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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(e) The committee of reference may introduce a bill providing for the reorganization or continuation of the board, commission or agency

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program. No more than one board, commission, or agency program shall be continued or reestablished in any legislative bill, and the board, commission, or agency program shall be mentioned in the title of the bill. (§ 3 ch 149 SLA 1977)

Sec. 44.66.060. Existing claims. This chapter shall not cause the termination or dismissal of a claim or right of a citizen against a board, commission or program of an agency terminated under this chapter which is subject to litigation. Claims and rights shall be assumed by the department to which the board or commission terminated under this chapter was attached for administrative purposes. (§ 3 ch 149 SLA 1977)

Part 6. State Property.

Chapter

- 68. State-Owned Vehicles (§§ 44.68.010 — 44.68.040)
- 71. Surplus Property (§§ 44.71.010 — 44.71.040)
- 74. Management and Disposition (§§ 44.74.010 — 44.74.090)

Chapter 68. State-Owned Vehicles.

| Section | Section |
|---|----------------|
| 10. Use of state-owned vehicles | 30. Exemptions |
| 20. Regulations regarding the use of state-owned vehicles | 40. Violations |

Sec. 44.68.010. Use of state-owned vehicles. State-owned vehicles may be used only in the conduct of state business. A state officer or employee may not use or permit the use of a state-owned vehicle except in the conduct of state business. (§ 1 ch 178 SLA 1959)

Collateral references. — 72 Am. Jur. 2d States, Territories and Dependencies, § 66.

Responsibility of public officer for negligence of subordinate in operation of vehicle, 3 ALR 149.

Applicability to public officials or employees of motor vehicle regulations, 19 ALR 459; 23 ALR 418.

Sec. 44.68.020. Regulations regarding the use of state-owned vehicles. The Department of Transportation and Public Facilities shall adopt regulations that

- (1) define what is the use of state-owned automotive and mechanical vehicles in the conduct of state business and distinguish this use from misappropriation for private use;
- (2) prescribe use governing the storage of state-owned vehicles in those locations where storage space, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities, is available for storage of state-owned vehicles;

*answered
4/11/85*

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TO: SENATORS ~~ABOOD~~⁴, FERGUSON, KERTTULA

FR: ROSE PALMQUIST
P O BOX 870294
WASILLA 99687
376-2274 (HM), 376-0110 (WK)

RE: HB 124 - EXTENDING THE OLDER ALASKANS COMMISSION

PLEASE HOLD THIS BILL UNTIL LEGISLATIVE INTENT IS ESTABLISHED -
ALSO, INQUIRE WHY VIOLATION OF STATUTE REGARDING L.B. OCCURRED
AND OPPOSITION TO ESTABLISHMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMISSIONS

WHICH WOULD EXPAND SENIOR CITIZEN MANAGEMENT OF THEIR OWN
PROGRAMS.

Answered 4/11/85

Dear Mitch Abood,

As a senior Citizen,
I use many activities and
services funded by the
Alders Alaskan Commission.

Please pass H.B. 124, so
that the seniors of Alaska
can continue to lead active
lives.

Marguerite A.L. Adams

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1025 E. 11 ave 1
Anchorage 99501

Answers
4/11/85

April 3, 1985

Witch Abood. Chairman.

I need the OAC to continue providing services for seniors. I urge you to move the Sunset Legislation Bill # HB-124 out of committee.

Age 76.

Sincerely

Mrs. Rosella J. Diethrich
1280 E. 17th Ave #309
Anchorage Alaska
99501

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TO: SENATORS ABOOD AND DEVRIES
FROM: MILLIE TAPSCOTT
PO BOX 871276
WASILLA 99687
PHONE: 376-5571

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RE: HB 124, EXTENDING THE OLDER ALASKANS COMMISSION

I WOULD LIKE TO REQUEST THAT THE COMMITTEE INSISTS ON NEW DIRECTION FOR CLOSER ADHERENCE TO THE STATUTE AS A CONDITION OF EXTENDING OAC. WHAT ARE THE RESULTS OF THE PERFORMANCE AUDIT?

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WHAT BILL
REALLY
DOES!



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COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: FINANCED

4/29/85

Date April 30, 1984

Mr. President

The Committee on State Affairs considered CSHB 140(R1s)

use of teleconferencing under the Administrative Procedure Act.

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

- do pass
- do pass with attached amendment(s)
- replace with/or adopt CS for _____
- new title
- same title and recommends _____
- and attached a "LETTER OF INTENT" NEW FISCAL NOTE
- reports it back without recommendation
- recommends referral to _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING
DO PASS

Ed De Vries
Tom Kelly
Bill Kay

MEMBERS HAVING
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Chairman

Chairman recommendation

STATE OF ALASKA 1985 LEGISLATIVE SESSION
FISCAL NOTE

Revision Date: _____

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REQUEST

FISCAL DETAIL

Bill/Resolution No.: CSHB 140 (Rules)
Title: Relating to use of teleconferencing
under Administrative Procedures Act

Agency Affected: Administration
Program Category Affected: _____

Sponsor: Governor

BRU, Program or Subprogram(s) Affected:
Telecommunications Services

Requestor: _____

Date of Request: _____

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

| | FY 85 | FY 86 | FY 87 | FY 88 | FY 89 | FY 90 |
|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| OPERATING | | | | | | |
| 100 PERSONAL SERVICES | | | | | | |
| 200 TRAVEL | | | | | | |
| 300 CONTRACTUAL | | | | | | |
| 400 SUPPLIES | | | | | | |
| 500 EQUIPMENT | | | | | | |
| 600 LAND & STRUCTURES | | | | | | |
| 700 GRANTS, CLAIMS | | | | | | |
| 800 MISCELLANEOUS | | | | | | |
| TOTAL OPERATING | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAPITAL | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| REVENUE | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

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| GENERAL FUND | | | | | | |
| FEDERAL FUNDS | | | | | | |
| OTHER | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

POSITIONS:

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

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

See Attached

Prepared By: *SLP* Sioux Plummer, Director
Division: Telecommunications Services

Phone: 465-2041
Date: April 16, 1985

Approved by Commissioner: *LR* Lisa Rudd
Agency: Department of Administration

Date: 4/24/85

Distribution (by Agency preparing fiscal note):

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

CSHB 140 (Rules)
Fiscal Note Analysis
Prepared by Division of Telecommunications Services
Department of Administration
April 16, 1985

This bill will clarify the legitimate use of teleconferencing for meetings and hearings held under the Administrative Procedures Act (AS 44.62). Specifically it will permit teleconference use by publically funded bodies for presentations, discussions and testimony at public hearings, and for counting quorum and voting.

The legal clarification of teleconference use will have no direct fiscal impact. Indirectly, however, some fiscal impact may be felt as increased use of teleconferencing could save money currently expended for travel.

Clarification and the resulting increase in use of teleconferencing will allow for greater participation in public policy making. It will also encourage broader circulation of information to and from governmental bodies and the public.

Position Paper

CSHB 140 (Rules)

The Department of Administration supports the passage of CSHB 140 (Rules) (An Act relating to the use of teleconferencing under the Administrative Procedures Act) because it will clarify past and present ambiguities relating to the use of teleconferencing for the conduct of State business. The legality of taking public testimony, establishing quorums and voting will be clarified specifically.

Teleconferencing has proven to be an effective communications medium when used to disseminate or gather information. Legal considerations for meetings have arisen when teleconferencing has been used for decision making requiring quorums for voting.

Passage of this bill will have no direct fiscal impact on State agencies. The potential for cost savings exists because teleconferencing provides a less expensive way for agencies to do business. Although telephone costs would increase, it could still be cheaper to meet by teleconference than to travel to meetings.

Use of teleconferencing will also enable more people to participate in the decision making process. The public and State agencies will have increased participatory opportunities without associated high travel costs as well as the ability to conduct business more quickly and efficiently.

Sioux Plummer *SP*

Sioux Plummer, Director
Division of Telecommunications Services
Department of Administration

4-16-85
Date

Lisa Rudd

Commissioner Lisa Rudd
Department of Administration

4/24/85
Date

STATE OF ALASKA

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

DIVISION OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES

BILL SHEFFIELD, GOVERNOR

POUCH C
JUNEAU, ALASKA 99811
PHONE: (907) 465-2041

April 29, 1985

Honorable Mitch Abood, Chairman
Senate State Affairs
Capitol 423
Pouch V
Juneau, AK 99811

Dear Senator Abood:

Enclosed is a fiscal note, position paper, analysis and a copy of the latest version of HB140, the "Teleconferencing Bill" - CSHB140 (Rules).

Essentially, the Rules version exempts House and Senate sessions from being held by teleconference, deletes the requirement for regulations, deletes the language about listing topics in public meeting notices and deletes language that was felt could cause policy problems. All changes were suggested by Bill Berrier, Director of Legal Services.

We agree with these changes and believe that the bill, in its current form, will do the job. If you have any questions or would like additional information, please call.

Sincerely,



Sioux Plummer
Director

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cc: Senate State Affairs Members

Jim Shea, Deputy Commissioner for
Information Resource Management and
Telecommunications
Department of Administration

Rebecca Burch, Special Assistant
to the Commissioner
Department of Administration

MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

TO: Jeannie Smith
Professional Assistant
House Rules Committee

DATE: April 18, 1985

FILE NO:

TELEPHONE NO: 465-3600

FROM: Norman C. Gorsuch
Attorney General

By: *Peter B. Froehlich*
Peter B. Froehlich
Assistant Attorney General
Legislation/Regulations Section

SUBJECT: Differences between
CSHB 140(Fin) and
CSHE 140(Rls)

There are five differences between CSHB 140(Fin) and CSHB 140(Rls). Four of them involve the bill's amendments to our open meeting statutes, AS 44.62.310 and 44.62.312. The differences were suggested on April 13th by Director of Legal Services Bill Berrier and concurred in by Chairman Eoucher of the Special Committee on Telecommunications; Chairman Miller, Representative Gruenberg, and Counsel Kaden of the House Judiciary Committee; and Director of Telecommunications Services of the Department of Administration; as well as by myself.

All five differences are listed as follows with page and line references to the Rules version:

- 1) Page 1, line 29, after "section." -- the phrase "except for meetings of a house of the legislature" is added. This eliminates the option of teleconferencing for meetings of a house of the legislature.
- 2) Page 2, line 2, after "teleconferencing." -- the language "according to regulations adopted by the commissioner of administration. The regulations must include a provision that" is deleted. This eliminates any possibility that the commissioner of administration would adopt regulations that could affect the use of teleconferencing by legislative committees. It also enhances flexibility in the use of teleconferencing by all agencies but preserves the commissioner's option under other authority to adopt general regulations on the use of teleconferencing by executive branch agencies only.
- 3) Page 3, line 13, after "meeting." -- the phrase "general topics to be discussed or considered" is deleted and the phrase "if the meeting is by teleconference" is added. This eliminates the burden on agencies of giving advance notice of every

Jeannie Smith, Professional Assistant
House Rules Committee

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possible topic to be discussed or considered at a public meeting whether it is teleconferenced or not. It also eliminates a possible technical grounds for challenge of action taken on topics not included in a notice. This change was suggested by the Senate State Affairs Committee in response to a concern raised by the City and Borough of Juneau.

- 4) Page 3, line 3, after "meetings." -- the phrase "and is to provide the broadest input and dissemination of information practicable" is deleted. This eliminates unnecessary and possibly problematic policy statement language.
- 5) Page 3, line 8, after "[MAIL VOTE]." -- the phrase "if voting in person is not reasonably possible" is deleted. This encourages use of teleconference voting as an option to in person voting by executive branch agencies in administrative adjudication.

Everyone at the April 13 meeting expressed the desire that the Rules Committee substitute of this bill reach the floor of the House as soon as possible. If I can provide any further information or assistance towards that end, please let me know.

PBF:md

cc: Rep. Red Boucher, Chair
House Special Committee on Teleconferencing

Rep. Mike M. Miller, Chair
House Judiciary Committee

Sen. Mitchell Abood, Chair
Senate State Affairs Committee

Bill Berrier, Esq.
Director of Legal Services
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Hayden Kaden, Esq.
Counsel to House Judiciary Committee

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Division of Telecommunications Services
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Signature of Camera Operator

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STATE OF ALASKA 1983 LEGISLATIVE SESSION
FISCAL NOTE

Revision Date _____

REQUEST
 Bill/Resolution No: HB 144
 Title: An act relating to political
campaign contributions
 Sponsor: Martin and Marrou
 Requestor: House State Affairs
 Date of Request: 2/1/85

FISCAL DETAIL
 Agency Affected: Revenue
 Program Category Affected: General
Government
 BRU, Program of Subprogram(s) Affected:
Administration and Support -
Administrative Services

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

| | FY 85 | FY 86 | FY 87 | FY 88 | FY 89 | FY 90 |
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| OPERATING | | | | | | |
| 100 PERSONAL SERVICES | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| 300 CONTRACTUAL | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 400 SUPPLIES | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 500 EQUIPMENT | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 600 LANDS & STRUCTURES | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 700 GRANTS, CLAIMS | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 800 MISCELLANEOUS | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL OPERATING | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| CAPITAL | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| REVENUE | - | - | - | - | - | - |

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

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| GENERAL FUND | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| FEDERAL FUNDS | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| OTHER | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL | - | - | - | - | - | - |

POSITIONS:

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

ANALYSIS: See attached.

Prepared By: Ervin B. Jones, Director
 Division: Administrative Services
 Approved by Commissioner: [Signature]
 Agency: [Signature]

Phone: 465-2813
 Date: 2/16/85
 Date: 2/20/85

Distribution (by Agency preparing fiscal note):
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Department of Revenue
HB 144 Analysis

Assumptions:

- 1) The inserted information on line 15-17 refers to the Refundable Credit Claims received by the Department.
- 2) Public disclosure under AS 47.03.085, as amended, would be limited to the list as prepared for the Alaska Public Offices Commission, and would not extend to custom-programmed computer runs by election district, party affiliation, etc. If the Department of Revenue is required by this change to compete with commercial data processing service bureaus, there will be fiscal impact.

Program Summary:

1. Positions: None.
2. Other expenditures: None.
3. Funding: None required.
4. Section cost analysis: N/A.

Computations: N/A.

Economic Impact: N/A.

Impact on local government: N/A.

Attachments: See attached recommended amendment.

Department of Revenue
HB 144
Amendments Proposed

Replace the bill's substitution language at line 15-17 with the following:
This list, once prepared and furnished to the Alaska Public Offices
Commission, shall become public information under AS 09.25.110 - 09.25.120.

STATE OF ALASKA

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

BILL SHEFFIELD, GOVERNOR

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

February 3, 1986

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The Honorable Mitch Abood
Alaska State Senate
P.O. Box V
Juneau, AK 99811

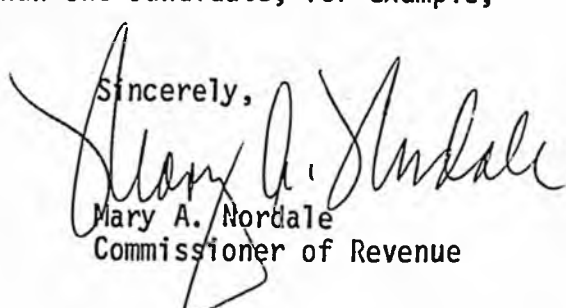
Dear Senator Abood:

Enclosed for your interest are the following:

1. AG opinion dated January 28, 1986, regarding publication of information on political contribution credits.
2. List of candidates and groups named by claimants of credits as furnished to Representative Martin pursuant to the Supreme Court order dated March 21, 1985.
3. Copy of an AG opinion dated February 5, 1985, to the Division of Legislative Audit advising on organizations for which credits may be claimed.
4. Copy of a letter dated April 9, 1985, to Representative Martin furnishing the information this department may reveal without order of Supreme Court.

Because of widespread interest in the program and in analyzing the administrative response to the February 5, 1985, opinion, the Department of Revenue has sought clarification. We have been informally advised that we may approve credits only for contributions made to organizations for the exclusive use by a candidate or to a group organized to affect the outcome of a ballot proposition or question. Contributions to political parties which support more than one candidate, for example, would not be eligible for a credit.

Sincerely,


Mary A. Nordale
Commissioner of Revenue

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Enclosures

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MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

TO: Honorable Mary A. Nordale
Commissioner
Department of Revenue

DATE: January 28, 1986

FILE NO:

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ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

TELEPHONE NO: 465-3600

FROM: Harold M. Brown
Attorney General

JAN 30 1986

SUBJECT:

Release of list of
political
contribution tax
credit recipients

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

By: Richard D. Monkman
Assistant Attorney General

At your request, this office has examined the question of whether the Department of Revenue can release the 1985 list of "all persons claiming a political contribution tax credit under AS 43.20.13(a), including the dates, if available, and candidates or groups to which the contribution was made." As you note in your letter of January 27, 1986 to Senator Abood, "these lists or parts of them may not be made public except on order of the supreme court of the state." AS 43.20.013(a).

Having examined the statute, discussed the question with the Alaska Public Offices Commission (which keeps the list confidential, in accord with the statute), and reviewed the Supreme Court's Order of March 21, 1985, we conclude that the Department may not release the 1985 lists without an order of the Supreme Court. The statute is clear, and appears intended to protect the privacy interests of those who contribute small amounts to political causes. */

*/ In this light, we note that the Supreme Court's Order allowing partial release of the lists to Representative Martin did not allow release of the names of the contributors who received the tax credit. Rather, it limits disclosure to "a list of all candidates or groups to which contributions were made and for which the tax credit ... was claimed during calendar years 1983 and 1984." Order, March 21, 1985 (emphasis supplied). The Campaign Disclosure Act does not require disclosure of the names of those who contribute \$100 or less to a campaign or political group. AS 15.13.040. Thus, an individual contributing \$100 or less would expect that his or her contribution would not be made public, either by the A.P.O.C. or by your Department. Our understanding is that the legislators are not seeking the names of contributors, just the names of the groups and candidates to which contributions were made.

Honorable Mary A. Nordale
Commissioner
Department of Revenue

January 28, 1986
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The lists of groups and candidates who received contributions reimbursed by the tax credit in 1983 and 1984 has already been "made public" by disclosure to Representative Martin. The Supreme Court's Order does not restrict Representative Martin from releasing the lists to others. Thus, we conclude that those lists have become public information. There is no reason to withhold them from Senator Abood or any other interested party.

The proper procedure for the interested legislators to follow to obtain the 1985 lists, or to obtain more information regarding the 1983 and 1984 lists, is to apply to the Supreme Court. We note that the application should be very specific as to what information the legislators wish to obtain.

Please let me know if we can be of any further assistance in this matter.

HMB:RDM:cck

cc: Honorable Mitch Abood
Alaska State Senate
Alaska State Legislature

Honorable Terry Martin
Alaska House of Representatives
Alaska State Legislature

Theda S. Pittman, Executive Director
Alaska Public Offices Commission
Anchorage

REPORT DATE 04/02/85

SUMMARY OF POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS CLAIMED FOR 1983
(PROCESSED IN 1984)

CANDIDATE OR GROUP

AEAC
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1982 REPUB
1983 GOP VIC FUND
1983-GOP VICTORY FND
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In the Matter of the)
Application for Release)
of Individual Tax Credit)
Lists.)
_____)

Supreme Court No. S-839

ORDER

Before: Rabinowitz, Chief Justice, Burke,
Matthews, Compton and Moore, Justices.

Filed and Entered *Ch. 14.0*
APPELLATE COURTS of
STATE of ALASKA
MAR 27 1985

By *[Signature]* CLERK
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On consideration of the application for the release, pursuant to AS 43.05.085, of individual tax credit lists, filed by Representative Terry Martin on February 5, 1985, and the statement of non-opposition to the application, filed by the State of Alaska on February 25, 1985,

IT IS ORDERED:

The application is granted. The State of Alaska is directed to release to Representative Martin a list of all candidates or groups to which contributions were made and for which the tax credit provided for by AS 43.20.013 was claimed during calendar years 1983 and 1984.

Entered by direction of the court at Anchorage, Alaska on March 21, 1985.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

David A. Lampen

DAVID A. LAMPEN

ccs: Justices
Counsel
Representative Terry Martin
Sally Smith, Director of Public Services,
Department of Revenue

MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

TO: Gerald L. Wilkerson
Legislative Auditor
Division of Legislative Audit

DATE: February 5, 1985

FILE NO: 366-320-85

TELEPHONE NO: 465-3600

FROM: Norman C. Gorsuch
Attorney General

SUBJECT: Requirements for
organizations
under the political
contribution credit
program

By: Diane T. Colvin *DTC*
Assistant Attorney General
Commercial-Juneau

In conjunction with an audit of the political contribution credit program administered by the Department of Revenue, you have asked whether national political parties and national special interest groups qualify under AS 43.20.013(a), which provides for payments to individuals for contributions made to certain political candidates and organizations. We conclude that a national organization may qualify if the purpose for which it is organized meets the criteria set forth in AS 43.20.013(a).

AS 43.20.013(a) provides as follows:

(a) A resident individual is entitled to a tax credit not to exceed \$100 for

(1) a contribution made in a calendar year to a person or organization for use exclusively

(A) for a political campaign for a candidate for

(i) President or Vice President of the United States, whether or not the candidate will be voted on in a primary election in Alaska;

(ii) United States senator from Alaska;

(iii) United States representative from Alaska;

(iv) governor or lieutenant governor of Alaska;

(v) the Alaska legislature;

(vi) delegate to an Alaska constitutional convention;

(vii) electoral confirmation as a judge or justice of a court in Alaska; or

(viii) municipal office in Alaska; or

(B) by a group seeking to influence the outcome of a ballot proposition or question in Alaska; and

(2) dues paid in a calendar year to a non-profit organization organized primarily for the purpose of influencing elections in Alaska.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

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Gerald L. Wilkerson
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AS 43.20.013(a) places no geographical limitations on an organization. It does, however, impose requirements regarding the purpose of the organization. Thus, a national organization such as "Mondale for President" would qualify because it is organized for the purpose set forth in AS 43.20.013(a)(1)(A)(i) -- it is a political campaign organization supporting a candidate for the Presidency. On the other hand, a contribution to the Republican National Committee would not qualify, because it is not organized exclusively for one of the purposes listed in AS 43.20.013(a)(1)(A)(i) - (viii). It may support the Republican nominee for President, but it also supports other candidates, such as Republican congressional candidates in other states, who are not covered by the statute.

Likewise, national special interest organizations do not qualify unless they are organized for the purposes set forth in AS 43.20.013(a). Thus, a nationwide organization could qualify if it were organized primarily to influence an Alaskan election. AS 43.20.013(a)(2). A state organization would not qualify unless, like the Alaska Environmental Action Committee, it were organized primarily for the purpose of influencing elections in the state. The organizations you list in your memorandum (National Rifle Organization, Audubon Society, National Wildlife Federation, Second Amendment Foundation) would not qualify because they are not organized primarily for the purpose of influencing elections in Alaska nor for any of the other purposes listed in AS 43.20.013(a)(1) and (2).

Focusing on the purpose of the organization fulfills, we believe, the legislative intent of the statute. AS 43.20.013(a), like sec. 41 of the Internal Revenue Code (providing for a tax credit for political contributions), was enacted not only for the obvious purpose of encouraging citizens to make contributions to candidates for public office, but also to "compensate" for the fact that contributions to political organizations are not tax deductible as charitable contributions for income tax purposes. See I.R.C. §§ 501, 527 (West 1984). Thus, a contribution must be made to a legitimate political organization in order to qualify as a credit. A charitable organization that incidentally supports a candidate or proposition does not come under the purview of the statute.

Determining whether or not a contribution is made for one of the purposes covered by the statute creates a difficult administrative problem for the Department of Revenue. The purpose of an organization is not always apparent from its name. In addition, it is difficult for the department to identify all the organizations in the state that may be organized for the

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purposes listed in AS 43.20.013(a). This task, in order to be done accurately and efficiently, will probably require additional personnel, and assistance from the Division of Elections and the Alaska Public Offices Commission (APOC).

The other problem created for the department is a public relations one. An organization, in order to encourage contributions, may "advertise" to the public that it qualifies under AS 43.20.013(a) when in fact it does not. Based on a representation of this kind, the contributor will apply to the department for a refund, which may be denied because the contribution was not earmarked exclusively for one of the purposes listed in AS 43.20.013(a). Persons denied a refund are more likely to voice their dissatisfaction with department personnel than with employees of the organization who made the erroneous representation.

One way of easing the administrative burden on the department may be to amend the current regulation, 15 AAC 20.042, which requires, in effect, that a group supporting or opposing a ballot proposition must be registered with the Alaska Public Offices Commission in order to qualify. This registration requirement could be extended to cover most candidates and groups, except those that are not otherwise required to register with APOC, such as groups supporting candidates for national offices. For those organizations that are required to register, the use of registration as a qualifier would probably help to expedite the processing of applications for refunds.

We hope this provides sufficient information for concluding your audit. If you wish further information, please contact us.

NCG:DTC:cct
cc: Ervin Jones, Director
Administrative Services Division
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Theda S. Pittman, Director
Public Offices Commission
Department of Administration

Sandi Stout, Director
Division of Elections
Office of the Lieutenant Governor

April 9, 1985

The Honorable Terry Martin
House Minority Leader
Alaska State Legislature
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Juneau, AK 99811

re: Political Campaign Contribution Credit Statistics, Calendar Years
1983 and 1984

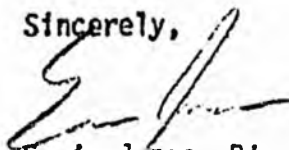
Dear Representative Martin:

As I mentioned in our telephone conversation of April 4, we are providing the statistical information requested in your March 12, 1985 memo as public information. The figures below represent the total checks paid and total amount paid for political campaign contribution claims during 1983 and 1984, respectively. The information for the years 1981 and 1982 is more difficult to extract because of a major change in the system in 1983. We are, however, researching that information and will provide it in the near future.

Political Campaign Credit Payments

| <u>Calendar Year of Payment</u> | <u>Total Number of Claims</u> | <u>Total Amount of Payments</u> |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1983 | 11,773 | \$1,220,544.50 |
| 1984 | 7,317 | 625,676.21 |

Sincerely,



Ervin Jones, Director
Administrative Services Division

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REP. TERRY MARTIN

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Alaska House of Representatives

January 28, 1986

Chief Justice Jay Rabinowitz
Alaska Supreme Court
303 "K" Street
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Dear Mr. Chief Justice,

As was the case last year, I am forced to write and request your assistance in a matter of legislative business. Again, I formally request an Order from the Court ordering the state Department of Revenue to release the names of all candidates and groups to which contributions were made and for which the Political Contribution Credit was claimed under AS 43.20.013, and the amount the State has paid out in the name of each candidate or group. I would like this information for claims filed in 1983, 1984 and 1985.

Unfortunately, under AS 43.20.013 this information can only be made public upon order of the Alaska Supreme Court. In a letter to you dated January 29, 1985 I related the history behind the Political Contribution Credit program, why this problem exists and my efforts to amend the statute to make the requested information accessible to the public.

Last year I made virtually the same request I am making in this letter. However, I was not given the amount of money the state paid out in the name of each candidate or group. I believe I have a compelling interest, in the course of my legislative duties, to know the amount of money the state has paid out in the name of each candidate or group.

Attached please find a copy of the Order issued last year by the Court, and a copy of a statement of non-opposition issued last year by the State.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Representative Terry Martin
House Minority Leader

encl.

ccs: The Honorable Hal Brown
Mr. Ervin Jones, Director,
Administrative Services, Department of Revenue
Senator Mitch Abood, Chairman,
Senate State Affairs Committee



MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

TO: Honorable Mary A. Nordale
Commissioner
Department of Revenue

DATE: January 28, 1986

FILE NO:

TELEPHONE NO: 465-3600

FROM: Harold M. Brown
Attorney General

SUBJECT: Release of list of
political
contribution tax
credit recipients

By: Richard D. Monkman
Assistant Attorney General

At your request, this office has examined the question of whether the Department of Revenue can release the 1985 list of "all persons claiming a political contribution tax credit under AS 43.20.13(a), including the dates, if available, and candidates or groups to which the contribution was made." As you note in your letter of January 27, 1986 to Senator Abood, "these lists or parts of them may not be made public except on order of the supreme court of the state." AS 43.20.013(a).

Having examined the statute, discussed the question with the Alaska Public Offices Commission (which keeps the list confidential, in accord with the statute), and reviewed the Supreme Court's Order of March 21, 1985, we conclude that the Department may not release the 1985 lists without an order of the Supreme Court. The statute is clear, and appears intended to protect the privacy interests of those who contribute small amounts to political causes. */

*/ In this light, we note that the Supreme Court's Order allowing partial release of the lists to Representative Martin did not allow release of the names of the contributors who received the tax credit. Rather, it limits disclosure to "a list of all candidates or groups to which contributions were made and for which the tax credit ... was claimed during calendar years 1983 and 1984." Order, March 21, 1985 (emphasis supplied). The Campaign Disclosure Act does not require disclosure of the names of those who contribute \$100 or less to a campaign or political group. AS 15.13.040. Thus, an individual contributing \$100 or less would expect that his or her contribution would not be made public, either by the A.P.O.C. or by your Department. Our understanding is that the legislators are not seeking the names of contributors, just the names of the groups and candidates to which contributions were made.

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Commissioner
Department of Revenue

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The lists of groups and candidates who received contributions reimbursed by the tax credit in 1983 and 1984 has already been "made public" by disclosure to Representative Martin. The Supreme Court's Order does not restrict Representative Martin from releasing the lists to others. Thus, we conclude that those lists have become public information. There is no reason to withhold them from Senator Abood or any other interested party.

The proper procedure for the interested legislators to follow to obtain the 1985 lists, or to obtain more information regarding the 1983 and 1984 lists, is to apply to the Supreme Court. We note that the application should be very specific as to what information the legislators wish to obtain.

Please let me know if we can be of any further assistance in this matter.

HMB:RDM:cck

cc: Honorable Mitch Abood
Alaska State Senate
Alaska State Legislature

Honorable Terry Martin
Alaska House of Representatives
Alaska State Legislature

Theda S. Pittman, Executive Director
Alaska Public Offices Commission
Anchorage

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January 27, 1986

The Honorable Mitch Abood
Alaska State Senate
P.O. Box V
Juneau, AK 99811

Dear Senator Abood:

In connection with our telephone conversation of Friday, January 24, 1986, I want to make clear my concerns about the release of information concerning claims for political contribution credits.

Under the provisions of AS 43.05.085, enacted in 1974 and amended in 1984, the Department of Revenue may furnish to APOC a list of all persons claiming a credit, "including dates, if available, and candidates or groups to which the contribution was made. These lists or parts of them may not be made public except on order of the supreme court of the State." (emphasis supplied).

Representative Terry Martin obtained an order of the Alaska Supreme Court dated March 21, 1985, which contained the following language:

The State of Alaska is directed to release to Representative Martin a list of all candidates or groups to which contributions were made and for which the tax credit provided for by AS 43.20.013 was claimed during calendar years 1983 and 1984.

As I informed you, I believe it necessary to obtain an opinion from the Office of the Attorney General on the scope of that order. Specifically, my questions to counsel will be:

1. Does the order limit the release to Representative Martin or does the order make release of the lists "public"?

If the answer to that question is that publication to Representative Martin is publication to all, the list provided to Representative Martin will be furnished promptly.

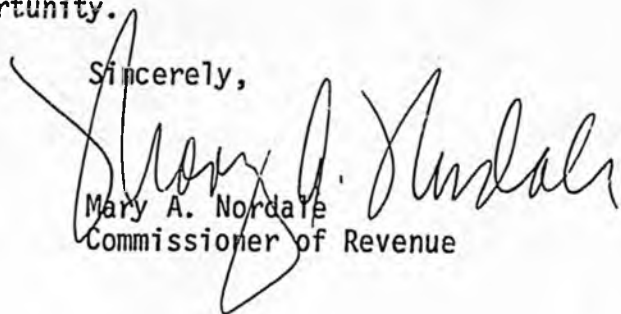
2. Would a list relating to 1985 contributions come within the scope of the order?

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3. Notwithstanding the provisions of AS 43.05.085, may the department release lists furnished to APOC to others without a Supreme Court order?

Although the Legislature did amend AS 43.05.085 in 1984 to correct the name of the agency receiving the lists, it made no other change. Since legislative review of that statute is so recent, I believe that the department must take the language in its literal sense, absent a legal opinion to the contrary. However, because of your interest, I am seeking advice on this issue immediately and shall be in further communication with you at the earliest possible opportunity.

Sincerely,



Mary A. Norda
Commissioner of Revenue

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cc: Richard Monkman
Assistant Attorney General

MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

TO: Bruce Botelho
Deputy Commissioner, Taxation
Department of Revenue

DATE: December 17, 1985

FILE NO: 366-221-86

TELEPHONE NO:

465-3600

FROM: Harold M. Brown
Attorney General

SUBJECT: Political tax credit
payments to minors

By: Richard D. Monkman
Assistant Attorney General

You have requested our opinion on whether the Department of Revenue may deny claims for individual political contribution credits made by parents "on behalf" of minors as young as six months old. The answer is yes.

The individual tax credit may be claimed only for contributions to campaigns for elective office in Alaska (state or federal), for contributions to groups seeking to influence the outcome of a ballot proposition in Alaska, and for contributions to groups organized primarily for the purpose of influencing elections in Alaska. AS 43.20.013. Any contribution in these three categories would necessarily fall under the Campaign Disclosure Act, AS 15.13.010.

The disclosure statutes prohibit contributions made anonymously or in the name of another person. AS 15.13.-120(a)(4). Violation is a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment for up to a year and a fine of up to \$5,000. Id. Additionally, a campaign or group which accepted contributions made on behalf of another person is subject to civil fines. AS 15.13.125. The Alaska Public Offices Commission has, by regulation, provided:

* If a minor makes a contribution of money or anything of value given to the minor by a parent for that purpose, the parent has made a contribution in the name of another.

2 AAC 50.357(d).

A contribution made by a parent "on behalf" of a minor is presumptively in violation of the Campaign Disclosure Act, and would be an illegal contribution. The Department of Revenue may

* Note - effective date of new regulations was 1-4-86

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Department of Revenue
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not grant claims for tax credits based on illegal contributions, and thus these claims should be denied. */

The Audit Division's practice of responding to questions about contribution by minors by stating that (1) the minor must use "their own money" and (2) the minor must make the decision to contribute, uses the appropriate analysis. In determining whether contributions are made with the minor's "own money," the department might look to indicia such as the name on the checking account, the name on the receipt for the contribution, or whether the contribution was made with PFD money claimed by the parent.

The question of whether the minor made the decision to contribute, rather than the parent, is likely to be more difficult. You have asked whether the department "[m]ay deny claims made by persons under the age of eighteen" as a blanket rule. While administratively this would be the easiest course of action, AS 43.23.013 states that "a resident individual is entitled to a tax credit" for contributions and does not provide an age limitation. Reading this statute in harmony with the Campaign Disclosure Act leads us to conclude that the department could certainly require claims made by unemancipated minors to be supported by affidavit or other documentation sufficient to prove that the decision to contribute was the minor's, and not the parent's. A blanket ban would probably go too far.

HMB:RDM:cck

cc: Ervin Jones, Director
Administrative Services
Department of Revenue

Theda S. Pittman, Executive Director
Alaska Public Offices Commission
Anchorage

*/ In this regard, we note that parents of unemancipated minors must sign the minor's Permanent Fund Dividend application, and "may claim" the dividend "on behalf" of the minor. AS 43.23.-005(c); AS 43.23(d). A contribution using the minor's PFD money and made at the discretion of the parent would violate the Campaign Disclosure Act.

STATE OF ALASKA

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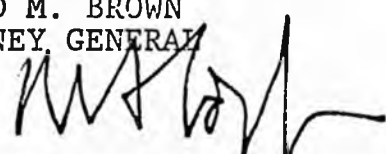
Re: Political contribution tax
credits

Dear Mr. Logan:

As we discussed yesterday, political contribution tax credits may be claimed only for "a contribution made ... for use exclusively (A) for a political campaign for a candidate [...]." AS 43.20.013 (emphasis supplied). The Campaign Disclosure Act defines "candidate" as a "person who files for election [for state, federal, or municipal office]" (emphasis supplied). Thus, only contributions to persons who have filed a declaration of candidacy with the Division of Elections for public office at the time the contribution is made are eligible for the tax credit.

Sincerely yours,

HAROLD M. BROWN
ATTORNEY GENERAL

By: 
Richard D. Monkman
Assistant Attorney General

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cc w/enc.:

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Ervin Jones, Director
Administrative Services
Department of Revenue

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

In the Matter of the)
Application for Release)
of Individual Tax Credit)
Lists.)
_____)

Supreme Court No. S-839

Filed and Entered *Cur. 6.4.85*
APPELLATE COURTS of the
STATE of ALASKA

MAR 27 1985

O R D E R

Before: Rabinowitz, Chief Justice, Burke,
Matthews, Compton and Moore, Justices.

CLERK

By *[Signature]* Dept

On consideration of the application for the release, pursuant to AS 43.05.085, of individual tax credit lists, filed by Representative Terry Martin on February 5, 1985, and the statement of non-opposition to the application, filed by the State of Alaska on February 25, 1985,

IT IS ORDERED:

The application is granted. The State of Alaska is directed to release to Representative Martin a list of all candidates or groups to which contributions were made and for which the tax credit provided for by AS 43.20.013 was claimed during calendar years 1983 and 1984.

Entered by direction of the court at Anchorage, Alaska on March 21, 1985.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

[Signature: David A. Lampen]
DAVID A. LAMPEN

ccs: Justices
Counsel
Representative Terry Martin
Sally Smith, Director of Public Services,
Department of Revenue

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February 22, 1985

Mr. David A. Lampen
Clerk of the Superior Court
State of Alaska
303 "K" Street
Anchorage, AK 99501-2084

Re: Application for Release from
Individual Tax Credit Lis

Dear Mr. Lampen:

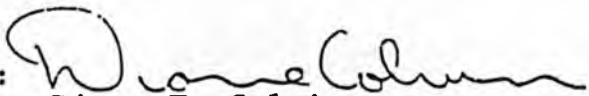
Enclosed is the state's response to Representative Terry Martin's application to the court seeking release of information made confidential by AS 43.05.085. The state does not oppose Representative Martin's request, for the reasons given in the attached statement.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have questions, please contact us.

Sincerely yours,

NORMAN C. GORSUCH
ATTORNEY GENERAL

By:


Diane T. Colvin

Assistant Attorney General

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Enclosure

cc: Honorable Terry Martin
Alaska State Legislature

Sally Smith, Director
Public Services Division
Department of Revenue

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IN THE SUPREME COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA

In Re Application For Release)
of Individual Tax Credit Lists)

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STATE'S STATEMENT OF NON-OPPOSITION TO
APPLICATION FOR RELEASE OF INDIVIDUAL TAX CREDIT LISTS

Pursuant to Appellate Rule 404(c), the state files this response to the application filed by Representative Terry Martin for release of individual tax credit lists. The state does not oppose Representative Martin's request for release of these lists, for the reasons given below.

First, Representative Martin is requesting only the names of candidates and groups for whom the tax credit provided by AS 43.20.013 is claimed. Release of this information would not jeopardize any individual contributor's claim to privacy.

Second, Representative Martin is a state legislator. The political contribution program involves the expenditure of public funds. Representative Martin, as a public official, has a legitimate reason for seeking the information requested. His interest would, we believe, outweigh any interest the candidates and groups may have in nondisclosure.

Finally, AS 43.05.085 requires that the information requested by Representative Martin be provided to the Alaska Public Offices Commission (APOC). Other information of this kind in the possession of APOC is public information. There is not a legitimate privacy reason, in our view, for treating this particular information differently. More importantly, the purpose of AS 15.13, under which campaign expenditures and contributions must be reported to APOC, is to enable the electorate of the state to be better informed about funds contributed to and expenditures made by candidates for public office. This public purpose is not served if certain information held by APOC is kept confidential.

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The state, therefore, does not oppose the application for release of the names of candidates and groups for whom credits were claimed under AS 43.20.013.

DATED: 2-22-85

NORMAN C. GORSUCH
ATTORNEY GENERAL

By: Diane T. Colvin
Diane T. Colvin
Assistant Attorney General

The undersigned hereby certifies that on the 22nd day of February, 1985, the attached documents were mailed to the ~~attorneys of record~~ representative Mark

Margaret Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me the date last written.

Christine C. Shurtlone

Notary Public
My Commission Expires 10/1/88

ATTORNEY GENERAL, STATE OF ALASKA
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January 29, 1985

Honorable Jay Rabinowitz, Chief Justice
Alaska Supreme Court
303 "K" St.
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Dear Chief Justice Rabinowitz,

In our democratic form of government, with it's three separate branches, the judicial branch is often called upon by the legislative and executive branches to solve problems between the two. And so it is with this letter that I present you with a set of facts and ask for your assistance.

In 1974 the Alaska legislature enacted a law that allowed state residents to apply for a personal income tax credit of up to 50 dollars. The credit was given if a taxpayer donated money to a political candidate, a candidate for judicial retention or a ballot initiative. Under that system, if a resident could prove that he or she made a donation to a campaign, the state would allow them to credit up to 50 dollars against their state income tax.

In 1980, when the personal income tax on Alaska residents was repealed, the law was changed to allow for a political contribution credit. That is, since the personal income tax was repealed, if a resident made a contribution to a political campaign, he or she would simply be reimbursed by the state. Also in 1980, the amount of the credit was increased to 100 dollars.

In the last year I have become interested in this program and have begun to investigate what types of organizations are being claimed as creditable contributions. Quite simply, I have been trying to find out where the money is going.

AS 43.20.013 (a)(1)(A) is clear, it allows a credit of up to 100 dollars for a resident who has contributed to a campaign in Alaska. Early last year I requested from the Department of Revenue a list of who Alaska residents have claimed as creditable contributions. Officials with Revenue were very cooperative in granting my request. My intent was to determine if the political campaign contribution program was accomplishing its purpose of assisting the average citizen in making contributions to candidates for elective office. I was also interested in how much money was being spent in-state versus out of state.

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January 29, 1985
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With that background in mind, on to the problem. With the 1984 elections out of the way, I thought it would be interesting to check and see how much money was spent on campaign credits during the past election season, and where it went. When my office placed a telephone call to the proper revenue official and asked for the list, just as we had done before, we were refused access to the information.

AS 43.05.085 states that the information dealing with the political contribution credit shall not be made public except on order of the supreme court of the state of Alaska. Ms. Sally Smith, the Director of Public Services of the department cited this statute as her reasoning for not releasing the information.

Thus, Mr. Chief Justice, I request your assistance.

I am sure you are aware that "Campaign reform" is the subject of much discussion in the press and the subject of much legislation in the capitol. Without exception the bills introduced thus far are designed not only to limit expenditures, but to make public the origin and the amounts of money being spent on elective office. I expect some form of this legislation to pass soon, simply because the people are demanding it.

When AS 43.05.085 first appeared in section 4, chapter 76, SLA 1974, it was in reference to a tax credit. It was the mood of the day, and maybe rightly so, that information related to taxpayers should remain confidential. However, as this statute applies today, there is no personal income tax debt to be credited. It therefore follows that there is no information relating to taxpayers that can be divulged. Keep in mind that I am not asking to see the names of those who contributed, only the names of those organizations and candidates that have been credited as Alaskan campaigns.

Along the lines of keeping information confidential, I would like to point out that when the program was indeed a tax credit, the state was not expending funds, it was simply deferring them. Understandably, that was between the taxpayer and the state. However, as the program exists today, the state is expending public funds. I for one believe that the final destination of public funds should be public knowledge.

Finally, I would like to point out that I have requested and was given this information once already. Since I received the list, I have not infringed on the rights or privacy of one Alaskan, simply because I did not ask for, and I did not receive the name of any Alaskan.

Honorable Jay Rabinowitz
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In conclusion Mr. Chief Justice, I am requesting you to order the Department of Revenue to provide me and the public with the names of candidates and organizations that have been claimed in calendar years 1983 and 1984 by anyone applying for reimbursement of their political campaign contribution.

I await your response.

Also, for your information, I am enclosing a copy of HB144 which will hopefully be passed during this session to correct this situation.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Representative Terry Martin
House Minority Leader

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Alaska State Legislature

OFFICE OF THE MINORITY



POUCH V
JUNEAU, ALASKA 99811

House of Representatives

February 12, 1985

Mr. David Lampen
Clerk of the Supreme Court
303 "K" Street
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Dear Mr. Lampen,

I am in receipt of your letter of February 7, 1985 regarding the Individual Tax Credit lists. I would like to thank you for your expeditious handling of my request to release the names of individual candidates and organizations that have been claimed as creditable contributions.

I have no supplemental information to forward for your consideration, however, if you or the court have questions regarding my request, please contact me.

Again, thank you.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Terry Martin".

Representative Terry Martin
House Minority Leader

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ccs: Supreme Court Justices
The Honorable Norman C. Gorsuch
Ms. Sally Smith, Director of Public Services, DOR

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January 24, 1985

Ms. Sally Smith
Department of Revenue
State of Alaska
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Ms. Smith,

During the past few days my assistant, Mr. Mark Hanley, has spoken with you about obtaining a list of names. The names he has requested, on my behalf, are the names of groups and candidates that individuals have claimed credit for under AS 43.20.013., the political campaign refund.

I am sure you are aware that I have been provided with such a list by your department in the recent past. I believe the statutes are clear in granting me the right to this information. AS 09.25.110 states that "Unless specifically provided otherwise the books, records, papers, files accounts, writings, and transactions of all agencies and departments are public records and are open to inspection by the public..."

Further, AS 09.25.100 states that "Information in the possession of the Department of Revenue which discloses the particulars of the business of affairs of a taxpayer or other person is not a matter of public record...These restrictions do not prohibit the publication of statistics presented in a manner that prevents the identification of particular reports and items..."

You stated to Mr. Hanley that AS 43.05.085 prevented you from releasing the information I am requesting. However, this particular statute was repealed in 1975, and AS 43.20.013 makes no provision for the release of such information.

Certainly my request has nothing to do with who requested the political campaign refund, only which group, cause or candidate has been claimed as a creditable contribution.

Ms. Sally Smith
January 24, 1985
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Therefore, I would like to formally request from you a list of the groups, causes and candidates that have been claimed as creditable contributions during 1982, 1983 and 1984.

As the information I seek is necessary in order to proceed with official legislative business, specifically HB 49 and SB 34, I would appreciate a timely response to this request.

Sincerely,

Representative Terry Martin

Supreme Court



Court of Appeals

State of Alaska

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DAVID A. LAMPEN
Clerk of Courts

The Honorable Terry Martin
House of Representatives
Alaska State Legislature
Pouch V
Juneau, Alaska 99811

February 7, 1985

Re: Individual Tax Credit Lists

Dear Representative Martin:

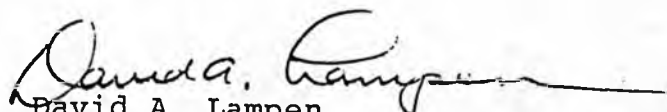
Chief Justice Rabinowitz has referred your letter of January 29, 1985 concerning the release of the lists prepared pursuant to AS 43.05.085, to me for appropriate processing. As you note, the lists of contributors and the candidates or groups to which the contributions were made will only be made public upon an order of the Alaska Supreme Court.

Your letter has been filed and processed as an original application to the full Court seeking the release of the lists or parts of them. If there is any additional information that you wish to submit to the full court in connection with your application, you may submit a supplement to your letter within ten days of receipt of this letter. Please forward a copy of any supplemental material to the Attorney General.

I have served a copy of your letter upon Attorney General Norman C. Gorsuch and Ms. Sally Smith, the Director of Public Services of the Department of Revenue, as representatives of the State of Alaska. I have requested that any response to your application and any supplemental material should be forwarded as expeditiously as possible. The Supreme Court will then consider the application. I will notify you of the Court's decision.

If I can provide additional information or further assistance, please contact me.

Yours sincerely,


David A. Lampen
Clerk of the Supreme Court

ccs: Supreme Court Justices
The Honorable Norman C. Gorsuch
Ms. Sally Smith, Director of Public Services

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Re: Individual Tax Credit Lists

Dear Ms. Smith:

Enclosed please find a copy of a letter of January 29, 1985 from Representative Terry Martin to Chief Justice Rabinowitz. The matter has been treated as an original application to the Supreme Court for an order directing the release, pursuant to AS 43.05.085, of the lists of contributors and candidates or groups to which contributions were made. Mr. Martin has been notified that he may submit within ten days any supplemental information he wishes to bring to the attention of the full court.

A copy of this material has also been served upon the Attorney General. Please communicate with Mr. Gorsuch's office concerning any response to the original application.

Yours sincerely,

David A. Lampen
Clerk of the Supreme Court

Enclosure

ccs: Supreme Court Justices
Representative Terry Martin
The Honorable Norman C. Gorsuch (Enclosure)

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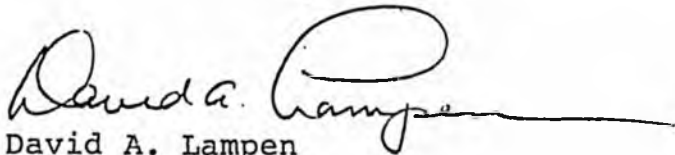
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Any response to the application should be submitted to this office as expeditiously as possible, but in no case later than ten days after the filing of Representative Martin's supplemental material. Please also serve a copy of your response on Representative Martin.

Yours sincerely,


David A. Lampen
Clerk of the Supreme Court

Enclosure

ccs: Supreme Court Justices
Representative Terry Martin
Ms. Sally Smith, Director of Public Services (Enclosure)

REP. TERRY MARTIN

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Alaska House of Representatives

January 22, 1986

Mr. Ervin Jones, Director
Division of Administrative Services
Department of Revenue
Pouch SA
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Jones,

As I have for the last 2 years, I am formally requesting information from the Department of Revenue regarding the Political Contribution Credit authorized under 43.20.013.(a).

Specifically, I would like to know what individuals and organizations were claimed for the credit, and the total amount of money the state paid out in each of their names (for instance "Candidate A...\$1000" or "PAC B...\$2000"), the total number of checks distributed, total amount paid out and Zip Codes of the applicants. I would like this information broken down by fiscal year, beginning in 1980 when the program began, until the present.

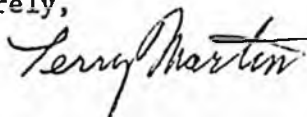
I am sure you remember that last year I requested this information from Ms. Sally Smith, Director of the Division of Public Services of DOR. Ms. Smith refused my request, and, as she is permitted to do under 43.20.013.(a), required me to petition the Supreme Court in order to gain access to the information.

Before hearing the matter the Court considered briefs from me, and from the Attorney General. In a statement for the AG, Assistant AG Diane Colvin wrote that the state saw no problem with me gaining access to the information. In fact, she stated that I had every right to the information. It is, I believe, prudent to assume that my request will again be granted if I am forced to petition the Court.

In the course of my legislative duties I am involved with several projects which require the information I am seeking, in one form or another, before they can be completed.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Sincerely,



Representative Terry Martin
House Minority Leader



MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

TO: Gerald L. Wilkerson
Legislative Auditor
Division of Legislative Audit

DATE: February 5, 1985

FILE NO: 366-320-85

TELEPHONE NO: 465-3600

FROM: Norman C. Gorsuch
Attorney General

SUBJECT: Requirements for
organizations
under the political
contribution credit
program

By: Diane T. Colvin *DTC*
Assistant Attorney General
Commercial-Juneau

In conjunction with an audit of the political contribution credit program administered by the Department of Revenue, you have asked whether national political parties and national special interest groups qualify under AS 43.20.013(a), which provides for payments to individuals for contributions made to certain political candidates and organizations. We conclude that a national organization may qualify if the purpose for which it is organized meets the criteria set forth in AS 43.20.013(a).

AS 43.20.013(a) provides as follows:

- (a) A resident individual is entitled to a tax credit not to exceed \$100 for
- (1) a contribution made in a calendar year to a person or organization for use exclusively
 - (A) for a political campaign for a candidate for
 - (i) President or Vice President of the United States, whether or not the candidate will be voted on in a primary election in Alaska;
 - (ii) United States senator from Alaska;
 - (iii) United States representative from Alaska;
 - (iv) governor or lieutenant governor of Alaska;
 - (v) the Alaska legislature;
 - (vi) delegate to an Alaska constitutional convention;
 - (vii) electoral confirmation as a judge or justice of a court in Alaska; or
 - (viii) municipal office in Alaska; or
 - (B) by a group seeking to influence the outcome of a ballot proposition or question in Alaska; and
 - (2) dues paid in a calendar year to a non-profit organization organized primarily for the purpose of influencing elections in Alaska.

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AS 43.20.013(a) places no geographical limitations on an organization. It does, however, impose requirements regarding the purpose of the organization. Thus, a national organization such as "Mondale for President" would qualify because it is organized for the purpose set forth in AS 43.20.013(a)(1)(A)(i) -- it is a political campaign organization supporting a candidate for the Presidency. On the other hand, a contribution to the Republican National Committee would not qualify, because it is not organized exclusively for one of the purposes listed in AS 43.20.013(a)(1)(A)(i) - (viii). It may support the Republican nominee for President, but it also supports other candidates, such as Republican congressional candidates in other states, who are not covered by the statute.

Likewise, national special interest organizations do not qualify unless they are organized for the purposes set forth in AS 43.20.013(a). Thus, a nationwide organization could qualify if it were organized primarily to influence an Alaskan election. AS 43.20.013(a)(2). A state organization would not qualify unless, like the Alaska Environmental Action Committee, it were organized primarily for the purpose of influencing elections in the state. The organizations you list in your memorandum (National Rifle Association, Audubon Society, National Wildlife Federation, Second Amendment Foundation) would not qualify because they are not organized primarily for the purpose of influencing elections in Alaska nor for any of the other purposes listed in AS 43.20.013(a)(1) and (2).

Focusing on the purpose of the organization fulfills, we believe, the legislative intent of the statute. AS 43.20.013(a), like sec. 41 of the Internal Revenue Code (providing for a tax credit for political contributions), was enacted not only for the obvious purpose of encouraging citizens to make contributions to candidates for public office, but also to "compensate" for the fact that contributions to political organizations are not tax deductible as charitable contributions for income tax purposes. See I.R.C. §§ 501, 527 (West 1984). Thus, a contribution must be made to a legitimate political organization in order to qualify as a credit. A charitable organization that incidentally supports a candidate or proposition does not come under the purview of the statute.

Determining whether or not a contribution is made for one of the purposes covered by the statute creates a difficult administrative problem for the Department of Revenue. The purpose of an organization is not always apparent from its name. In addition, it is difficult for the department to identify all the organizations in the state that may be organized for the

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purposes listed in AS 43.20.013(a). This task, in order to be done accurately and efficiently, will probably require additional personnel, and assistance from the Division of Elections and the Alaska Public Offices Commission (APOC).

The other problem created for the department is a public relations one. An organization, in order to encourage contributions, may "advertise" to the public that it qualifies under AS 43.20.013(a) when in fact it does not. Based on a representation of this kind, the contributor will apply to the department for a refund, which may be denied because the contribution was not earmarked exclusively for one of the purposes listed in AS 43.20.013(a). Persons denied a refund are more likely to voice their dissatisfaction with department personnel than with employees of the organization who made the erroneous representation.

One way of easing the administrative burden on the department may be to amend the current regulation, 15 AAC 20.042, which requires, in effect, that a group supporting or opposing a ballot proposition must be registered with the Alaska Public Offices Commission in order to qualify. This registration requirement could be extended to cover most candidates and groups, except those that are not otherwise required to register with APOC, such as groups supporting candidates for national offices. For those organizations that are required to register, the use of registration as a qualifier would probably help to expedite the processing of applications for refunds.

We hope this provides sufficient information for concluding your audit. If you wish further information, please contact us.

NCG:DTC:cct

cc: Ervin Jones, Director
Administrative Services Division
Department of Revenue

Theda S. Pittman, Director
Public Offices Commission
Department of Administration

Sandi Stout, Director
Division of Elections
Office of the Lieutenant Governor

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1982 POLITICAL CONTRIBUTION REFUND CLAIMS

Political Contribution Claims
 Individuals With More Than \$ 2500
CONTRIBUTIONS

| <u>Record ID</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>Amount (\$)</u> |
|------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 669 | Goll, Peter | 2,530.00 |
| 710 | Mystrom, Rick | 2,550.00 |
| 299 | Gilman, Don | 2,640.00 |
| 431 | Duncan, Jim | 2,648.00 |
| 664 | Tischer, Mae | 2,705.00 |
| 369 | Benshoof, Geraldine | 2,797.00 |
| 421 | Garrigues, James | 2,850.00 |
| 859 | Knowles, Tony | 2,870.00 |
| 706 | Metcalf, Ray | 2,925.00 |
| 423 | Angvik, Jane | 2,965.00 |
| 459 | Lindauer, John | 3,024.00 |
| 452 | Dapcevich, John | 3,050.00 |
| 450 | Carlson, John | 3,149.00 |
| 463 | Sackett, J | 3,150.00 |
| 512 | Gorsuch | 3,183.00 |
| 882 | Collins, Virginia | 3,210.00 |
| 81 | Adams, Al | 3,350.00 |
| 306 | Schmedlen, Doug | 3,406.00 |
| 787 | Sandvick, E | 3,431.00 |
| 236 | Schultz, D | 3,435.00 |
| 622 | Woods, Noel | 3,466.00 |
| 490 | Fanning, K | 3,493.00 |
| 890 | Furnace, W | 3,506.00 |
| 620 | Koponen, N | 3,524.00 |
| 654 | Carney, Pat | 3,726.00 |
| 828 | Janson, Sue | 3,793.00 |
| 759 | Bettisworth R | 3,855.00 |
| 297 | Clocksinn, Don | 3,929.00 |
| 350 | Murkowski, F | 4,025.00 |
| 883 | Dal Piaz, V | 4,128.00 |
| 880 | Fischer, V | 4,330.00 |
| 672 | Smith, Phillip | 4,711.00 |
| 557 | Holloway, M | 4,715.00 |
| 119 | Sturgulewski | 4,755.00 |
| 507 | Albertson Lamont | 4,832.00 |
| 429 | Ayers, Jr | 4,862.00 |
| 140 | Fahrenk | 4,987.00 |
| 563 | Szyman | 5,040.00 |
| 462 | Ringstad, John | 5,151.00 |
| 541 | Carpenter, M | 5,236.00 |
| 845 | Bu. oldt, Thelma | 5,298.00 |
| 641 | Freeman, O | 5,551.00 |
| 670 | Pettyjohn, F | 5,660.00 |
| 186 | Bussell, C | 6,060.00 |
| 712 | Malone, Hugh | 6,060.00 |

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| <u>Record ID</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>Amount (\$)</u> |
|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 911 | Brown, Fred | 6,417.00 |
| 468 | Faiks, J | 6,781.00 |
| 552 | Sikorski, M | 6,910.00 |
| 296 | Bennett, Don | 7,358.00 |
| 192 | O'Connell, C | 7,432.00 |
| 444 | Hayes, Joe | 7,787.00 |
| 773 | Rose, Dave | 8,175.00 |
| 386 | Boucher, Red | 8,485.00 |
| 142 | Allen, Bill | 9,809.00 |
| 536 | Colletta, M | 9,865.00 |
| 143 | Hudson, Bill | 13,575.00 |
| 302 | Young, Don | 14,235.00 |
| 539 | Roberts, Malcolm | 22,440.00 |
| 230 | Cowper | 29,963.00 |
| 746 | Randolph, D | 33,162.00 |
| 831 | Miller, Terry | 78,177.00 |
| 004 | Sheffield/McAlpine | 175,157.00 |
| 008 | Fink/Colletta | 189,396.00 |

TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS: \$809,685.00

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Political Contribution Claims
Groups With More Than \$2500

CONTRIBUTIONS

| <u>Record ID</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>Amount (\$)</u> |
|------------------|--|--------------------|
| 901 | Womens Political Caucus | 2,515.00 |
| 649 | PACE NEA PAC | 2,892.00 |
| 910 | AGC PAC | 3,050.00 |
| 627 | National Rifle Assoc | 3,566.00 |
| 88 | Alive Teamsters | 3,992.00 |
| 683 | Pol Action Comm | 4,389.00 |
| 346 | Fish PAC | 4,775.00 |
| 22 | Builders PAC | 4,932.00 |
| 189 | Choice for Alaskans | 5,238.00 |
| 005 | Democrats | 7,191.00 |
| 234 | Positive Action, Citizens for | 6,363.00 |
| 49 | Laborers Political Education Committee | 8,902.00 |
| 320 | Employees Political Inf Comm | 9,671.00 |
| 617 | NEA Ak Pace | 11,519.00 |
| 39 | Environmental Committee | 19,878.00 |
| 007 | Libertarians | 22,820.00 |
| 694 | Personal Liberties Comm | 25,685.00 |
| 174 | Capital Access Committee | 35,591.00 |
| 396 | Equal Hunting and Fishing | 38,527.00 |
| 843 | Alaska Committee | 57,144.00 |
| 003 | Republicans | 63,516.00 |

TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS: \$342,851.00

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UNIONS

CONTRIBUTIONS

| <u>Record ID</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>Amount (\$)</u> |
|----------------------|--|--------------------|
| 17 | AFGE PAC | 365.00 |
| 18 | AFL-CIO COPE | 1,945.00 |
| 49 | Laborers Political Education Committee | 8,902.00 |
| 59 | Public Employees Assn | 300.00 |
| 67 | Laboters | 100.00 |
| 88 | Alive Teamsters | 3,992.00 |
| 93 | Postal Workers Union | 12.00 |
| 95 | Union Control | 25.00 |
| 112 | APEA | 430.00 |
| 168 | C O R E | 100.00 |
| 397 | IBEW Vol Pol Fund | 34.00 |
| 407 | Intl Union | 10.00 |
| 410 | IUOE Local 302 | 50.00 |
| 466 | Journeyman | 100.00 |
| 471 | Central Labor, Juneau | 100.00 |
| 475 | Labor Couns, Juneau | 50.00 |
| 523 | Local 302 PAC | 134.00 |
| 524 | Local 341 Education | 100.00 |
| 525 | Local 375 | 300.00 |
| 526 | Local 71 PAC | 33.00 |
| 527 | Local United Assoc | 100.00 |
| 531 | LUPAC | 100.00 |
| 576 | Master Mates and Pilots | 100.00 |
| 636 | Operations Pol | 36.00 |
| 637 | Opty Eng 302 Fbks | 50.00 |
| 677 | Pol and Education Comm | 200.00 |
| 678 | Pol Arm | 110.00 |
| 679 | Pol Education Comm | 300.00 |
| 683 | Pol Action Comm | 4,389.00 |
| 836 | Teamsters | 225.00 |
| 864 | Plumbers and Pipefitters | 346.00 |
| 865 | Oper Engineers, Union of | 100.00 |
| 867 | Union PAC Local 302 | 100.00 |
| 868 | Union Pol Awareness | 100.00 |
| TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS: | | \$23,338.00 |

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Education PACs

CONTRIBUTIONS

| <u>Record ID</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>Amount (\$)</u> |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 15 | AEA Pace | 775.00 |
| 84 | Education (AK) | 100.00 |
| 104 | Education Association Pace Anchorage | 5.00 |
| 313 | Education Comm | 105.00 |
| 332 | Education Assoc PAC, Fbks | 390.00 |
| 337 | FEA PACE | 1,748.00 |
| 424 | JEA PACE | 103.00 |
| 473 | Education Assoc, Juneau Pace | 25.00 |
| 480 | Education, PACE Juneau | 50.00 |
| 486 | KBEA PACE | 275.00 |
| 500 | Education Assoc, Kodiak Bor | 400.00 |
| 592 | Education Assoc, National | 100.00 |
| 595 | Education Assoc, National | 300.00 |
| 598 | Education Assoc, National | 200.00 |
| 617 | NEA Ak Pace | 11,519.00 |
| 644 | PAC | 100.00 |
| 645 | PACE | 100.00 |
| 646 | PAC fnd | 200.00 |
| 649 | PACE NEA PAC | 2,892.00 |
| 878 | VEA PACE | 50.00 |
| TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS: | | \$19,437.00 |

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Questionable Donations

CONTRIBUTIONS

| <u>Record ID</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>Amount (\$)</u> |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|
| 25 | Cabaret Hotels | 200.00 |
| 37 | Alaska Credit Union | 370.00 |
| 44 | Fur Trappers | 20.00 |
| 50 | Legis (Ak) | 100.00 |
| 71 | Real Estate | 20.00 |
| 86 | Alcohol and Drug Abuse | 150.00 |
| 90 | Cranston, Allen | 250.00 |
| 92 | Alyeska Airways | 45.00 |
| 100 | American Security | 35.00 |
| 118 | Arts for Anchorage | 10.00 |
| 123 | Audobon Society | 50.00 |
| 155 | Bond Issue | 55.00 |
| 170 | Campaigner Pub | 750.00 |
| 172 | Candidates Raffle | 250.00 |
| 188 | Cheyenne ARFA Combin | 100.00 |
| 213 | Combined Fed Campaign | 414.00 |
| 227 | Conserv Caucus | 365.00 |
| 253 | Democratic Congressional Campaign | 75.00 |
| 254 | Democratic congressional Campaign | 25.00 |
| 259 | Demo Natl Comm | 95.00 |
| 263 | Democratic Congress Camp | 100.00 |
| 265 | Democratic National comm | 125.00 |
| 266 | Democratic National Party | 25.00 |
| 270 | Democratic Congress | 30.00 |
| 308 | E Systems Citizens | 50.00 |
| 315 | Roosevelt, Eleanor | 125.00 |
| 330 | Farthest North Club | 60.00 |
| 340 | Federal Campaign | 48.00 |
| 357 | Fusion Energy Found | 350.00 |
| 363 | Bush, George | 50.00 |
| 373 | Rep Victory Fund | 4,528.00 |
| 380 | Gun owners of Am | 130.00 |
| 384 | Handgun Control | 45.00 |
| 401 | Inaugural Ball | 490.00 |
| 403 | Institute for Leg Action | 150.00 |
| 408 | Isaac Walton | 200.00 |
| 428 | Helms, Jesse | 25.00 |
| 487 | KCHS Auditorium | 10.00 |
| 502 | Kodiak Times | 72.00 |
| 503 | KOTV | 156.00 |
| 506 | L-P Corp | 20.00 |
| 513 | Legislative Comm | 35.00 |
| 546 | Natl Tax Limitation | 30.00 |
| 553 | Metzenbaum | 25.00 |
| 570 | INPL | 200.00 |
| 574 | Udall, Morris | 178.00 |
| 579 | North Pole H-S Fund | 50.00 |

Questionable Donations

| <u>Record ID</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>Amount (\$)</u> |
|------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| 591 | Congress Club, National | 540.00 |
| 592 | Education Assoc, National | 100.00 |
| 595 | Education Assoc, National | 300.00 |
| 596 | Conservative Comm, Nat | 205.00 |
| 597 | Demo, National | 250.00 |
| 598 | Education Assoc, National | 200.00 |
| 604 | Rep Fund, National | 890.00 |
| 609 | Rep Cong Comm, National | 2,652.00 |
| 613 | National Unity Comm | 50.00 |
| 614 | NCPAC Heritage Found | 50.00 |
| 625 | NOW ERA PAC | 1,040.00 |
| 626 | NR Congressional | 20.00 |
| 627 | National Rifle Assoc | 3,566.00 |
| 629 | NRCC | 295.00 |
| 630 | National Comm Effective Cong | 105.00 |
| 632 | Organization of Women, National | 305.00 |
| 638 | Oral Max Fac Surg | 45.00 |
| 640 | Hatch, Orrin | 60.00 |
| 652 | Political Action Fund | 253.00 |
| 681 | Pol Victory Fund | 125.00 |
| 684 | Political Liberties | 100.00 |
| 685 | Politician Caucus | 100.00 |
| 718 | Rep Natl Comm | 14,357.00 |
| 728 | Rep Natl Task Force | 320.00 |
| 731 | Rep Pres Task Force | 3,110.00 |
| 732 | Rep Sustaining Fund | 763.00 |
| 793 | Sea Turtle Rescue FN | 57.00 |
| 810 | Spenard Lions Club | 50.00 |
| 816 | Employer Rights | 25.00 |
| 817 | State Senate | 200.00 |
| 833 | Task Force | 240.00 |
| 844 | Connally Comm | 25.00 |
| 870 | Rep | 18,186.00 |
| 871 | US Defence Comm | 130.00 |
| 884 | Voice of the People | 100.00 |
| 885 | Vol Pol Fund | 580.00 |
| 893 | Wilderness Society | 50.00 |
| 898 | Wilson for Utah | 50.00 |
| 907 | World Affair Council | 120.00 |
| 913 | Rep Comm, National | 2,806.00 |

TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS: \$63,106.00

Information By:
Rep. Terry Martin
8/84

Offered: 5/2/85
Referred: Rules

Original sponsors: Martin and Marrou

1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE
2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 144 (Judiciary) (title am)
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to lists of political campaign
7 contributions."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 43.05.085 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 43.05.085. LIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS [CONTRIBUTORS]. The
11 commissioner of revenue shall prepare and furnish to the Alaska Public
12 Offices Commission by July 1 of each year a list containing the total
13 amount of contributions received by each candidate and group for which
14 a credit was received by an individual [OF ALL PERSONS CLAIMING A
15 CREDIT] under AS 43.20.013(a). The list becomes public information
16 under AS 09.25.110 - 09.25.120 on its delivery to the Alaska Public
17 Offices Commission [, INCLUDING THE DATES, IF AVAILABLE, AND
18 CANDIDATES OR GROUPS TO WHICH THE CONTRIBUTION WAS MADE. THESE LISTS
19 OR PARTS OF THEM MAY NOT BE MADE PUBLIC EXCEPT ON ORDER OF THE SUPREME
20 COURT OF THE STATE].
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