal Ct. Ft 719       |             |
| Kim Adams        | 647 E 74 Apt #1              | 8/15/81     |
| Alma Parrell     | 323 S. Bering Apt #3         | 8/15/81     |
| Di A. B.         | Box 429                      | 8/15/81     |
| Bryce Casanova   | 887 LeBar                    | "           |
| Alma Finne       | 8930 Woodstock Circle        | 8/15/81     |
| M. A. Finne      | " " "                        | 8/15/81     |
| Marghan Rudnick  | 4623 Mt. View Dr. #7         | 8/15/81     |
| Berrie Rudnick   | " " " " "                    | "           |
| Kathie M Cole    | 1409 E 11th apt 14           | 8-15-81     |
| Gloria Guerrero  | 1021 Boniface Pleny. 4-H     | 8-15-81     |
| Johnnie Mc Min   | 416 B Beluga Ft Rich         | 8-15-81     |
| Wmsey Batta      | 4509 Van Buren               | 8-15-81     |
| Mary McDonald    | 5524 Sevin Ln #304           | 8-15-81     |
| Virginia Hall    | 2376 Cordova Apt 13          | 8-15-81     |
| Lou Heerin       | SR Box 4697 Eadsburg         | 8-15-81     |
| Grace Erickson   | 330 Price St #2A             | 8-15-81     |
| William Rhoads   | 1140 E. BLEWETT DR ANCHORAGE | 8-15-81     |
| David Swales     | " " " " " " " "              | " " " " " " |

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| David L. York          | 4941 LAUREL              | 8/17/81 |
| Steve J. [unclear]     | 4941 Laurel              | 8/17/81 |
| Alexander J. [unclear] | 41706 Laurel             | 8-17-81 |
| Walter J. [unclear]    | 3120 E 42nd St           | 8-17-81 |
| Rosemary [unclear]     | 2970 Brewster            | 8-18-81 |
| Leslie Smith           | 2100 Seward              | 8-18-81 |
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| Margie [unclear]       | 705 Muldoon              | 8-18-81 |
| Kathy [unclear]        | 700 DeBore               | 8-18-81 |
| Kathy [unclear]        | SRA Box 947              |         |
| Norman Richtoroff      | 200 N Price              | 8-18-81 |
| Ronaldine Harris       | 3933 Brewster            | 8-18-81 |
| Marvin W. Harris       | 3933 Brewster            | 8-18-81 |
| Terry Alfonso McDonald | 1200 W Diamond #821      | 8-18-81 |
| Maurice McDonald       | 1200 W Diamond #821      | 8-18-81 |
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| Carlye Marie [unclear] | 5600 Alameda             | 8-19-81 |
| Peter M. [unclear]     | 2600 Diamond             | 8-19-81 |
| Pam Tierney            | 305 Lienheart Ct.        | 8-19-81 |
| Robert [unclear]       | 305 Lienheart Ct.        | 8-19-81 |
| Walter [unclear]       | P.O. Box 1237            | 8-19-81 |
| Robert [unclear]       | 801 Airport #1922        | 8-19-81 |
| John [unclear]         | 327 [unclear]            | 8-19-81 |
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| Lillian P. Tal     |                 |         |
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| M. T. C. Petter    |                 |         |
| Ralescous Johnson  |                 |         |
| John... Snow       |                 |         |
| Celine Davis       |                 |         |
| Natalie Johnson    |                 |         |
| Paul... Hansen     | De              | 8-11-81 |
| Mark...            | De              |         |
| Joe...             | De              | 8-4-81  |
| Lita...            |                 |         |
| Lynn...            | De              | 8-11-81 |
| Joe...             | De              | 8-11-81 |

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WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, as members and patrons of SPENARD POST # 28 THE AMERICAN LEGION, a non-profit organization with permit #81-115 believe that "pull tabs" are a raffle or lottery and their use by authorized organizations is allowed. Pull tabs are a major source of income for our organization and discontinuation of this income will severely restrict our ability to contribute to community activities and continue our community responsibilities and obligations. We strongly protest this action and request the Commissioner of Revenue to review his opinion, and to consider the magnitude of the consequences if this action takes place.

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| Albert J. Dean         | 7800 Debarre Spc #144                             | Aug 14, 81 |
| Don Deane              | 7800 DERBER RD. #144                              | 8-14-81    |
| Shirley McDonald       | St Rt A Box 144 Willow Alaska                     |            |
| Larry W. Mulneaux      | 909 CHUGACH WAY #54 ANCH, AK. <sup>99503</sup>    | 8-14-81    |
| Donna McDonald         | SRA Box 144 - Willow - Alaska                     | 8-14-81    |
| Michael J. ...         | 7830 Redwood #11 Anchorage, AK. 99502             |            |
| Roy L. Styer           | 3701 CORE CT ANCHORAGE                            | AUG-14-81  |
| Jim Slets              | .....   | ..         |
| Marion L. Myrick       | SRA BOX 3500H ANCHORAGE                           | 8-14-81    |
| David L. McCallum      | Box 483 SRA ANCH                                  | 8-14-81    |
| Shirley McDonald       | Box 10092 South STA. ANCH 99502                   | 8-14-81    |
| Elizabeth M. Gullivary | Box 483 SRA ANCH                                  | 8-14-81    |
| Robert Walle           | 5222 E 24 #2 Anch                                 | 8-14-81    |
| Robert L. Stephens     | 1200 W. Diamond #104.5 <sup>99502</sup> Anchorage | 8-14-81    |
| Jim Montebrault        | 3503 P STAR ST A ANCHORAGE                        | 8-14-81    |
| James J. L. Jackson    | 4140 Folker St. Sp 26 Anchorage, AK               | 8-14-81    |
| Robert Daniels         | Box 3276 Anch, AK.                                | 8-14-81    |
| Ginny Daniels          | Box 3276 Anch, AK.                                | 8-14-81    |
| David Crystal          | 1200 W. Diamond #104.5 99502                      | 8-14-81    |

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| NAME (Title)      | MAILING ADDRESS           | DATE      |
|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------|
| Rollin Gargin     | 1378 LA Troch             | Aug 14 81 |
| Cecil S. Kemons   |                           |           |
| Helen K Lindsay   | 1200 W. Diamond #45       | 8-14-81   |
| Andis Bick        | 3461 TUDOR RD.            | 8-14-81   |
| Louis Crystal     | 1200 W Diamond #46        | 8-14-81   |
| Delores Mobley    | P.O. 4-1727 Anch, Ak.     | 8-14-81   |
| E. F. Mobley      | P.O. 4-1727 Anch, Ak.     | 8-14-81   |
| C. Soden          | 1501 Elmendorf Dr         | 8-14-81   |
| Chas L. Soden     | 1501 Elmendorf Dr         | 8-14-81   |
| Betty Homan       | 9449 Brighton Sp 202      | 8-14-81   |
| Karen Homan       | 9449 Brighton Sp 202      | 8-14-81   |
| Robert C. Joffe   | SRA 1764 T Anchorage      | 8-14-81   |
| Adrian Sperling   | 1100 E Dowling Rd.        | 8/14/81   |
| Joe Warren        | 2614 E 17th               | 8-14-81   |
| Lester Brown      | 8490 Hartzell St. Anch AK | 8/14/81   |
| Ernest L. Cross   | 9490 HARTZELL Rd.         | 8/14/81   |
| George M. Plum    | 3610 E. 42nd #10          | 8-14-81   |
| Hazel M. Hamilton | 1200 W Diamond            | 8-14-81   |
| Jerry Morrison    | 1200 Diamond              | 8-14-81   |
| Lee S. Fielding   | 1507 Karluk. Anch.        | 8-14-81   |
| J. J. Conroy      | 1604 W. 15th #3           | 8-14-81   |

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|--------------------|---|---------|
| Jeanine Crossley   | 6009 W. 75th #3                         | 8-14-81 |
| Eric Reese         | 130 W. 4th                              | 8-14-81 |
| Carl J. Glauk      | 1200 W. Diamond                         | 8-14-81 |
| Bill F. Muel       | 3019 G. Glacier                         | 8-14-81 |
| Carole Muel        | 3019 G. Glacier                         | 8-19-81 |
| Esther M. Glauk    | 1200 W. Diamond                         | 8-14-81 |
| Sharon J. Anderson | P.O. Box 10-1861 ANCH. AK.              | 8-14-81 |
| Zenny L. Anderson  | P.O. Box 10-1861 ANCH. AK.              | 8-14-81 |
| Clay Hill          | P.O. Box 10-126 <sup>9551</sup> ANCH AK | 8-14-81 |
| Carol Nelson       | P.O. Box 10-126 Anch AK                 | 8-14-81 |
| J. B. Oo           | SRA Box 483 Anch AK                     | 8-17-81 |
| David Tanner       | P.O. Box 392 Eagle River                | 8-14-81 |
| Deanne Kooch       | 6460 Lakeview Dr.                       | 8-14-81 |
| J. B. Barry        | 160 S. Roosevelt <sup>ANCH</sup> AK     | 8-14-81 |
| Bill Jensen        | SRA Box 4080                            | 8-14-81 |
| Norm Jensen        | same                                    | 8-14-81 |
| April Jensen       | Box 2 Eagle River                       | 8-14-81 |
| Patricia Pickett   | 7123 Gilmore Ct                         | 8/14/81 |
| John Pickett Sr.   | 1123 Hedinger Dr                        | 8/14/81 |
| Walt Lee           | 1208 Bonnell                            | 8/15/81 |
| Don Dawson         | 1208 Bonnell                            | 8/15/81 |

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 benefits of countless community services and projects now being  
 provided by authorized non-profit organizations through the income  
 generated by the sale of "pull tabs".

| NAME               | MAILING ADDRESS                          | DATE    |
|--------------------|--|---------|
| Mary Halonen       | P.O. Box 16<br>Hooper Bay, AK 99604-0016 | 8/13/81 |
| Lydia M. Haalcker  | Hooper Bay AK 99604                      | 8/13/81 |
| Theresa Gump       | 143<br>Hooper Bay                        | 8/13/81 |
| Mary Triest        | 509 Del<br>Hooper Bay                    | 8/13/81 |
| Gabriel Seton      | PO Box 35<br>Hooper Bay                  | 8/13/81 |
| Katie Mann         | Hooper Bay                               | 8/13/81 |
| Joseph Smart       | Hooper Bay                               | 8/13/81 |
| Katherine Bell     | Hooper Bay                               | 8/13/81 |
| Rachel Smart       | Hooper Bay                               | 8/13/81 |
| August Seton       | " "                                      | " "     |
| Raymond Sinkov     | " "                                      | " "     |
| Charlie Triest     | " "                                      | " "     |
| Peter P. Seton Sr. | " "                                      | 8-13-81 |
| Joan Bell          | " "                                      | 8-13-81 |
| Charles M. Hale    | " "                                      | 8-13-81 |
| Neva Rivers        | " "                                      | 8-13-81 |
| Fred Rivers        | " "                                      | 8-13-81 |
| Maggie Haalcker    |  |         |
| Anna Smart         | " "                                      | " "     |
| Frances Hale       | " "                                      | " "     |
| Celestine Gump     |  |         |
| Paul Lake          | " "                                      | " "     |
| Anthony Timber     | " "                                      | " "     |
| Hilda Seton        | " "                                      | " "     |
| Carl Smith         | " "                                      | " "     |
| George S. Moschler | " "                                      | " "     |

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|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Teresa Barner      | P.O. Box 84           | 8/13/81            |
| Mary T O'Brien     | Hooper Bay            | 8/13/81            |
| M. A. Nelson       | Hooper Bay            | 8-13-81            |
| Laura Joseph       | Hooper Bay            | 8-13-81            |
| Noel Joseph        | Hooper Bay            | 8-13-81            |
| Natalia Smith      |                       |                    |
| Johanna Lake       | Hooper Bay            | 8/13/81            |
| Mary M. Timber     | Hooper Bay            | 8/13/81            |
| Jane M. Keene      | Hooper Bay            | 8/13/81            |
| <del>William</del> | <del>Hooper Bay</del> | <del>8-13-81</del> |
| Lisa Green         | " "                   | " "                |
| Janet Lator        | Hooper Bay            | 8-13-81            |
| Ted Hunter         | Hooper Bay            | 8/13/81            |
| Leo Lator          | " "                   | 8/13/81            |
| Theresa Moran      | Hooper Bay            | 8/13/81            |
| Janet Lator        | " "                   | 8/13/81            |
| Edna C. Lake       | Hooper Bay            | 8/13/81            |
| Eddie Bell         |                       |                    |
| Dolores Kawley     | Hooper Bay            | 8/13/81            |
| Nancy Joe          | " "                   | " "                |
| Luille Knight      | " "                   | " "                |
| Angelo Hoelscher   | " "                   | " "                |
| Agnes Murrain      | " "                   | " "                |
| Bridget Joseph     | " "                   | " "                |

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| NAME (Title)              | MAILING ADDRESS | DATE    |
|---------------------------|-----------------|---------|
| Agnes P. Hecker - Mayor   | Hooper Bay      | 8/14/81 |
| Joan Bell - Treasurer     | Hooper Bay      | 8/14/81 |
| Bowen Th. Olson - member  | " "             | 8/14/81 |
| Gabriel Leton - Secretary | Hooper Bay      | 8/14/81 |
| Alice R. Nevelin - member | Hooper Bay      | 8/14/81 |
| Gladys M. Hale - member   | Hooper Bay      | 8-19-81 |
| Carl Smith - vice Mayor   | " "             | 8/14/81 |
| by _____                  |                 |         |

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AMENDMENT # 1

H.B. 640

SEC. 05.15.210. (15) "Qualified organization" means a bona fide civic or service organization or a bona fide religious, charitable, fraternal, labor political, or educational organization, police or fire department company, dog mushers' association, or fishing-derby or TRADE association in the state, which operates without profit to its members and which has been in existence continually for a period of five years immediately before applying for a license, and the organization may be a firm, corporation, company, association or partnership:



Official Business

# Alaska State Legislature

## Senate

### Committee on Judiciary

Pouch V  
State Capitol  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

#### MINUTES OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

OF

MARCH 22, 1982

Butrovich Committee Room, State Capitol Juneau, Alaska

#### Legislation Before Committee:

- SB 845 - "An Act to provide for reinstatement of certain dissolved Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act village corporations to corporate status."
- SB 592 - "An Act providing that the parents of delinquent minors and children in need of aid have the right to counsel in certain proceedings under AS 47.10."
- SB 473 - "An Act relating to urban renewal and development projects of municipalities; and providing for an effective date."
- HB 640 - "An Act relating to games of chance and contests of skill; and providing for an effective date."

The meeting of the Senate Judiciary Committee was called to order by Chairman Rodey at 1:35 P.M. Committee members present were: Senators Rodey, Ray, Parr, and Anderson. Senator Bennett was absent.

003 - Chairman Rodey called the meeting to order.

005 - The first item of business, SB 845, was brought before the committee.

015 - James Kohler, Department of Community and Regional Affairs, testified in favor of the bill, stating that several corporations were dissolved at no fault of their own.

209 - Mr. Kirkpatrick, Director of Banking Securities Corporations, testified stating neither support nor opposition. He only wanted to see clarification of fees due.

443 - Senator Anderson moved that the bill be passed with individual recommendations. There was no objection and the bill was passed with Senators Anderson, Parr, and Rodey signing do pass, Senator Ray signed no recommendation.

463 - Next Chairman Rodey brought HB 640 before the committee.

470 - Chairman Rodey gave the amendments made to the bill.

552 - Chairman Rodey suggested moving the bill from committee and directed staff to prepare a committee substitute to include the new amendments previously adopted by the committee. There was no objection and the committee substitute was passed with Senators Parr, Ray, and Anderson signing do pass. Senator Rodey signed no recommendation.

650 - Chairman Rodey brought SB 473 before the committee.

727 - After discussion, Senator Ray moved that the committee substitute be passed with individual recommendations. There was no objection and the bill was passed with Senators Parr, Rodey, and Anderson signing do pass. Senator Ray signed no recommendation.

730 - The last item on the agenda was SB 592.

745 - Francis Still, representing herself, testified in favor of SB 592.

780 - Senator Parr moved that on Page 1, Line 12, the following be deleted: [to transfer custody, or to appoint a person other than the parent of a child as guardian of the child,]. There was no objection.

795 - Senator Parr moved that the committee pass SB 592 with a committee substitute to be drafted to include the new amendment. There was no objection and the bill was passed with Senator Parr signing do pass. Senators Ray, Rodey, and Anderson signed no recommendation.

802 - Chairman Rodey adjourned the meeting at 2:20 P.M.

COMMITTEE REPORT

SENATE

3/22/82

FURTHER:

Date: MARCH 22, 1982

Mr. President:

The Committee on JUDICIARY has had CSHB 640(Jud)  
pull-tab and punchboard games

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee) reports it back with the following recommendations:

- do pass  do not pass
- do pass with attached amendments(s)
- replace with CS for HB 410  same title  
 new title
- and recommends DO PASS
- AND attaches a "Letter of Intent"  New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation
- referred to the \_\_\_\_\_ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING  
DO PASS

MEMBERS HAVING  
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

[Signature]

[Signature]

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CHAIRMAN

AMENDMENT NO. 2

BY: Judiciary Committee

TO: CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 640 (JUD)  
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Change title to:

"An Act relating to games of chance and contests of  
skill; and providing for an effective date."

SENATE AMENDMENT *am#1*

By Senate Judiciary Committee

To: \_\_\_\_\_ SENATE BILL No. \_\_\_\_\_

To: \_\_\_\_\_ HOUSE BILL No. CSHB 640 (Jud)

PAGE:                      LINE:

On line 9, Page 1, add the following section:

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A M E N D M E N T # 3

Offered in the SENATE

By Sturgulewski

TO: CSHB 640(Jud)

Page 1, line 6:

Delete "pull-tab and punchboard games" and insert "games of chance and skill"

Page 1, after line 8: insert the following new sections:

\* Section 1. AS 05.15.040 is amended to read:

Sec. 05.15.040. ISSUANCE AND EFFECT AND TERM OF PERMIT. After the fee is paid, a permit issued, and during the effective period of the permit, the municipality or qualified organization may conduct the activity specified in the permit. If a permit is revoked, the permittee is not eligible for another permit until the expiration of one year from the date of revocation. A permit expires at the end of the period for which it is issued. A permit is not transferable.

\* Sec. 2. AS 05.15.100 is amended to read:

Sec. 05.15.100. COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE MAY ISSUE PERMITS. The commissioner of revenue may issue a permit to a municipality or qualified organization. The permit gives the municipality or organization the privilege of conducting bingo, raffles and lotteries, ice classics, rain classics, dog mushers' contests, fish derbies and contests of skill.

\* Sec. 3. AS 05.15.120 is amended to read:

Sec. 05.15.120. ELIGIBILITY FOR PERMIT. An applicant shall be a municipality or qualified organization to be eligible for a permit.

\* Sec. 4. AS 05.15.140 is amended to read:

Sec. 05.15.140. PROOF NECESSARY TO QUALIFY FOR PERMIT. The commissioner of revenue may not issue or renew a permit except upon satisfactory proof [, SATISFACTORY TO HIM,] that the applicant is a municipality or qualified organization, the activity may be permitted under this chapter, and the issuance of a permit is not detrimental to the best interests of the public. Upon request of the commissioner of revenue, the applicant shall prove conclusively each of these requirements before a permit may be issued or renewed.

\* Sec. 5. AS 05.15.150(b) is amended to read:

(b) The net proceeds derived from the activity must be devoted within one year to one or more of the uses stated in (a) of this section. A municipality or qualified [AN] organization desiring to hold the net proceeds for a period longer than one year must apply to the commissioner of revenue for special permission and upon good cause shown the commissioner may grant the request.

Page 1, line 9:

Change "Section 1" to "Sec. 6"

Page 1, after line 15: insert the following:

\* Sec. 7. AS 05.15.210 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

(22) "municipality" means a political subdivision of the state that is a home rule or general law city or borough or a unified municipality.

Page 1, line 16:

Change "Sec. 2" to "Sec. 8"

SENATE AMENDMENT *Am#1*

BY Senate Judiciary Committee

To: \_\_\_\_\_ SENATE BILL No. \_\_\_\_\_

To: \_\_\_\_\_ HOUSE BILL No. CSHB 640 (Jud)

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Official Business

# Alaska State Legislature

## Senate

### Judiciary Committee

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#### MINUTES OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

OF

MARCH 5, 1982

Butrovich Committee Room, State Capitol Juneau, Alaska

#### Legislation Before Committee:

HB 640 - "An Act relating to pull-tab and punchboard games; and providing for an effective date."

SB 175 - "An Act adopting a code of ethics for state officials and state employees; establishing a State Ethics Commission; repealing AS 39.50; and providing for an effective date."

The meeting of the Senate Judiciary Committee was called to order by Chairman Rodey at 1:40 P.M. Committee members present were: Senators Rodey, Bennett, Anderson, Ray, and Parr.

013 - Call to order.

018 - Chairman Rodey brings HB 640 before the committee.

022 - Don Kubley, representing CHAR, testifies in favor of HB 640 and the proposed amendment. See attached amendment.

083 - Senator Ray states that he agrees with pulltabs being legal, but not punchboards.

098 - Senator Bennett moves to adopt amendment #1. There was no objection and it was adopted.

161 - Senator Ray moves to adopt amendment #2 to remove "and punchboard games" on page 1, line 12, out of HB 640. There was no objection and it was adopted.

172 - Senator Bennett moves that HB 640 be passed from committee with individual recommendations. There was no objection. HB 640 was passed with Senator Rodey signing no recommendation, Senators Bennett, Ray, Parr, and Anderson signing do pass.

210 - Chairman Rodey brings SB 175 before the committee.

After brief discussion Senator Rodey suggests that Senator Rodey and Senator Ray form a subcommittee on SB 175 to work out discrepancies with the current bill.

Chairman Rodey adjourned the meeting at 1:50 P.M.



**LOYAL ORDER  
OF MOOSE**

FAIRBANKS LODGE No. 1392  
CLELAND P. DUNBAR • SECRETARY  
507 GAFFNEY RD. • FAIRBANKS, AK 99701

February 22, 1982

Senator Vic Fischer  
Pouch V  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Senator Fischer:

This letter is to request your support for the passage of a bill pending in the Alaska State Senate. This bill will once again legalize the sale of pull-tabs and other games of chance.

We at Fairbanks, Lodge #1392, use the proceeds from the sale of these games to support many worthwhile community endeavors and national medical research foundations. Since January 1, 1982, we have had to deny requests of help from several individuals as well as, the abrupt halt of all proposed contributions to charities or civic groups in 1982.

Please help us to help others! Any support you can show for the proposed bill will be greatly appreciated. Enclosed you will find a partial list of the charitable causes we have supported in the past.

Respectfully,



Cleland Dunbar  
Secretary

CD/slm

Enc.



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FAIRBANKS LODGE No. 1392  
 CLELAND P. DUNBAR • SECRETARY  
 507 GAFFNEY RD. • FAIRBANKS, ALA. 99701

The following is a partial list of the organizations that have received donations from the Fairbanks Loyal Order of Moose within the last three years.

|                             |             |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Girl Scouts                 | \$ 2,780.00 |
| Boy Scouts                  | 2,780.00    |
| Campfire Girls              | 2,780.00    |
| U S O                       | 5,000.00    |
| Alaska Crippled Chi'dren    | 2,780.00    |
| Red Cross                   | 1,500.00    |
| Literary Council            | 1,865.00    |
| Santa's Clearing House      | 6,000.00    |
| Youth Hockey                | 3,300.00    |
| United Way                  | 1,500.00    |
| M S                         | 1,000.00    |
| Special Olympics            | 1,000.00    |
| Close-Up Foundation         | 1,169.00    |
| Northern Region Volleyball  | 300.00      |
| West Valley Band            | 870.00      |
| Firemen's Association       | 950.00      |
| M D A                       | 525.00      |
| Fairbanks Junior Bowling    | 980.00      |
| North Pole Wrestling        | 1,750.00    |
| Fairbanks Softball          | 1,950.00    |
| Cancer Fund                 | 500.00      |
| West Valley Basketball      | 1,500.00    |
| Little League               | 1,250.00    |
| Youth Soccer                | 450.00      |
| Lions                       | 1,600.00    |
| Fairbanks Women's Softball  | 175.00      |
| Four H                      | 150.00      |
| Shrine Crippled Children    | 500.00      |
| React                       | 300.00      |
| Alaska Peace Officers       | 125.00      |
| Fairbanks Junior Basketball | 856.00      |
| Youth Bowling               | 992.00      |
| Sweet Adelines              | 500.00      |
| Acalia Chapter #5           | 100.00      |
| Mooseheart Bowling          | 750.00      |
| Kids Christmas              | 200.00      |
| West Valley Yearbook        | 280.00      |
| Delta Yearbook              | 110.00      |
| Blizzard                    | 96.00       |

TOTAL \$ 51,213.00

January 20, 1982

Celia Ringstad  
502 Monroe Street  
Fairbanks, AK 99701

Dear Celia,

In the past, we have been fortunate enough to be in a position to donate to many civic and charitable organizations. However, we are unable to contribute to anyone at this time.

Sincerely,

Cleland Dunbar  
Secretary

January 20, 1982

Jaylin Kay  
P. O. Box 97  
Fairbanks, AK 99707

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Sincerely,

Cleland Dunbar  
Secretary

January 20, 1982

Joe Curry  
403 Wedgewood, J-5  
Fairbanks, AK 99701

Dear Joe,

In the past, we have been fortunate enough to be in a position to donate to many civic and charitable organizations. However, we are unable to contribute to anyone at this point in time.

Sincerely,

Cleland Dunbar  
Secretary

## MEMORANDUM AUG 28 1981 State of Alaska

TO: Joseph K. Donohue OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER  
Deputy Commissioner  
Department of Revenue

DATE: August 28, 1981

FILE NO: J-66-137-82

WILSON L. CONDON  
ATTORNEY GENERAL

TELEPHONE NO: 465-3600 ext. 60

FROM:   
By: Susan A. Burke  
Assistant Attorney General

SUBJECT: Legality of "pull-tabs"

You have asked our department for an opinion concerning the interpretation of certain provisions of AS 05.15 relating to the scope of gaming activities that may be conducted under a permit issued to a qualified organization. Specifically, you have inquired whether certain devices known as "pull-tabs," "rip-offs" or "rippies" are permitted under the applicable statutes and regulations governing games of chance or skill.

You have described "pull-tabs" as follows: A purchaser buys a card. The card has figures printed on it that are covered by a sticker or by rub-off ink. The purchaser removes the sticker or rubs off the ink, and the figures are then revealed. The cards frequently will have combinations of figures similar to those on a slot machine (bells, cherries, etc.) or figures representing poker hands. Certain combinations of figures will entitle the purchaser to a cash prize, usually ranging from \$1.00 to \$100.00.

Under AS 05.15.100, the commissioner is authorized to issue permits to certain organizations to conduct the following specified activities, "bingo, raffles and lotteries, ice classics, rain classics, dog mushers' contests, fish derbies and contests of skill." It is clear that pull-tabs, if permitted at all, would be authorized under "raffles and lotteries," as none of the other categories of permitted activities embraces this type of game. Under AS 05.15.210(16), "raffle and lottery" are defined together as follows:

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Unfortunately, this definition is rather circular. It defines "raffle and lottery" as a game "known as" a raffle or lottery. The definition does, however, include the three elements that courts have traditionally listed as the elements of a lottery; that is, the elements of consideration, prize, and chance. See, Morrow v. State, 511 P.2d 127 (Alaska 1973). Under this definition of a lottery, courts have broadly interpreted both statutes and constitutional provisions banning "lotteries" as including a wide range of gaming activities, far beyond the activity of selling tickets and drawing the winning ticket stub from a fishbowl or other container. See, e.g., Johnson v. Phinney, 218 F.2d 303 (5th Cir. 1955) (pinball machine is a lottery); In re Interrogatories of Governor re Racing Sweepstakes Act, 585 P.2d 595 (Colo. 1978) (sweepstakes is a lottery where winning ticket is determined by the order of digits selected by a mechanical device); Greater Loretta Improvement Association v. State, 234 So.2d 655 (Fla. 1970) (bingo is a lottery); Hendrix v. McKee, 575 P.2d 134 (Ore. 1978) (electronic punchboards are lotteries); State ex rel. Schillberg v. Safeway Stores, Inc., 450 P.2d 949 (Wash. 1969) (scheme using rub-off cards with a bingo type of game in sales promotion was a lottery). However, there is at least a suggestion that our legislature may have intended something narrower in its definition of lottery than the broad definition of lottery that has developed judicially.

It has been held that the term "raffle" is a certain type of lottery. For example, in United States v. Baker, 364 F.2d 107 (3rd Cir. 1966); the Court stated:

The simplest form of [lottery] is the well-known raffle wherein a prize is awarded to the person holding the ticket, the number or name upon which corresponds to that on the counter-foil or ticket stub drawn at random from a container in which have been placed the stubs of all the tickets distributed.

Id., at 111.

Under AS 05.15.210(16), "raffle and lottery" are defined together, with the singular verb form "means," and the definition refers to a singular "specified game of chance . . . conducted by the drawing for prizes by chance." (Emphasis added.) Thus, it would be a reasonable interpretation of the

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definition of "lottery" to limit it to the traditional raffle type of lottery, because of the particular way in which the definition links "raffle" with "lottery". In our opinion, however, the broad authority granted to the commissioner to adopt regulations under AS 05.15 governing the manner in which authorized games are to be conducted, coupled with the circularity of the definition in AS 05.15.210(16), provides sufficient basis for the department to reach an equally reasonable conclusion that "lottery" was intended to include activities broader than the traditional activities associated with "raffles."

In fact, your department has a long standing interpretation of "raffle and lottery" that is considerably broader than that of a traditional raffle -- ticket stubs drawn from a fishbowl. In 1960, the same year that AS 05.15 was enacted, your department adopted regulations under the authority granted in AS 05.15.060. Under AS 05.15.060(7), the commissioner is required to adopt regulations governing "the method and manner of conducting activity and awarding prizes or awards, and the equipment which may be used." Under this broad authority the commissioner adopted 15 AAC 05.410, which sets out the activities that are permissible as "raffles and lotteries." This regulation apparently distinguishes between "raffles and lotteries" in which "drawing" from a container (in the sense of a traditional raffle) is an essential characteristic of the permitted activity, and those in which "drawing" in that sense is not.

Under section 410(5) the department has authorized "special-draw" winners which are determined by means "other than drawing from a container." That subsection then goes on to list and describe eleven games that qualify as "special-draw" games. Judging from the descriptions of some of these games, it is apparent that the department in the past has interpreted the definition of "raffle and lottery" fairly broadly, and has even given the term "drawing" in the statutory definition a broad reading. For example, it is difficult to discern a traditional type of "drawing" in the "hamster game" authorized under sec. 410(5)(K). Under this game, "Hamster is placed in an enclosure with several numbered exit holes. Winner is determined by hole hamster enters." Similarly, the element of a traditional "drawing" seems totally absent in such authorized games as the dart games and the bean guess game.

We believe that the definition of "raffle and lottery" in AS 15.15.210(16) is sufficiently ambiguous that your department is within its regulatory authority to interpret the definition as broadly as it has done under 15 AAC 05.210. We believe

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it would be equally within the department's authority to choose a more narrow construction of the terms "lottery" and "drawing" in the statutory definitions. Should the department choose to adopt a very narrow construction, then the existing regulations authorizing such games as "hamster" and "bean guess" should be repealed. Similarly, the use of pull-tabs by qualified organizations would not be appropriate under a narrow reading of the statutory definition.

If, on the other hand, the department believes that the purposes of AS 05.15 would be served by permitting pull-tabs to be sold by qualified permit holders, we believe that the department would be within its statutory authority to adopt a regulation permitting pull-tabs. Certainly the pull-tabs that you have described come within the judicially developed definition of a lottery. The three elements of consideration, chance and prize are certainly present. While the pull-tabs do not involve the traditional ticket stubs drawn from the fishbowl aspect of a raffle, there is at least more of an element of a "drawing" with the pull-tabs than with the hamster game. The purchaser of a pull-tab could reasonably be said to be drawing his or her ticket when the card is purchased. See, State v. Gattling, 230 A.2d 147 (N.J. Super. 1967).

In short, we are of the opinion that the department has the authority to permit pull-tabs if as a matter of policy it wishes to do so. We do not, however, believe that a fair reading of the department's existing regulations authorizes the use of pull-tabs. Under 15 AAC 05.410(1) - (3), the following definitions appear:

- (1) On-premise raffle or lottery means winners must be present at the place of drawing;
- (2) Off-premise raffle or lottery means winners do not have to be present at the place of the drawing.
- (3) Draw-raffle winners are determined by drawing from a container.

Arguably these sections draw a distinction between raffles and lotteries, since it is only "draw-raffle" winners who are determined by "drawing from a container." Conceivably the failure to have included "lottery" in subsection (3) evidenced an intent that lottery winners could be determined by

some sort of drawing other than from a container. The correctness of this interpretation, however, is made doubtful by the provisions of 15 AAC 05.410(5), which provides, without distinguishing between raffles and lotteries:

"Special-draw winners are determined by means other than drawing from a container"

Subsection (5) then goes on to list the kinds of games that are included in the "special-draw winner" category. This list of games is clearly limited to the ones specifically listed, and does not include pull-tabs.<sup>1</sup>

In summary, we believe that the department has the authority under AS 05.15 to adopt a regulation adding pull-tabs to the list of "special-draw winner" games. Similarly, the department has the authority to decline to do so, as well as to repeal those regulations that authorize games that go beyond a narrow construction of "raffle and lottery." We understand that a large number of qualified organizations that currently hold permits under AS 05.15 have been raising money through selling chances on pull-tabs for some years, and that recently the department notified all permit holders that pull-tabs were not authorized games of chance under their permits. While we agree with the department's interpretation of its existing regulations, we also believe that it is within the department's discretion to withhold active enforcement against pull-tabs pending one of two events. If the department determines that it should consider adopting a regulation authorizing the sale of pull-tabs by qualified organizations, then it could suspend enforcement against them while the department conducted the notice and hearing procedures under the Administrative Procedures Act (AS 44.62). On the other hand, if the department determines that it does not want to consider the regulation adopting alternative, it could suspend enforcement against pull-tabs for a reasonable period of time in order to give the legislature an opportunity to clarify the definition of lottery in the statute.

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We are aware of the fact that an informal memorandum of advice from our department dated August 20, 1965, reaches a different conclusion, at least with respect to punchboards. Having reviewed that memorandum, we believe that its reading of the term "container" is somewhat strained. While we believe that there are arguments to support our earlier advice, we recommend that if you decide to amend your regulations you should address the punchboard question specifically in your regulations.

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*Ketchikan Indian Corporation*  
(IRA Council)  
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429 DEERMOUNT AVENUE  
*Ketchikan, Alaska 99901*

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February 3, 1982

Patrick Rodey, Chairman  
Senate Judiciary Committee  
601 W. 5th Avenue  
Suite 820  
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Dear Mr. Chairman:

The Ketchikan Indian Corporation is the federally recognized tribal government for the Natives residing in the Ketchikan Gateway Borough, as sanctioned under the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934, as amended for Alaska in 1936.

At a special meeting of the Council of the Ketchikan Indian Corporation, a motion was made and duly passed, supporting Senate Bill number 632, an act relating to games of chance and contests of skill, and providing for an effective date.

The Council of the Corporation is aware of the many benefits that the community receives as a result of these activities, and would like to see these activities continued and improved upon in a fashion as outlined by Senate Bill Number 632.

Any assistance you can give in the adoption of this Bill will be very much appreciated.

Sincerely,



Edward K. Thomas  
Executive Director

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# LOYAL ORDER of MOOSE

ANCHORAGE LODGE NO. 1534



*File*  
4211 ARCTIC BLVD.  
99503  
Anchorage, Alaska

21 January 1982

Anchorage, Alaska

Representative Dick Randolph  
Alaska State Legislature  
Pouch V, State Capitol  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Representative Randolph:

Thank you very much for your letter explaining the problems surrounding the use of "pull-tabs" and other games of skill and chance for raising funds for charitable purposes.

We certainly agree with your analysis of the problem and the value of changing the regulations. Our Lodge has in the past made a considerable number of contributions, quite significant in their total, to local community service and charitable groups. These funds have come almost exclusively from the proceeds of our pull-tab program. In point of fact, all proceeds were used exclusively for charitable contributions.

We wish to encourage you to take those steps you feel appropriate to the end, to modify the regulations that prevent us from conducting a pull-tab program.

Due to the lack of any evidence of any clear and present danger to the citizens of our State posed by a pull-tab game of chance and our desire to use the proceeds for the betterment of the citizens of our State, we whole-heartedly support a change in the regulations to allow their use.

Certainly, we would be willing to cooperate and comply with any reasonable reporting requirements for the purpose of insuring the proceeds are indeed being used to cover only the expenses associated with the program and those charitable purposes already noted.

If we can help in any way, please contact us at 4211 Arctic Blvd, Anchorage, 99503, 272-4752.

Respectfully yours,

*Melvin L. Bunch*  
Melvin L. Bunch, Governor

*James E. Fox*  
James E. Fox, Secretary

CC: Governor Jay Hammond  
Lt. Governor Miller  
✓ Alaska Senate Members  
Alaska House Members



A NON-PROFIT CIVIC ORGANIZATION

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January 12, 1982

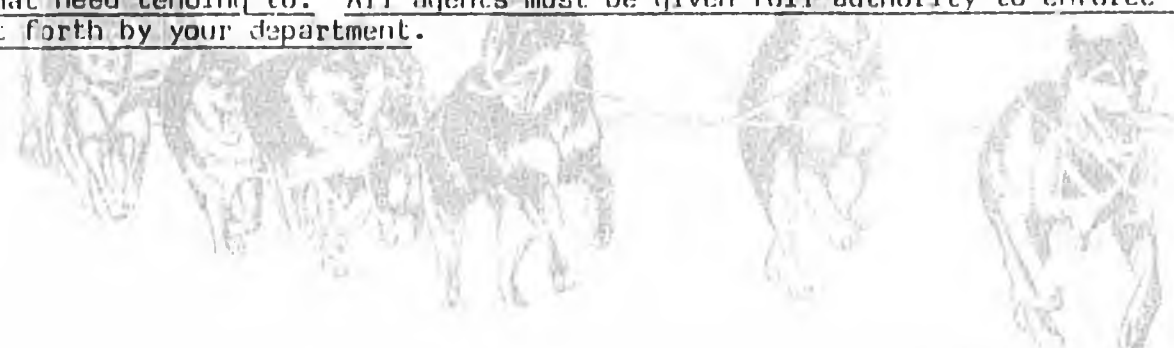
Thomas K. Williams,  
Commissioner  
Department of Revenue  
State Office Building  
Pouch SA  
Juneau AK 99811

Dear Commissioner Williams:

This letter will inform you that as of December 31, 1981, Greater Anchorage Inc., d/b/a/ Anchorage Fur Rendezvous closed its Rony Palace Bingo Hall. After careful review, in order to comply with State rules and regulations governing the use of "pull tabs" we found we would be unable to operate without considerable losses and therefore made the difficult decision to cease all Bingo operations.

Fur Rendezvous, for the first time in several years, is now facing financial problems. Our organization, however, was not built or has become successful without having pitfalls along it's 47 years in existence. We, therefore, will dig in once again, fall back, regroup and find alternative methods to solve what currently appears "very black".

Our organization has conducted its Bingo operations over the years completely within the compliance of the Alaska statutes. We would like to feel that all the halls in the Anchorage area have operated under these same conditions. We feel this is not the case, however, as some of the halls are continuing to use pull tabs. Not in the same manner of course, but nevertheless they are in use and it is our total understanding they are to be NON-EXISTENT. If we are incorrect, and this is not the case, please let us know so we may re-open our operation. On the other hand, if we are correct we request the statutes be enforced so all are treated equal. Our concern is that your department enforce the rules and regulations you have set forth and that all abide by them. We do not feel Fur Rendezvous should suffer just because it does not want to take the chance of "being caught". It is the enforcement rather than the rules that need tending to. All agents must be given full authority to enforce the laws set forth by your department.



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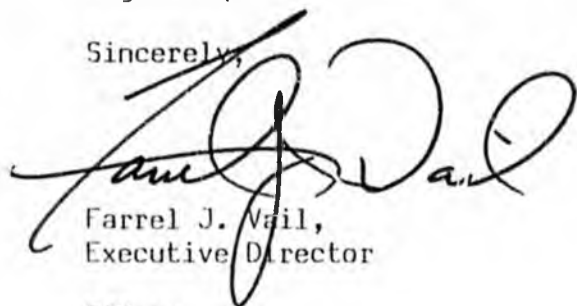
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In the future, if and when the "rules and regulations" become a matter for legislative decision, we strongly urge restrictions on the permit holders. They should be issued to non-profit organizations who are actually engaged in running the games. For it is those permit holders who "sell" their permits to individuals who have personal, profitable gain that are causing the legitimate operations difficulties.

Please know we pledge our support to your department and offer any assistance you might require.

Sincerely,



Farrel J. Vail,  
Executive Director

FJV:rc

cc: Wilson L. Condon, Attorney General  
Dick Randolph, Chairman, Administrative Regulation Review Committee  
Rep. Mitch Abood  
Rep. Charles G. Anderson  
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# STATE OF ALASKA

## DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

JAY S. HAMMOND, GOVERNOR

POUCH 5  
JUNEAU, ALASKA 99811  
PHONE: (907) 465-2300

February 22, 1982

The Honorable Patrick M. Rodey  
Chairman  
Senate Judiciary Committee  
Room 125 - Capitol Building  
Juneau, Alaska

Dear Senator Rodey:

Re: CS for House Bill No. 640 (Judiciary)

CS for House Bill No. 640 (Judiciary), an Act relating to pull-tab and punchboard games, upon first reading in the Senate on February 18, 1982 was referred to the Senate Judiciary Committee.

For the consideration of the Senate Judiciary Committee, I am enclosing a copy of a Fiscal Note prepared by Mr. Phillip A. Wall, Director, Public Services Division and a copy of a memorandum from Mr. Ervin Jones, Office Audit Manager, Audit Division of the Department of Revenue concerning the Committee Substitute.

Sincerely,



R. D. Stevenson  
Special Assistant

### Enclosure

cc: Joseph K. Donohue  
Deputy Commissioner  
Department of Revenue

Phillip A. Wall, Director  
Public Services Division  
Department of Revenue

Ervin Jones, Office Audit Manager  
Audit Division  
Department of Revenue

I. REQUEST  
 Bill/Resolution CSHB 640 (Judiciary)  
 Title "An act relating to games of chance and contests of skill and prov. for an  
 Requested by House Rules Committee Date Feb. 10, 1982 eff.  
 date."

II. FISCAL DETAIL  
 Agency Affected Department of Revenue  
 Program Category Affected Revenue Collection and Management  
 BRU, Program, Or Subprogram(s) Affected Public Services  
 (Note: If more than one budget component is affected, separate line-item  
 amounts and funding for each component in the analysis section.)

EXPENDITURES (Thousands of Dollars) None

|                          | FY 82 | FY 83 | FY 84 | FY 85 | FY 86 | FY 87 |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 100 PERSONAL SERVICES    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
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| 300 CONTRACTUAL          |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| 400 COMMODITIES          |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| 500 EQUIPMENT            |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| 600 LAND & STRUCTURES    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
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| TOTAL                    |       |       |       |       |       |       |

FUNDING (Thousands of Dollars) None

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POSITIONS None

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

See attached memo from E. Jones to R.D. Stevenson, dated February 16, 1982.

IV. DATE 2/17/82 PREPARED BY Phillip A. Wall  
 AGENCY Department of Revenue  
 Original: Legislative Finance PHONE 465-2307  
 cc: Budget and Management  
 Prime Sponsor (First Legislator Named)

# MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska  
Department of Revenue

TO: R.D. Stevenson  
Legislative Assistant

DATE: February 16, 1982

FILE NO:

TELEPHONE NO:

FROM: Eryin Jones  
Office Audit Manager  
Audit Division

SUBJECT: CSHB 640  
(Judiciary)

Section One of this bill would serve to add pull-tabs and punchboards to the list of authorized games of chance. This language would categorize pull-tabs and punchboards as raffles and lotteries and would subject them to the same statutory and regulatory restrictions. It also limits the price per chance to \$1 or less. I assume that this means a maximum charge of \$1 for a single pull-tab and would not allow charging a greater amount for pull-tabs which have more than one chance to win (e.g. a \$5 pull-tab which offers 5 winning combinations). The Department of Revenue, in enforcing this new provision, would use that assumption as a guideline.

Commissioner Williams' statement (in his letter of February 1) to Representative Ramona Barnes regarding the necessary amendments to achieve the Governor's approval, is still valid and should be considered. I have attached a copy of that letter for reference.

Attachment

EJ:jg

February 1, 1982

The Honorable Ramona Barnes, Chairman  
House Judiciary Committee  
Pouch Y  
Juneau, AK 99811

Re: Suggested changes in HB 640 so that only pull-tabs and punchboards are added to authorized games of chance and skill

Dear Madam Chairman:

At your request the following language is suggested for HB 640 so that only pull-tabs and punchboards of one dollar or less are added to the currently authorized games of chance and skill:

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

\* Section 1. AS 05.15.210(16) is amended to read:

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\* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.070(c)."

In order to satisfy the Governor's requirement that the issue be placed before the voters before pull-tabs and punchboards are authorized, Section 2 in the preceding draft would have to be replaced by the following two sections:

\* \* Sec. 2. The Lieutenant Governor shall place the following question on the next general election ballot:

Shall this Act, amending the Bingo, Raffles and Ice Pools Act to extend the definition of raffles and lotteries so as to include games of chance sometimes known as pull-tab and punchboard games, in which the price of each chance is \$1 or less, take effect?

Yes

No

\* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect upon certification of the election results by the Lieutenant Governor, showing that the majority of the voters casting ballots voted in favor of enactment, but no sooner than January 1, 1983.\*

I hope these suggestions will be of assistance to your Committee in your deliberations on HB 640. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you or the Committee have any further questions on this matter.

Very truly yours,



Thomas K. Williams  
Commissioner of Revenue

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cc: Governor Jay S. Hammond

Rep. Dick Randolph

Original sponsors: Randolph, Moss  
and O'Connell

Offered: 2/9/82  
Referred: Rules

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

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CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 640 (Judiciary)

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to pull-tab and punchboard games; and  
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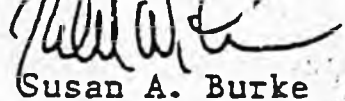
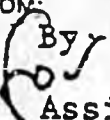
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It has been held that the term "raffle" is a certain type of lottery. For example, in United States v. Baker, 364 F.2d 107 (3rd Cir. 1966), the Court stated:

The simplest form of [lottery] is the well-known raffle wherein a prize is awarded to the person holding the ticket, the number or name upon which corresponds to that on the counter-foil or ticket stub drawn at random from a container in which have been placed the stubs of all the tickets distributed.

Id., at 111.

Under AS 05.15.210(16), "raffle and lottery" are defined together, with the singular verb form "means," and the definition refers to a singular "specified game of chance . . . conducted by the drawing for prizes by chance." (Emphasis added.) Thus it would be a reasonable interpretation of the

definition of "lottery" to limit it to the traditional raffle type of lottery, because of the particular way in which the definition links "raffle" with "lottery". In our opinion, however, the broad authority granted to the commissioner to adopt regulations under AS 05.15 governing the manner in which authorized games are to be conducted, coupled with the circularity of the definition in AS 05.15.210(16), provides sufficient basis for the department to reach an equally reasonable conclusion that "lottery" was intended to include activities broader than the traditional activities associated with "raffles."

In fact, your department has a long standing interpretation of "raffle and lottery" that is considerably broader than that of a traditional raffle -- ticket stubs drawn from a fishbowl. In 1960, the same year that AS 05.15 was enacted, your department adopted regulations under the authority granted in AS 05.15.060. Under AS 05.15.060(7), the commissioner is required to adopt regulations governing "the method and manner of conducting activity and awarding prizes or awards, and the equipment which may be used." Under this broad authority the commissioner adopted 15 AAC 05.410, which sets out the activities that are permissible as "raffles and lotteries." This regulation apparently distinguishes between "raffles and lotteries" in which "drawing" from a container (in the sense of a traditional raffle) is an essential characteristic of the permitted activity, and those in which "drawing" in that sense is not.

Under section 410(5) the department has authorized "special-draw" winners which are determined by means "other than drawing from a container." That subsection then goes on to list and describe eleven games that qualify as "special-draw" games. Judging from the descriptions of some of these games, it is apparent that the department in the past has interpreted the definition of "raffle and lottery" fairly broadly, and has even given the term "drawing" in the statutory definition a broad reading. For example, it is difficult to discern a traditional type of "drawing" in the "hamster game" authorized under sec. 410(5)(K). Under this game, "Hamster is placed in an enclosure with several numbered exit holes. Winner is determined by hole hamster enters." Similarly, the element of a traditional "drawing" seems totally absent in such authorized games as the dart games and the bean guess game.

We believe that the definition of "raffle and lottery" in AS 15.15.210(16) is sufficiently ambiguous that your department is within its regulatory authority to interpret the definition as broadly as it has done under 15 AAC 05.210. We believe

Joseph K. Donohue  
Re: J-66-137-82

August 28, 1981  
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it would be equally within the department's authority to choose a more narrow construction of the terms "lottery" and "drawing" in the statutory definitions. Should the department choose to adopt a very narrow construction, then the existing regulations authorizing such games as "hamster" and "bean guess" should be repealed. Similarly, the use of pull-tabs by qualified organizations would not be appropriate under a narrow reading of the statutory definition.

If, on the other hand, the department believes that the purposes of AS 05.15 would be served by permitting pull-tabs to be sold by qualified permit holders, we believe that the department would be within its statutory authority to adopt a regulation permitting pull-tabs. Certainly the pull-tabs that you have described come within the judicially developed definition of a lottery. The three elements of consideration, chance and prize are certainly present. While the pull-tabs do not involve the traditional ticket stubs drawn from the fishbowl aspect of a raffle, there is at least more of an element of a "drawing" with the pull-tabs than with the hamster game. The purchaser of a pull-tab could reasonably be said to be drawing his or her ticket when the card is purchased. See, State v. Gattling, 230 A.2d 147 (N.J. Super. 1967).

In short, we are of the opinion that the department has the authority to permit pull-tabs if as a matter of policy it wishes to do so. We do not, however, believe that a fair reading of the department's existing regulations authorizes the use of pull-tabs. Under 15 AAC 05.410(1) - (3), the following definitions appear:

- (1) On-premise raffle or lottery means winners must be present at the place of drawing;
- (2) Off-premise raffle or lottery means winners do not have to be present at the place of the drawing.
- (3) Draw-raffle winners are determined by drawing from a container.

Arguably these sections draw a distinction between raffles and lotteries, since it is only "draw-raffle" winners who are determined by "drawing from a container." Conceivably the failure to have included "lottery" in subsection (3) evidenced an intent that lottery winners could be determined by

some sort of drawing other than from a container. The correctness of this interpretation, however, is made doubtful by the provisions of 15 AAC 05.410(5), which provides, without distinguishing between raffles and lotteries:

"Special-draw winners are determined by means other than drawing from a container

Subsection (5) then goes on to list the kinds of games that are included in the "special-draw winner" category. This list of games is clearly limited to the ones specifically listed, and does not include pull-tabs.<sup>1</sup>

In summary, we believe that the department has the authority under AS 05.15 to adopt a regulation adding pull-tabs to the list of "special-draw winner" games. Similarly, the department has the authority to decline to do so, as well as to repeal those regulations that authorize games that go beyond a narrow construction of "raffle and lottery." We understand that a large number of qualified organizations that currently hold permits under AS 05.15 have been raising money through selling chances on pull-tabs for some years, and that recently the department notified all permit holders that pull-tabs were not authorized games of chance under their permits. While we agree with the department's interpretation of its existing regulations, we also believe that it is within the department's discretion to withhold active enforcement against pull-tabs pending one of two events. If the department determines that it should consider adopting a regulation authorizing the sale of pull-tabs by qualified organizations, then it could suspend enforcement against them while the department conducted the notice and hearing procedures under the Administrative Procedures Act (AS 44.62). On the other hand, if the department determines that it does not want to consider the regulation adopting alternative, it could suspend enforcement against pull-tabs for a reasonable period of time in order to give the legislature an opportunity to clarify the definition of lottery in the statute.

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<sup>1</sup>We are aware of the fact that an informal memorandum of advice from our department dated August 20, 1965, reaches a different conclusion, at least with respect to punchboards. Having reviewed that memorandum, we believe that its reading of the term "container" is somewhat strained. While we believe that there are arguments to support our earlier advice, we recommend that if you decide to amend your regulations you should address the punchboard question specifically in your regulations.

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Ketchikan Indian Corporation  
(IRA Council)  
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429 DEERMOUNT AVENUE  
Ketchikan, Alaska 99901

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February 3, 1982

Patrick Rodey, Chairman  
Senate Judiciary Committee  
601 W. 5th Avenue  
Suite 820  
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Dear Mr. Chairman:

The Ketchikan Indian Corporation is the federally recognized tribal government for the Natives residing in the Ketchikan Gateway Borough, as sanctioned under the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934, as amended for Alaska in 1936.

At a special meeting of the Council of the Ketchikan Indian Corporation, a motion was made and duly passed, supporting Senate Bill number 632, an act relating to games of chance and contests of skill, and providing for an effective date.

The Council of the Corporation is aware of the many benefits that the community receives as a result of these activities, and would like to see these activities continued and improved upon in a fashion as outlined by Senate Bill Number 632.

Any assistance you can give in the adoption of this Bill will be very much appreciated.

Sincerely,



Edward K. Thomas  
Executive Director

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A NON-PROFIT CIVIC ORGANIZATION

January 12, 1982

Thomas K. Williams,  
Commissioner  
Department of Revenue  
State Office Building  
Pouch SA  
Juneau AK 99811

Dear Commissioner Williams:

This letter will inform you that as of December 31, 1981, Greater Anchorage Inc., d/b/a/ Anchorage Fur Rendezvous closed its Rony Palace Bingo Hall. After careful review, in order to comply with State rules and regulations governing the use of "pull tabs" we found we would be unable to operate without considerable losses and therefore made the difficult decision to cease all Bingo operations.

Fur Rendezvous, for the first time in several years, is now facing financial problems. Our organization, however, was not built or has become successful without having pitfalls along it's 47 years in existence. We, therefore, will dig in once again, fall back, regroup and find alternative methods to solve what currently appears "very black".

Our organization has conducted its Bingo operations over the years completely within the compliance of the Alaska statues. We would like to feel that all the halls in the Anchorage area have operated under these same conditions. We feel this is not the case, however, as some of the halls are continuing to use pull tabs. Not in the same manner of course, but nevertheless they are in use and it is our total understanding they are to be NON-EXISTENT. If we are incorrect, and this is not the case, please let us know so we may re-open our operation. On the other hand, if we are correct we request the statutes be enforced so all are treated equal. Our concern is that your department enforce the rules and regulations you have set forth and that all abide by them. We do not feel Fur Rendezvous should suffer just because it does not want to take the chance of "being caught". It is the enforcement rather than the rules that need tending to. All agents must be given full authority to enforce the laws set forth by your department.

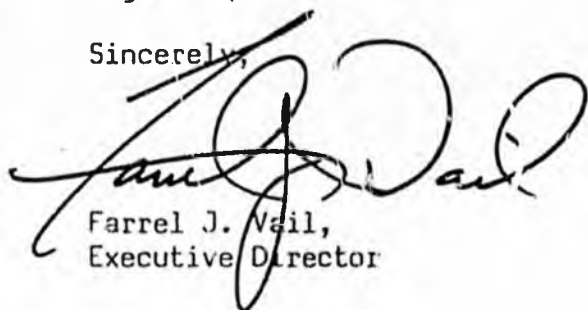
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In the future, if and when the "rules and regulations" become a matter for legislative decision, we strongly urge restrictions on the permit holders. They should be issued to non-profit organizations who are actually engaged in running the games. For it is those permit holders who "sell" their permits to individuals who have personal, profitable gain that are causing the legitimate operations difficulties.

Please know we pledge our support to your department and offer any assistance you might require.

Sincerely,



Farrel J. Veil,  
Executive Director

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cc: Wilson L. Condon, Attorney General  
Dick Randolph, Chairman, Administrative Regulation Review Committee  
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JUNEAU, ALASKA 99811  
(907) 465-3717

April 20, 1982

Ms. Kathy Ward, Project Director  
Senior Citizens Center  
Post Office Box 191  
Dillingham, Alaska 99576

Dear Ms. Ward:

Thank you for your recent message regarding my vote on House  
Bill 640.

At the time of my correspondence to you dated February 23, I was  
in support of CS HB 640. However, as I am sure you must realize,  
there were amendments adopted on the senate floor, and as a result,  
I voted against the final version of the bill, SCS CS HB 640 (Jud)am S.  
I would like for you to know that if the Governor vetos the legislation,  
I will vote to override it if the question is a close one.

Thanks again for expressing your interest in this bill.

Sincerely,

Patrick M. Rodey



CITY OF DILLINGHAM

P.O. BOX 191

DILLINGHAM, ALASKA 99578

TELEPHONE (907) 842-5211 or 842-5212

April 13, 1982

Senator Patrick M. Rodcy  
Alaska State Legislature  
Pouch V  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

SUBJECT: C8HB640

Dear Senator Rodcy:

Enclosed is a copy of the letter you sent to me when I requested your support on HB640.

I have recently learned that you are one of the four Senators who voted against this bill.

I would like to know your reasons for voting against the bill, even though it did pass the Senate.

If the Governor does veto the bill, would you reconsider your previous action if it goes back to the House and Senate again?

Sincerely,  
CITY OF DILLINGHAM SENIOR CITIZENS' PROGRAM

*Kathy Ward*

Kathy Ward  
Project Director

*Reason - Announcements adopted  
on Senate floor  
caused me to vote  
against it. If  
the Governor vetoes*

*THIS LEGISLATION I WILL VOTE  
TO OVERRIDE IF THE QUESTION IS CLOSE.  
SCS HB 640 (JULIAM S  
(page 138 Journal)*

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*against: Darkwood, Kelly, Kottala, Rodcy  
absent: Jakubaus*

SENATOR  
PATRICK M. RODEY  
3271 MONTCLAIRE COURT  
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February 23, 1982

Ms. Kathy Ward  
Project Director  
Senior Citizens Center  
City of Dillingham  
P.O. Box 191  
Dillingham, AK 99576

Dear Ms. Ward:

Thank you for your letter of February 22 regarding CSHB 640. It is apparent from your letter that these games provide funding for many social services for the citizens of Dillingham.

HB 640 is scheduled to be heard by the Senate Judiciary Committee on Friday, February 26. I can assure you that I will support this legislation and vote for its passage.

Again, thank you for informing me of your concerns.

Kindest regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Pat".

Patrick M. Rodey  
Senator

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March 17, 1982

Mr. James M. Kerr  
Club Manager  
Fairbanks Lodge No. 1551  
P.O. Box 1427  
Fairbanks, AK 99707

Dear Mr. Kerr:

Thank you for your letter of regarding CSHB 640. It is apparent from your letter that pull tab games provide a large amount of revenue for the Fairbanks Elks Lodge.

HB 640 was passed out of the Judiciary Committee on March 5 with two significant amendments which would include trade associations under the definition of qualified organizations in Sec. 05.15.210(15) and would delete punchboard games from Sec. 1 AS 05.15.210(16) of the bill.

HB 640 is now in the Senate Rules Committee, chaired by Senator Kelly. You may wish to contact him with your concerns to ensure passage of this bill from his committee.

Again, thank you for informing me of your concerns.

Kindest regards,

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Patrick M. Rodey  
Senator

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Pull Tabs

*Fairbanks Lodge No. 1551*

BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS

P.O. Box 1427

Fairbanks, Alaska 99707

March 5, 1982

Senator Vic Fischer  
Pouch V  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Senator Fischer;

The Fairbanks Elks Lodge #1551 has had a dramatic increase in overall expenses and, of course this due in large to inflation. Fortunately, the Fairbanks Elks Lodge has been able to maintain it's Community Service Activities by added programs.

One of the most significant are the revenues from the sale of "Pull Tabs" at our Bingo games. The loss of this revenue will have an unfortunate impact, not only on the Fairbanks Lodge in it's humanitarian activities, but the 15 other Elks Lodges in the state.

In 1980 the Fairbanks Lodge donated on the state and local level, \$9,524.00. Donations to local youth activities by the Lodge was a colossal amount of \$38,000.00. Totaling \$47,524.00. Significant amounts of these monies were derived from the sale of "Pull Tabs".

Fairbanks Elks Lodge wishes to thank you for any attention and consideration you can give this matter.

Respectfully,

James N. Kerr  
Club Manager

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(907) 465-3717

March 22, 1982

Mr. Merlin Elmer Palmer  
VFW Post #6  
Wrangell, Alaska 99929

Dear Mr. Palmer:

Thank you for your timely telegram expressing your interest in House Bill 640, legislation regarding pull-tab and punchboard games. I have also noted your support for funding for the American Legion and VFW offices.

I believe you will be interested to know that the Senate Judiciary Committee, of which I am Chairman, passed our House Bill 640 today. The bill has been referred to Senate Rules for scheduling on the Senate floor. I anticipate the bill will come before the full senate within the next few days. I assure you that I will continue to support it.

I can well understand your support for funding for the American Legion and VFW offices. I feel both provide needed services for our veterans and will do what I can to see funding made available.

Thanks again for taking the time to share your views with me. Please feel free to let me know your thoughts on issues of concern to you or the Post.

Sincerely,

Patrick M. Rodey

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ALASKA COMM. BUREAU

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FULL REQUESTED FUNDING FOR THE AMERICAN LEGION AND VFW DEPARTMENT OFFICES NECESSARY TO INSURE ADEQUATE SERVICES FOR ALASKAN VETERANS. REQUEST IMMEDIATE ACTION ON PULL TABS BILL IN ORDER TO OVERRIDE VETO BY GOVERNOR THIS SESSION. OUR YOUTH PROGRAM AT STAKE.

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**JACK HENRY POST No. 1**

P.O. Box 4-1285



*Committee file*  
**THE AMERICAN LEGION**

Anchorage, Alaska 99509

February 23, 1982

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Representative Dick Randolph  
Pouch V  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Representative Randolph:

Jack Henry Post One of The American Legion, its officers and members wish to express our deep appreciation for your support, as well as the other House members who joined you in passing CSHB 640.

→ Attached you will find our budget for 1981-82. I'm sure that after examining our expenses you will better understand our concern in laying to rest the objections of Governor Hammond.

The pull tabs have been the salvation of most of our youth and veterans programs. In years past, business could look for two or three organizations to ask for assistance; now there are far more than they can possibly help.

In our search to offset the need to add to the businessman's expenses, knowing many gave because they wanted to help, we turn to the pull tabs. Because of the pull tabs we have continued our youth programs and without them some will have to be curtailed.

Our Post is the largest in Alaska and could continue some of our programs; but for the smaller Posts in the bush areas, many just couldn't make it.

If ours and other youth and veterans programs are cut, we can lay it on the doorstep of the Governor, Anderson, Barnes, Buchholdt, Eylsma, Miller and Smith.

Our Western District Convention will be held in Fairbanks on March 3, 4, 5 and 6, 1982 and for sure the members will remember the "Yeas" and "Nays".

Respectfully yours,

*John W. Wilson*  
John W. Wilson,  
Chairman - Board of Trustees

Attachment

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February 23, 1982

Ms. Kathy Ward  
Project Director  
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Dillingham, AK 99576

Dear Ms. Ward:

Thank you for your letter of February 22 regarding CSHB 640. It is apparent from your letter that these games provide funding for many social services for the citizens of Dillingham.

HB 640 is scheduled to be heard by the Senate Judiciary Committee on Friday, February 26. I can assure you that I will support this legislation and vote for its passage.

Again, thank you for informing me of your concerns.

Kindest regards,

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Patrick M. Rodey  
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CITY OF DILLINGHAM



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February 22, 1982

Senator Patrick Rodey  
Chairman  
Judiciary Committee

SUBJECT: CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 640

Dear Senator Rodey:

Recently I have been hired as the Project Director of the Senior Citizens' Center in Dillingham. Prior to that I worked for the Bristol Bay Native Association for three years as director of the regional Senior Citizens program.

In regard to CS for House Bill 640, I urge your committee to pass this legislation.

In small communities in Alaska, Bingo and the sale of pull tabs helps generate funds to provide services. We have used the proceeds from our games to continue the transportation service we have for the elderly and to provide nutritious meals. Also, school groups have earned money for class trips to explore career opportunities.

In other words, the money earned is very necessary for us to help continue our programs. We also use proceeds to meet our 15% local match requirements for the Federal Government and our local match requirements for the State grant we receive.

With Federal budget cuts a reality, we are dependent more than ever on these funds. Please do not take this source of revenue away from us. We have many volunteers who spend every Tuesday night helping out with these games. These games also provide a source of recreation in a small community--some alternative to going to the bars.

We would greatly appreciate your support on this.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Kathy Ward

Project Director, Senior Citizens Center

SENATOR  
PATRICK M. RODEY  
3271 MONICLAIRE COURT  
ANCHORAGE, AK 99503



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February 23, 1982

Ms. Kay J. Rawlings  
Project Director  
Bristol Bay Native Assoc., Inc.  
Senior Citizens Regional Program  
Dillingham, AK 99576

Dear Ms. Rawlings:

Thank you for your letter regarding CSHB 640. It is apparent from your letter that these games provide funding for many social services for the citizens of Dillingham and Bristol Bay.

HB 640 is scheduled to be heard by the Senate Judiciary Committee on Friday, February 26. I can assure you that I will support this legislation and vote for its passage.

Again, thank you for informing me of your concerns.

Kindest regards,

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Patrick M. Rodey  
Senator

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**BRISTOL BAY NATIVE ASSOCIATION**

P.O. BOX 189  
DILLINGHAM, ALASKA 99576  
PHONE (907) 642-5257 - 642-5258

To: Senator Patrick Rodey  
Chairman of the Judiciary Committee  
Juneau, Alaska

From: Kay J. Rawlings, Project Director  
Bristol Bay Native Association, Inc.  
Senior Citizens Regional Program  
Dillingham, Alaska

RE: C.S. House Bill 640

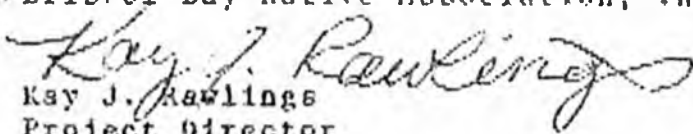
Dear Senator Rodey,

I am writing to urge the quick passage of C.S. House Bill 640. In the past pull tabs have raised thousands of dollars to assist the Senior Citizens of Bristol Bay. In this era of budget cuts and program elimination, fund raising through means such as pull tabs is dearly needed by all social service programs.

The money we earned through pull tabs meant cash for emergency and special services for Senior Citizens. Please open up this source of revenue for the Senior Citizens and other needy social services programs once again.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,  
Bristol Bay Native Association, Inc.,

  
Kay J. Rawlings  
Project Director  
Senior Citizens Regional Program

# Alaska Native Brotherhood

CAMP NO. 5  
HAINES, ALASKA 99827

4-26-82

The Honorable Patrick Rodey--  
Alaska State Senate  
State Capital  
Pouch V  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Senator:

The Haines Alaska Native Brotherhood and Sisterhood, Camp #5 support  
B 640.

Without these funds, which comprise 60 o/o of our income, we will have  
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to non profit organizations, such as Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Church  
Groups, and Schools.

Theses funds also support Native Cultural activities, School activities,  
and Sports.

General Relief of sickness , fire disasters, families in need of food.

A.N.B. Haines Camp #5

*David Light*  
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President

A.N.S. Haines Camp #5

*Mary R. Wilson*  
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President

I agree with the Haines A.N.B. and A.N.S. in there support of  
B 640.

*J. Ostrander*  
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*Rector Ostrander*  
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