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10233 HOUSE HEALTH EDUCATION & SOCIAL SERVICES

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FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2001 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Fiscal Note Number: 1
 Bill Version: HCR 7
 (H) Publish Date: 2/23/01

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: _____
 Title: Relating to declaring April as Sexual Assault Awareness BRU: _____
 Month: _____ Component: _____
 Sponsor: Representative Meyer
 Requester: _____ Component Number: _____

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

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Other (Specify Type)						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2001) cost: 0.0

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: *(Attach a separate page if necessary)*

Prepared by: HOUSE HEALTH, EDUCATION & SOCIAL SERVICES COM Phone 465-3759

REPRESENTATIVE FRED DYSON Date 1/24/01
 Chairman

Line-8 WHEREAS NEARLY 40% OF CHILD SEXUAL
ASSAULTS REPORTING TO ~~OUR~~ ALASKA CHILD
ADVOCACY CENTERS ARE MALES AND MALES
RAPE IN PRISONS IS A SIGNIFICANT PROBLEM

Insert-1

Line 8 WHEREAS 1 out of 6 males will
be sexually assaulted by age 18.

Insert-2 whereas rape is a significant
problem in our prison system.



REPRESENTATIVE KEVIN MEYER

HOUSE DISTRICT 19

MEMORANDUM

DATE: February 26, 2001

TO: Representative Fred Dyson, Chair
Health and Social Services Committee

FROM: Representative Kevin Meyer

RE: Bill Hearing Request

I respectfully request House Concurrent Resolution No. 7 be heard in the Health and Social Service Committee as soon as it can be scheduled. Thank you in advance for expediting this request.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVES MEYER, Guess, Croft, Dyson

Introduced: 2/23/01

Referred: Health, Education and Social Services

A RESOLUTION

1 **Relating to proclaiming April 2001 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month.**

2 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

3 **WHEREAS** sexual assault is one of the most devastating crimes in society today; and

4 **WHEREAS** Alaska has the highest per capita occurrence of sexual assault in the
5 nation; and

6 **WHEREAS** one in four of our mothers, daughters, sisters, or wives will, at some
7 point, experience violence brought upon them; and

8 **WHEREAS** the incidence of rape in Alaska has increased over the past year and is
9 2.4 times the national average; only one in eight rapes are reported, making rape the most
10 underreported of all violent crimes; and

11 **WHEREAS** the division of family and youth services received 1,859 reports of child
12 sexual abuse last year alone; and

13 **WHEREAS** child sexual abuse often results in exceptional trauma to the victims and
14 in the loss of their childhood; and

15 **WHEREAS** these statistics do not include the countless numbers of family members,
16 loved ones, coworkers, and neighbors affected by the devastating crime of sexual assault; and

1 **WHEREAS** many residents of Alaska work to provide quality services and assistance
2 to sexual assault survivors; dedicated volunteers and professionals respond to emergency calls
3 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, offering support, comfort, and advocacy throughout all stages
4 of the recovery process, including medical examinations and criminal proceedings; and

5 **WHEREAS** it is vitally important that residents of Alaska continue to discuss sexual
6 assault and its effects on our communities; and

7 **WHEREAS** it would be our goal to improve Alaska's response to sexual assault and
8 to support and enhance educational efforts to provide information about sexual assault and the
9 services available to victim survivors and their loved ones; and

10 **WHEREAS** Alaska's first Statewide Sexual Violence Prevention Conference, to be
11 held this September, will benefit from the awareness brought about by Sexual Assault
12 Awareness Month;

13 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the Alaska State Legislature respectfully requests the
14 governor to proclaim the month of April 2001 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month; and be it

15 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Alaska State Legislature urges schools, community
16 organizations, and other public and private agencies and individuals to observe Sexual Assault
17 Awareness Month with suitable activities that increase the public's awareness of the
18 prevalence of sexual assault in Alaska.

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CS FOR HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7()
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY

Offered:
Referred:

Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES MEYER, Guess, Croft, Dyson

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18 prevalence of sexual assault and how it can be combatted.



REPRESENTATIVE KEVIN MEYER

HOUSE DISTRICT 19

SPONSOR STATEMENT

House Concurrent Resolution 7

“Relating to proclaiming April 2001 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month.”

Sexual assault is one of the most devastating crimes in our society. In the state of Alaska, statistics illustrate a sobering reality. Alaska has the highest per capital occurrence of sexual assault in the nation. While Alaskans work to provide quality services, assistance, support, and advocacy for victims of sexual assault, there is a profound need for greater awareness, prevention, and educational measures.

HCR 7 proclaims the month of April as Sexual Assault Awareness Month. It is important that schools, community organizations, public and private agencies and individuals observe this month with activities that seek to educate and increase the public's awareness of the prevalence of sexual assault in Alaska.

HCR 7 is meant to encourage those who have been affected by sexual assault as well as the members of our communities that act as counselors and advocates. Your support of this resolution is a necessary step in helping to heal and educate our communities.

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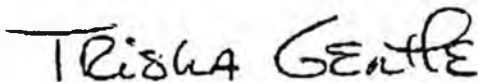
Representative Kevin Meyer
State Capitol, Room 110
Juneau, Alaska 99801-1182

Dear Representative Meyer:

Please accept this letter in support of House Concurrent Resolution Number 7. The Council on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault (CDVSA) recognizes the tremendous efforts of the sponsors of this resolution and appreciates their long-standing support of victim service programs.

As you know, each year the Governor issues a Proclamation for Sexual Assault Awareness Month. We see this as a welcome addition to existing work being done across the state to address the devastating effects of sexual assault.

Respectfully submitted,



Trisha Gentle
Executive Director

HCR

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SPONSOR STATEMENT HCR 14

HCR 14 suspends the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature concerning HCS CSSB 133 (EDU).

This resolution is necessary due to a title change from CSSB 133 (HES) am to HCS CSSB 133 (EDU). The title change reflects the addition of the report required by Section 4 of HCS CSSB 133 (EDU).

Each of the rules referenced in the resolution deals with title changes in committee.



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MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 5, 2001

TO: Representative Fred Dyson, Chair
House HESS Committee

FROM: Representative Con Bunde, Chair
House Special Committee on Education

RE: Hearing Request for HCR 14

Con Bunde

I respectfully request a hearing for HCR 14, which suspends the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature concerning HCS CSSB 133 (EDU).

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2001 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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 Bill Version: HCR 14
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 Title: Regarding changes to the bill title (SB 133) BRU: _____
 Sponsor: Rep. B. nde Component: _____
 Requester: _____ Component Number: _____

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Estimate of any current year (FY2001) cost: 0.0

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Full-time						
Part-time						
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ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

Prepared by: Randall C. Lorenz

Phone 465-3759

Representative Fred Dyson
 Chairman

Date 4/10/01

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MEMORANDUM

DATE: February 13, 2002

TO: Representative Fred Dyson
Chair, House HESS Committee

FROM: Representative Con Bunde, Chair

RE: HCR 23, "Legislative Committees: Split House HESS"

I respectfully request that you schedule a hearing for HCR 23 at your earliest possible convenience. I have attached copies of the resolution, sponsor statement, fiscal note, and two letters of support.

If you have any questions or concerns about this legislation, I would be happy to discuss them with you.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.



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Sponsor Statement

House Concurrent Resolution 23

Proposing amendments to Uniform Rule 20 of the Alaska State Legislature; and providing for an effective date for the amendments.

HCR 23 changes the House Special Committee on Education to a standing committee and changes the current House Health, Education, and Social Services Committee to the House Health and Social Services Committee. It does not change the committee structure in the Senate.

Historically, the House Health, Education, and Social Services Committee (HES) has been responsible for all issues related to the Department of Health and Social Services, the Department of Education and Early Development, and the University of Alaska. However, in 2001, the House Special Committee on Education was formed to study issues and hear bills related to education.

This special committee has proven to be beneficial to the legislative process by facilitating focused committee work on education bills and issues. Thirty-one bills have been referred to the House Special Committee on Education on such subjects as the High School Graduation Qualifying Exam, Student Loan Forgiveness, Supplementary Public School Funding, Alaska History Curriculum, Student Loans, and School Performance Reports. The special committee has also tracked federal education legislation, distributed research on a number of education issues, and conducted intensive investigation on such subjects as the statewide teacher shortage.

The change proposed by HCR 23 would allow for an appropriate and beneficial focus on education issues and legislation.

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2002 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Fiscal Note Number: 1
 Bill Version: HCR 23
 (H) Publish Date: 2/13/02

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: _____
 Title "Legislative Committees - Split House BRU _____
HESS" Component _____
 Sponsor House Special Committee on Education _____
 Requester _____ Component No. _____

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Other (Specify Type--Do not abbreviate)						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2002) cost: 0.0
 Check this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2003 budget proposal:

POSITIONS

Full-time						
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ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This resolution would split Education out of the House Health, Education and Social Services Committee and create a standing House Education Committee. As the current Health, Education and Social Services Committee and the House Special Committee on Education both have committee aides, there would be no additional expenditure. The Senate is not affected by this resolution.

Prepared by: Karen McCarthy, Committee Aide Phone 465-4843
 Division _____ Date/Time 2/11/02 5:45 PM
 Approved by: Representative Con Bunde, Chair Date 2/11/02
 Agency House Special Committee on Education



February 12, 2002

Representative Con Bunde
Alaska State Legislature
State Capitol
Juneau, AK 99801-1182

Dear Representative Bunde:

The Association of Alaska School Boards supports HCR 23, the establishment of a House Education Committee to address educational issues. This support is based on:

- Our Association's belief that education issues are sufficiently complex and important that it should have the full attention of a designated House committee.
- The current structure of a House Special Committee on Education, implemented with the 22nd Legislature, has proven to be helpful and afforded full discussion of many complex issues without the scheduling challenges of both education and health and social service issues typically faced in House HESS.
- Recognizing that House HESS often honored the careful deliberations occurring in the House Special Committee on Education, the assignment of education bills to both the Special Committee and House HESS could prove to be cumbersome and unnecessarily time consuming.
- Our Association is in steadfast support of a committee focused exclusively on education. The workload related to education has become significant and some division of responsibility to accommodate this makes logical sense.

Thank you for allowing the Association of Alaska School Boards the opportunity to comment on the organizational structure being considered in the House.

Respectfully,

Carl Rose
AASB Executive Director



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Alaska Association of Secondary School Principals
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Alaska Council of School Administrators

Date: February 12, 2002
To: Representative Con Bunde, Chair Subcommittee on Education
From: Darroll Hargraves Executive Director ACSA
Subject: Support for HCR 23

Many school administrators support the level of legislative attention to public education that would be available by creating a standing committee for education. It has been obvious in recent years that the HESS Committee has been over extended with the needs of health and social services.

Public education issues have loomed larger with each passing year over the past decade and the House has recognized that the sub-committee on education has been necessary during the 22nd Legislature. I don't have any expectation that public education matters will be less in future years.

None of the associations representing school administrators have taken a formal position on this issue. It will likely be a topic for consideration when the superintendents meet in Juneau March 17-19. We may have a formal position for you at that time.

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HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT

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Date Referred to Committee: February 15, 2002

FURTHER REFERRALS:

Date of Committee Action: 4.11.02

The HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES Committee considered:

HCR 23

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES: SPLIT HOUSE HESS

Proposing amendments to Uniform Rule 20 of the Alaska State Legislature; and providing for an effective date for the amendments.

Recommends it be replaced with CS () ! | Same Title | | New Title
 For Senate Bills with new title: | | Technical Title | | New Title: HCR _____

- attach amendments
- add new referral to _____ Committee
- Letter of Intent _____ Committee

List of Abbrev. for Depts.:
 ADM
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 EED
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<u>PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTES</u>				
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<u>Signing with recommendations</u>	Printed Last Name	DP	DNP	NR	AM
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	Wilson	X			
	Wilson	✓			
	Loggell		✓		
	Rohring		X		
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FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2002 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Fiscal Note Number: 2
 Bill Version: HCR 23
 () Publish Date: 2/11/2002

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: _____
 Title HCR 23--Legislative Committees: Split BRU _____
House H.E.S.S. Component _____
 Sponsor House Special Committee on Education _____
 Requester _____ Component No. _____

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Estimate of any current year (FY2002) cost: 0.0
 Check this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2003 budget proposal:

POSITIONS

Full-time	1					
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)
 The cost of this resolution represents personnel costs of one staff's salary, in addition to overhead and supplies, and transcription.

Prepared by: HIES Committee
 Division: _____
 Approved by: Representative Fred Dyson, Chair House H.E.S.S. Committee
 Agency: HIES Committee

Phone 465-2199
 Date 4/11/02 12:00 AM
 Time 5:30 PM

HJR

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Health, Education, and Social Services Committee
Alaska State Legislature
House of Representatives

We the undersigned agree to waive 22-LS0437A from our House Health, Education, and Social Services Committee and allow 22-LS0437A final to be read on the House floor as soon as possible

Bill: 22-LS0437A, A Resolution Relating to supporting the Great Alaska Shootout, the Top of the World Classic, and similar preseason Basketball tournaments, and requesting that the National Collegiate Athletic Association Reject legislative Proposal No. 2000-106.

Date: January 23, 2001

Representative Fred Dyson, Chair

Representative Peggy Wilson, Vice Chair

Representative Sharon Cissna

Representative John Coghill

Representative Reggie Joule

Representative Vic Kohring

Representative Gary Stevens

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CS FOR SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5()
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY

Offered:
Referred:

Sponsor(s): SENATORS LEMAN, Wilken, Pearce, Ellis

A RESOLUTION

1 **Relating to supporting the Great Alaska Shootout, the Top of the World Classic, and**
2 **similar preseason basketball tournaments, and requesting that the National Collegiate**
3 **Athletic Association reject legislative proposal No. 2000-106.**

4 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

5 **WHEREAS** the State of Alaska and many of its institutions participate in interstate
6 organizations and enter into many interstate agreements for the benefit of Alaska residents
7 and the residents of other states; and

8 **WHEREAS** one of these interstate organizations is the National Collegiate Athletic
9 Association (NCAA); and

10 **WHEREAS** the University of Alaska Anchorage's Great Alaska Shootout basketball
11 tournament and the University of Alaska Fairbanks' Top of the World Classic basketball
12 tournament are two of the premier early or preseason basketball tournaments for NCAA
13 member schools; and

14 **WHEREAS** the Great Alaska Shootout began in 1978 and, throughout the past 23
15 years, has been the host to more than 4,860 male and female student athletes who have been

1 exposed to the unique culture and experience of Alaska while interacting with the people of
2 Alaska; and

3 **WHEREAS** the Top of the World Classic began in 1996 and provides students in
4 Fairbanks with the opportunity to meet student athletes from schools participating in the
5 classic and to interact with positive role models from different areas of the country and
6 different backgrounds while also exposing the student athletes to the unique culture and
7 experience of Alaska; and

8 **WHEREAS** the Great Alaska Shootout and the Top of the World Classic provide an
9 opportunity for Alaska's Division II intercollegiate athletic teams to be exposed to and
10 compete against Division I schools while providing Alaska elementary and secondary school
11 students the opportunity to personally witness topflight intercollegiate athletic competition;
12 and

13 **WHEREAS** the Great Alaska Shootout and the Top of the World Classic have
14 become a tradition in their respective communities, if not in all of Alaska; create a strong
15 sense of community excitement and participation while providing a needed boost to the local
16 economies; and are integral financial contributors to the athletic programs at the University of
17 Alaska; and

18 **WHEREAS** the Great Alaska Shootout and the Top of the World Classic, along with
19 tournaments such as the Black Coaches Association Classic, the Tip Off Classic, the Maui
20 Invitational, Coaches Against Cancer, and other tournaments conducted in Hawaii, Puerto
21 Rico, and other locales, are classified as "exempt" tournaments under current NCAA
22 regulations, which means that some of the games played at these tournaments do not count
23 towards the 28-basketball-game limit that each NCAA Division I member may schedule each
24 year; and

25 **WHEREAS**, on October 25 - 26, 2000, the NCAA Division I Management Council
26 adopted legislative proposal No. 2000-106, which would limit NCAA Division I member
27 institutions to 29 basketball games and one exhibition contest or scrimmage each year and
28 would eliminate the exemption for games played at basketball tournaments such as the Great
29 Alaska Shootout and the Top of the World Classic, thereby eliminating an incentive for a
30 NCAA member institution to participate in these tournaments; and

31 **WHEREAS** the NCAA Division I Management Council and Board of Directors are

1 scheduled to consider legislative proposal No. 2000-106 in April 2001;

2 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the Alaska State Legislature urges that the NCAA Division I
3 Management Council and Board of Directors recognize the positive contribution that
4 tournaments such as the Great Alaska Shootout and the Top of the World Classic make to the
5 lives and experiences of the student athletes who participate in the tournaments and to the
6 communities that sponsor the tournaments; and be it

7 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Alaska State Legislature urges the NCAA Division
8 I Management Council and Board of Directors to reject legislative proposal No. 2000-106;
9 and be it

10 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Alaska State Legislature urges all NCAA member
11 institutions that have participated in the Great Alaska Shootout or the Top of the World
12 Classic, their coaches, and their students to contact their conference officials and the members
13 of the NCAA Division I Management Council and Board of Directors to urge the rejection of
14 legislative proposal No. 2000-106.

15 **COPIES** of this resolution shall be sent to all NCAA Division I Board of Directors;
16 all members of the NCAA Division I Management Council; Cedric Dempsey, President of the
17 NCAA; Dave Schnase, National Office, NCAA; David Berst, Chief of Staff for Division I,
18 NCAA; Mark Hamilton, President of the University of Alaska; and to the Honorable Ted
19 Stevens and the Honorable Frank Murkowski, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable Don Young,
20 U.S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

in 4/18/8 file

WORK ORDER REQUEST FORM

W.O. [22] LS-0437

KEYWORDS: SPORTS ASSIGNED: Luckhaupt

REQUEST FOR: Resolution TAKEN BY: Luckhaupt

SUBJECT: NCAA Pre-season Basketball Tournaments

REQUESTED FOR: HC HHES BY: Randy PHONE: 465-2186

DELIVER TO: Rep. Kohring, Attn. Randy, Cap. 24

INSTRUCTIONS: Do House duplicate of CSSJR 5() "F" version 1/22/01.
Randy has a copy of the draft.

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HJR

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ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE
REPRESENTATIVE JOHN HARRIS
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SPONSOR STATEMENT
HJR 24

Urging the United States Congress to Extend the Authorization Date
for Supplemental Block Grants to the State of Alaska under the
Federal Temporary Assistance to Needy Families Program

The Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) block grant established in the 1996 federal welfare reform law, the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act (PRWORA), included modest supplemental grants for 17 relatively poor or rapidly growing states. Alaska's TANF program, Alaska Temporary Assistance, was awarded a "high population" supplemental grant because the state's population grew by more than 10 percent between April 1, 1990 and July 1, 1994.

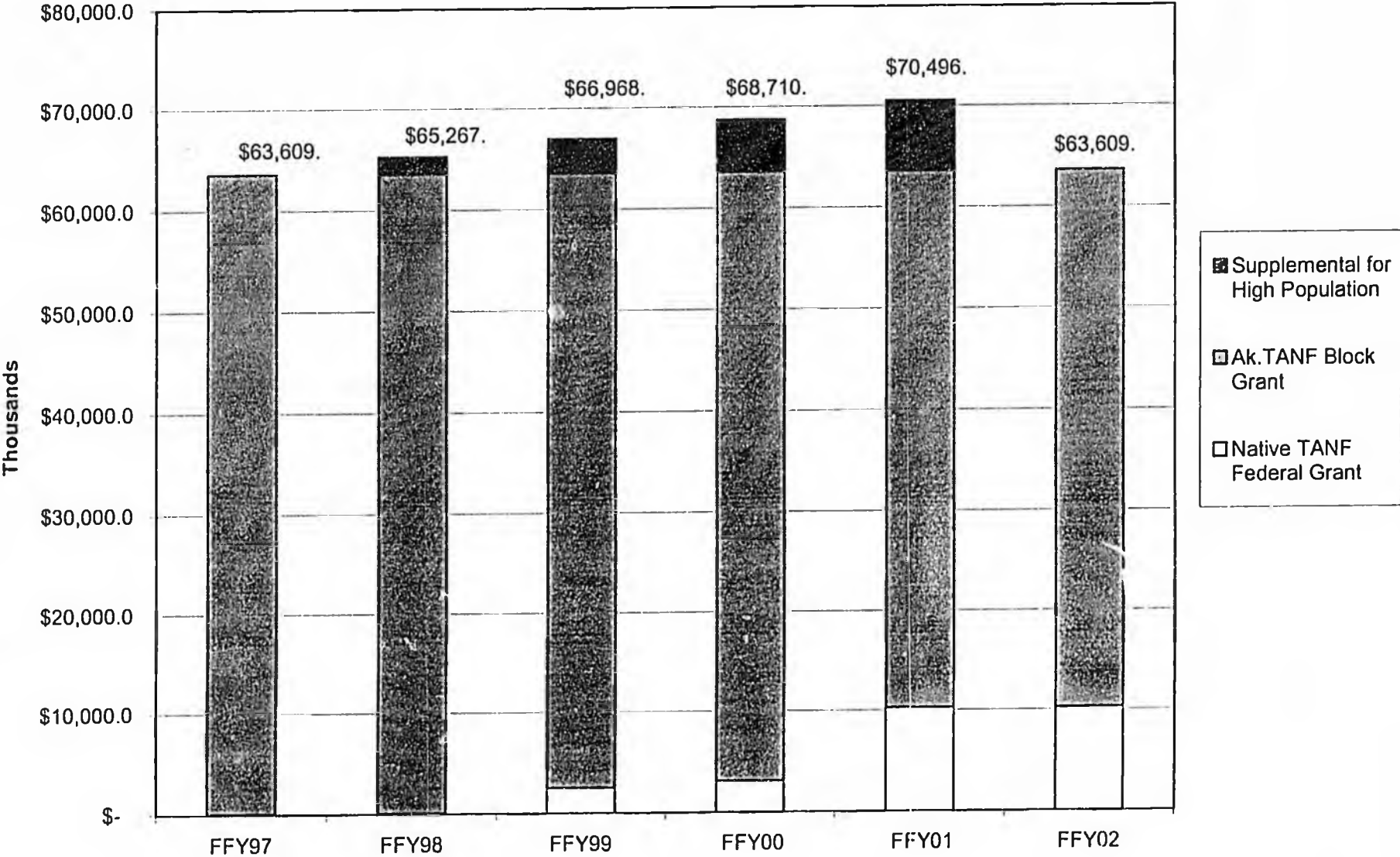
These supplemental grants included in the 1996 law were authorized only through fiscal year 2001, while PRWORA was authorized through fiscal year 2002. This means that beginning October 1, 2001, the state of Alaska will face a reduction of \$6.9 million in TANF funding, or 13% of its block grant.

The term "supplemental grant" is misleading in that these grants were never intended to be merely add-ons. They were designed by the architects of welfare reform as an integral part of the formula used to determine each state's block grant allocation. Alaska is currently using these funds for employment-related and supportive services that are helping to move people off welfare and into self-sufficiency. TANF funds also support a variety of essential services to non-welfare recipients including childcare, child protection and the Head Start program. The elimination of the supplemental grant will force the Department of Health and Social Services to scale back on these efforts compromising the ongoing success of welfare reform.

Many policymakers in Washington D.C. are aware of this issue and the American Public Human Services Association, the Center for Budget and Policy Priorities and the National Governor's Association support the continuation of the supplemental grants.

HJR 24 is addressed to Alaska's congressional delegation and all other members of Congress. Action to extend the supplemental grants will need to be taken by Congress this year before the new federal fiscal year begins in October.

**State of Alaska
FFY1997-FFY2002 TANF Block Grant Amount**



Support Material

State of Alaska
FFY1997- FFY2002 TANF Block Grant Amount

Federal TANF	FFY97	FFY98	FFY99	FFY00	FFY01	FFY02
Ak.TANF Block Grant	63,609,072	63,609,072	61,165,095	60,573,312	53,377,108	53,377,108
Native TANF Federal Grant	-		2,443,973	3,035,760	10,231,964	10,231,964
Supplemental for High Population	-	1,658,706	3,358,880	5,101,558	6,887,803	-
Federal TANF Total	63,609,072	65,267,778	66,967,952	68,710,630	70,496,875	63,609,072

Federal TANF	FFY97	FFY98	FFY99	FFY00	FFY01	FFY02
Ak.TANF Block Grant	\$ 63,609.1	\$ 63,609.1	\$ 61,165.1	\$ 60,573.3	\$ 53,377.1	\$ 53,377.1
Native TANF Federal Grant	\$ -		\$ 2,444.0	\$ 3,035.8	\$ 10,232.0	\$ 10,232.0
Supplemental for High Population	\$ -	\$ 1,658.7	\$ 3,358.9	\$ 5,101.6	\$ 6,887.8	\$ -
Federal TANF Total	\$ 63,609.1	\$ 65,267.8	\$ 66,968.0	\$ 68,710.6	\$ 70,496.9	\$ 63,609.1

HJR

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House Special Committee Economic Development, Trade & Tourism

SPONSOR STATEMENT FOR HJR 50 A RESOLUTION

“Supporting the participation of Taiwan in the annual summit of the World Health Assembly.

Direct participation in international health cooperation forums and programs is crucial for all parts of the world, especially with today's greater potential for the cross-border spread of various infectious diseases.

The United States House of Representatives passed a resolution in December 2001, urging states to push for Taiwan's participation in the World Health Assembly's annual conference.

Taiwan has made substantial achievements in the field of public health while demonstrating a willingness to provide technical and financial assistance to international aid and health activities supported by the World Health Organization (WHO). During the last seven years, Taiwan has contributed \$100 million to 78 countries. A WHO membership is vital to Taiwan in order to gain access to the latest information on epidemics and diseases. While Taiwan has been able to indirectly acquire health information, it is often a case of “too little, too late.” One example of this were the deaths of 80 children in Taiwan in 1998. This may have been prevented with early-warning reports. To prevent such a tragedy from ever recurring, Taiwan should be allowed to participate in the WHO.

Taiwan can play a more active role in the international community by assisting other nations in developing health programs and cooperate to fulfill the WHO goal of promoting the health of mankind and a better future of the world.

Through continued communication and collaboration, participation in the WHO could bring many benefits to the state of health not only in Taiwan but also regionally and globally.

107TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 428

AN ACT

Concerning the participation of Taiwan in the World Health
Organization.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 SECTION 1. CONCERNING THE PARTICIPATION OF TAIWAN
2 IN THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION
3 (WHO).

4 (a) FINDINGS.—The Congress makes the following
5 findings:

6 (1) Good health is a basic right for every citizen
7 of the world and access to the highest standards of
8 health information and services is necessary to help
9 guarantee this right.

10 (2) Direct and unobstructed participation in
11 international health cooperation forums and pro-
12 grams is therefore crucial for all parts of the world,
13 especially with today's greater potential for the
14 cross-border spread of various infectious diseases
15 such as AIDS.

16 (3) Taiwan's population of 23,500,000 people is
17 larger than that of $\frac{3}{4}$ of the member states already
18 in the World Health Organization (WHO).

19 (4) Taiwan's achievements in the field of health
20 are substantial, including one of the highest life ex-
21 pectancy levels in Asia, maternal and infant mor-
22 tality rates comparable to those of western countries,
23 the eradication of such infectious diseases as chol-
24 era, smallpox, and the plague, and the first to be rid
25 of polio and to provide children with free hepatitis
26 B vaccinations.

1 (5) The United States Centers for Disease Con-
2 trol and its Taiwan counterpart agencies have en-
3 joyed close collaboration on a wide range of public
4 health issues.

5 (6) In recent years Taiwan has expressed a will-
6 ingness to assist financially and technically in inter-
7 national aid and health activities supported by the
8 WHO.

9 (7) On January 14, 2001, an earthquake, reg-
10 istering between 7.6 and 7.9 on the Richter scale,
11 struck El Salvador. In response, the Taiwanese gov-
12 ernment sent 2 rescue teams, consisting of 90 indi-
13 viduals specializing in firefighting, medicine, and
14 civil engineering. The Taiwanese Ministry of Foreign
15 Affairs also donated \$200,000 in relief aid to the
16 Salvadoran Government.

17 (8) The World Health Assembly has allowed ob-
18 servers to participate in the activities of the organi-
19 zation, including the Palestine Liberation Organiza-
20 tion in 1974, the Order of Malta, and the Holy See
21 in the early 1950's.

22 (9) The United States, in the 1994 Taiwan Pol-
23 icy Review, declared its intention to support Tai-
24 wan's participation in appropriate international or-
25 ganizations.

1 (10) Public Law 106-137 required the Sec-
2 retary of State to submit a report to the Congress
3 on efforts by the executive branch to support Tai-
4 wan's participation in international organizations, in
5 particular the WHO.

6 (11) In light of all the benefits that Taiwan's
7 participation in the WHO can bring to the state of
8 health not only in Taiwan, but also regionally and
9 globally, Taiwan and its 23,500,000 people should
10 have appropriate and meaningful participation in the
11 WHO.

12 (b) PLAN.--The Secretary of State shall initiate a
13 United States plan to endorse and obtain observer status
14 for Taiwan at the annual week-long summit of the World
15 Health Assembly in May 2001 in Geneva, Switzerland,
16 and shall instruct the United States delegation to Geneva
17 to implement that plan.

18 (c) REPORT.--Not later than 14 days after the date
19 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall

- 1 submit a written report to the Congress in unclassified
- 2 form containing the plan required under subsection (b).

Passed the House of Representatives April 24, 2001.

Attest:

Clerk.

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S. 1081

A Concurrent Resolution

Introduced by Senator Leventis, *Grise, Verdin*

TO EXPRESS THE BELIEF OF THE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA THAT THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA (TAIWAN) SHOULD BE PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE IN A MEANINGFUL AND APPROPRIATE WAY IN THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION.

IN THE SENATE

DATE **FEB 28 2002**

ORDERED
ADOPTED

Introduced	_____	_____
Considered	_____	_____
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SENT TO THE HOUSE
By Order of the Senate

Jeffery Bonnett
Clerk

IN THE HOUSE

DATE **MAR 5 2002**

ORDERED
ADOPTED

Introduced	_____	_____
Considered	_____	_____
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CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED
and RETURNED TO SENATE
By Order of the House

Andrea P. McHenry
Clerk

MAR 6 2002

IN THE SENATE _____

House Amendments agreed to and a message sent accordingly
Concurrence of House RECEIVED AS INFORMATION

Jeffery Bonnett
Clerk

1 Whereas, the United States Centers for Disease Control and
2 Prevention and its Taiwanese counterpart have enjoyed close
3 collaboration on a wide range of public health issues; and
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5 Whereas, in recent years the Republic of China (ROC) has
6 expressed a willingness to assist financially and technically
7 international aid and health activities supported by the WHO; and
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9 Whereas, ROC's population of twenty-three million is larger than
10 that of seventy-five percent of the WHO member states; and
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12 Whereas, the World Health Assembly has allowed observers to
13 participate in the activities of the organization, including the
14 Palestine Liberation Organization in 1974, the Order of Malta, and
15 the Holy See in the early 1950's and;
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17 Whereas, the United States, in the 1994 Taiwan Policy review,
18 declared its intention to support Taiwan's participation in
19 appropriate international organizations; and
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21 Whereas, the State of South Carolina and Taiwan have maintained
22 a friendly and fruitful sister-state relationship since 1981; and
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24 Whereas, Taiwan's participation in the WHO could bring many
25 benefits to the state of health not only in Taiwan, but also
26 regionally and globally. Now, therefore,
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28 Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives
29 concurring;
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31 That the members of the General Assembly express their belief
32 that the Republic of China (Taiwan) should be permitted to
33 participate in a meaningful and appropriate way in the World
34 Health Organization.
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36 Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to
37 the World Health Organization.
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House of Representatives

House Resolution 1121

By: Representative Murphy of the 18th

A RESOLUTION

Commending the Republic of China (on Taiwan) on its contributions to promote world health; and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, good health is essential to every citizen of the world and access to the highest standards of health information and services is necessary to improve public health; and

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization (WHO) set forth in the first chapter of its charter the objective of attaining the highest possible level of health for all people; and

WHEREAS, the Republic of China's achievements in the field of health are substantial, including one of the highest life expectancy levels in Asia, maternal and infant mortality rates comparable to those of western countries, the eradication of such infectious diseases as cholera, smallpox, and the plague, and the first to eradicate polio and provide children with hepatitis B vaccinations; and

WHEREAS, the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and its Taiwanese counterpart have enjoyed close collaboration on a wide range of public health issues; and

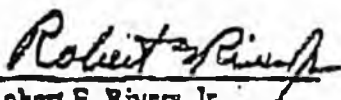
WHEREAS, in recent years the Republic of China has expressed a willingness to assist financially and technically in international health activities supported by the WHO; and

WHEREAS, direct, unobstructed participation in international health forums and programs is critical to limit the spread of various infectious diseases and achieve world health.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that the efforts of the Republic of China (on Taiwan) in support of world health are commended and best wishes are extended for its appropriate participation in the World Health Organization.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Maggie Tien, Director General of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Atlanta.

IN HOUSE
Read and Adopted
February 14, 2002


Robert E. Rivers, Jr.
Clerk



Georgia State Senate



A RESOLUTION

Commending the Republic of China on its contributions to promote world health; and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, good health is essential to every citizen of the world and access to the highest standards of health information and services is necessary to improve public health; and

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WHEREAS, the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and its Taiwanese counterpart have enjoyed close collaboration on a wide range of public health issues; and

WHEREAS, in recent years the Republic of China has expressed a willingness to assist financially and technically in international health activities supported by the WHO; and

WHEREAS, direct, unobstructed participation in international health forums and programs is critical to limit the spread of various infectious diseases and achieve world health.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the efforts of the Republic of China in support of world health are commended and best wishes are extended for its appropriate participation in the World Health Organization.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Maggie Tien, Director General of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Atlanta.

Senate Resolution 656
By: Senator Sarr of the 44th

Adopted in the Senate February 26, 2002


PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE


SECRETARY OF THE SENATE


SENATOR, DISTRICT 44





Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15

INTRODUCED BY ASSEMBLY MEMBERS: Alford, Anglin, Arberry, Beck, Bonta, Byrnes, Brown, Brown, Buckley, Carpenter, Coggeshall, Channing, Collins, Collins, DeGra, Freeman, Gibbons, Granchipiani, Colawyer, Gustafson, Hendrick, Hinkle, Katsaris, Leach, Little, Mahoney, Marshall, McCann, McCarroll, McLaughlin, McMillan, Miller, D. Myers, Christensen, Eaton, Farnell, Terhune, Price, Smith, Tiffany, VonTabel and Williams.

SENATORS: Jacobson, Arnold, Cole, Collins, James, Johnson, McCann, Neal, O'Connell, O'Donnell, Taylor, DeGra, Sawyer, Shook, Schuchert, Shaffer, Tison, Townsend, Washington and Wiesner.

WHEREAS, Good health is a basic right for every citizen of the world and access to the highest standards of health information and services is necessary to help guarantee this right; and

WHEREAS, Participation in international health programs is crucial to world health as the potential for the spread of various infectious diseases increases proportionately with the increase in world trade and travel; and

WHEREAS, The World Health Organization set forth in the first chapter of its charter the objective of attaining the highest possible level of health for all people; and

WHEREAS, In 1977, the World Health Organization established "Health for All by the Year 2000" as its overriding priority and reaffirmed that commitment in 1988 by endorsing a new global health policy "Health for All in the 21st Century"; and

WHEREAS, Taiwan's population of 23 million is larger than more quarters of the member states already in the World Health Organization, and the country shares the noble goals of that organization; and

WHEREAS, The achievements of Taiwan in the field of health are substantial and include one of the highest life expectancy levels in Asia, maternal and infant mortality rates comparable to those of western countries, the eradication of such infectious diseases as cholera, smallpox and the plague, and the distinction of being the first country in the world to provide children with free hepatitis B vaccinations; and

WHEREAS, Before its loss of membership in the World Health Organization in 1972, Taiwan sent specialists to serve in other member countries on countless health projects and its health experts held key positions in the organization, all to the benefit of the entire Pacific region; and

WHEREAS, Recently, this remarkable country is not allowed to participate in any forums and workshops organized by the World Health Organization concerning the latest technologies in the diagnosis, monitoring and control of disease; and

WHEREAS, In recent years, the government and the expert scientists and doctors in the field of medicine of Taiwan have expressed a willingness to assist financially or technically in international aid and health activities supported by the World Health Organization, but these offers have invariably been refused; and

WHEREAS, According to the constitution of the World Health Organization, Taiwan does not fulfill the criteria for membership; and

WHEREAS, Because the World Health Organization does not allow observers to participate in the activities of the organization and participation by Taiwan would bring tremendous benefits, it is in the best interests of all persons in this world that Taiwan be admitted to the World Health Organization; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY AND SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, JOINTLY, That the members of the Legislature of the Nevada Legislature do hereby urge President Bush and the Congress of the United States to support all efforts made by Taiwan of the Republic of China to gain meaningful participation in the World Health Organization; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the policy of the United States should include the pursuit of an initiative in the World Health Organization that would ensure such participation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to the President of the United States, the Vice President of the United States as the presiding officer of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Secretary of Health and Human Services, the World Health Organization, the Director General of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in San Francisco and each member of the Nevada Congressional Delegation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That this resolution becomes effective upon passage.



Calendar No. 330

107TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION**H. R. 2739**

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 20 (legislative day, DECEMBER 18), 2001

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

MARCH 19, 2002

Reported by Mr. BIDEN, without amendment

AN ACT

To amend Public Law 107-10 to authorize a United States plan to endorse and obtain observer status for Taiwan at the annual summit of the World Health Assembly in May 2002 in Geneva, Switzerland, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENTS TO PUBLIC LAW 107-10.**

4 (a) FINDINGS.—Section 1(a) of Public Law 107-10
5 (115 Stat. 17) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
6 lowing:

1 “(12) On May 11, 2001, President Bush stated
2 in his letter to Senator Murkowski that the United
3 States ‘should find opportunities for Taiwan’s voice
4 to be heard in international organizations in order to
5 make a contribution, even if membership is not pos-
6 sible’, further stating that his Administration ‘has
7 focused on finding concrete ways for Taiwan to ben-
8 efit and contribute to the WHO.’.

9 “(13) On May 16, 2001, as part of the United
10 States delegation to the World Health Assembly
11 meeting in Geneva, Switzerland, Secretary of Health
12 and Human Services Tommy Thompson announced
13 to the American International Club the Administra-
14 tion’s support of Taiwan’s participation in the activi-
15 ties of the WHO.”.

16 (b) PLAN.—Section 1(b)(1) of Public Law 107–10
17 (115 Stat. 17) is amended by striking “May 2001” and
18 inserting “May 2002”.

 Passed the House of Representatives December 19,
2001.

Attest:

JEFF TRANDAHL,

Clerk.

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2002 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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 Title Supporting the participation of Taiwan an in the BRU _____
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Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

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TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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1002 Federal Receipts						
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TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2002) cost: 0.0

Check this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2003 budget proposal:

POSITIONS

Full-time						
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ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

Prepared by: House Health, Education, and Social Services Committee
 Division _____
 Approved by: Representative Fred Dyson
 Agency Alaska State Legislature

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Senate District Q

REQUEST FOR HEARING

To: Representative Fred Dyson

Subject: CSSB 11(FIN)

Sponsor: Senator Gene Therriault *Gene T*

Date: April 3, 2002

I would like to respectfully request that CSSB 11(FIN) be scheduled for a hearing before the House Health, Education & Social Services Committee at the committee's earliest convenience.

SB 11 requires a parent or guardian who elects to enroll a child in first grade at the age of six to maintain the child in attendance. SB 11 does not take away the parent's option of enrolling a child in public, private or home schooling. In addition to ensuring a child receives all the proven benefits of earlier education, SB 11 also addresses a problem created in the classroom when a parent enrolls his or her child in school at the age of 6 but only sends that child to school sporadically until required to do so by state law at age 7. Lowering the mandatory attendance age to 6 will both improve education opportunities for the student and minimize disruptions to the rest of the classroom.

Probable supporters include teachers and school principals.

Thank you.

Alaska State Legislature

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Senate District Q

CSSB 11 (FIN) "An Act relating to required school attendance; and providing for an effective date."

Sponsor: Senator Gene Therriault 

Sponsor Statement

SB 11 requires a parent or guardian who elects to enroll a child in first grade at the age of six to maintain the child in attendance. It does not take away the parent's option of choosing public, private or home schooling. It also does not take away the option of enrolling a child in Kindergarten at age 5 or 6. Finally, it does not take away any of the exemptions for allowable absences currently provided under existing law.

Research indicates that earlier education is beneficial, and in fact most children in Alaska are enrolled by the age of 6. However, a small percentage of students who are enrolled do not actually attend on a regular basis because state law does not require attendance until age 7. So even though a six-year-old might be enrolled in school, he/she could miss unlimited number of days and still not be considered truant. This places a burden on teachers to keep that student up with the rest of the class and increases the potential for the student to be "held back."

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2002 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Fiscal Note Number: 2
 Bill Version: CSSB 11(FIN)
 (S) Publish Date: 3/6/02

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: Education & Early Development
 Title: "An Act relating to required schoc. attendance" BRU: K-12 Support
 Component: Foundation Program
 Sponsor: Senator Therriault
 Requester: S Finance Component No.: 141

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
Personal Services						
Travel						
Contractual						
Supplies						
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Miscellaneous						
TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type--Do not abbreviate)						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2002) cost: _____

Check this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2003 budget proposal:

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

Adds a new subsection to AS 14.30.010 that requires a six year old to comply with compulsory attendance once the child is enroll in public school. The compulsory school age remains at seven but once a parent enrolls a six year old in a public school they are required to attend.

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 Agency: Education and Early Development

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Sec. 14.30.010. When attendance compulsory. (a) Every child between seven and 16 years of age shall attend school at the public school in the district in which the child resides during each school term. Every parent, guardian or other person having the responsibility for or control of a child between seven and 16 years of age shall maintain the child in attendance at a public school in the district in which the child resides during the entire school term, except as provided in (b) of this section.

(b) This section does not apply if a child

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(2) attends a school operated by the federal government;

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(5) is temporarily ill or injured;

(6) has been suspended or expelled under AS 14.03.160 or suspended or denied admittance under AS 14.30.045;

(7) resides more than two miles from either a public school or a route on which transportation is provided by the school authorities, except that this paragraph does not apply if the child resides within two miles of a federal or private school that the child is eligible and able to attend;

(8) is excused by action of the school board of the district at a regular meeting or by the district superintendent subject to approval by the school board of the district at the next regular meeting;

(9) has completed the 12th grade;

(10) is enrolled in

(A) a state boarding school established under AS 14.16; or

(B) a full-time program of correspondence study approved by the department; in those school districts providing an approved correspondence study program, a student may be enrolled either in the district correspondence program or in the centralized correspondence study program;

(11) is equally well-served by an educational experience approved by the school board as serving the child's educational interests despite an absence from school, and the request for excuse is made in writing by the child's parents or guardian and approved by the principal or administrator of the school that the child attends;

(12) is being educated in the child's home by a parent or legal guardian. (§ 37-7-1 ACLA 1949; am § 36 ch 98 SLA 1966; am § 5 ch 71 SLA 1972; am § 5 ch 190 SLA 1975; am § 1 ch 30 SLA 1976; am § 1 ch 10 SLA 1977; am § 4 ch 126 SLA 1978; am § 3 ch 11 SLA 1984; am § 1 ch 78 SLA 1987; am § 4 ch 73 SLA 1988; am § 16 ch 32 SLA 1997; am § 1 ch 68 SLA 1997; am § 16 ch 113 SLA 1997)

CORRECTION

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Estimate of any current year (FY2002) cost: _____

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ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

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FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2001 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Fiscal Note Number: 2
 Bill Version: CS SB 19 (HES)
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Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: Revenue
 Title: Child Support Enforcement / BRU: Child Support
Social Security Numbers Component: Child Support
 Sponsor: Rules Committee
 Requester: Senate Finance Component Number: 111

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Personal Services						
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Miscellaneous						
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Estimate of any current year (FY2001) cost: 0.0

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

There would be no fiscal impact from this legislation. However, failure to adopt this legislation would move the state out of compliance with federal law for child support enforcement programs and would expose the state to the penalty of losing about \$70 million a year in federal funding for Alaska's child support enforcement program and Alaska's Temporary Assistance Program (ATAP).

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 Approved by: Larry Persily, Deputy Commissioner Date Feb. 13, 2001
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**HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 19(HES)
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION**

BY THE HOUSE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

**Offered:
Referred:**

Sponsor(s): SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to federal child support enforcement requirements regarding social
2 security number information, employer reports about employees, and certain kinds of
3 automated data matching with financial institutions; relating to child support payments;
4 repealing the termination date of changes made by ch. 87, SLA 1997, and ch. 132, SLA
5 1998, regarding child support enforcement and related programs; repealing the
6 nonseverability provision of ch. 132, SLA 1998; repealing uncodified laws relating to ch.
7 87, SLA 1997, and ch. 132, SLA 1998; and providing for an effective date."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 06.40.050(a) is amended to read:

10 (a) Application for a license under this chapter shall be in writing and in the
11 form prescribed by the department. [IF THE APPLICANT IS A NATURAL
12 PERSON, THE APPLICATION FORM MUST REQUIRE SUBMISSION OF THE
13 APPLICANT'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER.]

Item 2

1 * **Sec. 2.** AS 08.01.089 is amended to read:

2 **Sec. 08.01.089. Copies of records for child support purposes.** If a copy of a
3 public record concerning an individual who owes or is owed child support that is
4 prepared or maintained by the department is requested by the child support
5 enforcement agency created in AS 25.27.010 or a child support enforcement agency of
6 another state, the department shall provide the requesting agency with a certified copy
7 of the public record [**INCLUDING THE INDIVIDUAL'S SOCIAL SECURITY**
8 **NUMBER**]. If these records are prepared or maintained by the department in an
9 electronic data base, the records may be supplied by providing the requesting agency
10 with a copy of the electronic record and a statement certifying its contents. A
11 requesting agency receiving information under this section may use it only for child
12 support purposes authorized under law.

13 * **Sec. 3.** AS 08.08.137 is amended to read:

14 **Sec. 08.08.137. Fingerprints [**;** SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER].** The
15 Board of Governors shall require an applicant for admission to be fingerprinted [**AND**
16 **TO PROVIDE THE APPLICANT'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER**]. The
17 fingerprints shall be used to determine whether the applicant has a record of criminal
18 convictions in this state or another jurisdiction. The Board of Governors may use the
19 information obtained from the fingerprinting only in its official determination of the
20 character and fitness of the applicant for admission to the Alaska Bar Association.
21 [**THE APPLICANT'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER SHALL BE PROVIDED TO**
22 **THE CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT AGENCY ESTABLISHED IN**
23 **AS 25.27.010, OR THE CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT AGENCY OF**
24 **ANOTHER STATE, UPON REQUEST BY THE RESPECTIVE AGENCY; THE**
25 **REQUESTING AGENCY MAY USE THAT INFORMATION ONLY FOR CHILD**
26 **SUPPORT PURPOSES AUTHORIZED UNDER LAW.]**

27 * **Sec. 4.** AS 09.55.050 is amended to read:

28 **Sec. 09.55.050. Effect of presumptive death certificate.** After the judge or
29 magistrate has entered an order declaring that the person is presumed to be dead either
30 under AS 09.55.020 - 09.55.060 or under the laws dealing with missing persons, the
31 judge or magistrate shall make out and sign a certificate entitled "Presumptive Death

1 Certificate" in the form and manner and containing the information required by the
2 Bureau of Vital Statistics. [IN ADDITION TO THE INFORMATION REQUIRED
3 BY THE BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS, THE CERTIFICATE MUST
4 CONTAIN THE DECEDENT'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER, IF
5 ASCERTAINABLE.] The certificate shall be recorded by the judge or magistrate and
6 then filed with the Bureau of Vital Statistics. Upon the entry of the order and the
7 recording and filing of the "Presumptive Death Certificate" as herein provided, the
8 missing person is presumed to be dead, and the person's estate may be administered in
9 accordance with the then existing provisions of law applicable to the administration of
10 the estates of deceased persons.

11 * Sec. 5. AS 16.05.450(a) is amended to read:

12 (a) The commissioner or an authorized agent shall issue a crewmember fishing
13 license under AS 16.05.480 to each qualified person who files a written application at
14 a place in the state designated by the commissioner, containing the reasonable
15 information required by the commissioner together with the required fee. [THE
16 COMMISSIONER SHALL REQUIRE THE REPORTING OF THE APPLICANT'S
17 SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER ON THE APPLICATION.] The application shall be
18 simple in form and shall be executed by the applicant under the penalty of unsworn
19 falsification.

20 * Sec. 6. AS 16.05.480(b) is amended to read:

21 (b) A person applying for a resident commercial license under this section
22 shall provide [THE PERSON'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER AND] the proof of
23 residence that the department requires by regulation.

24 * Sec. 7. AS 18.50.280(a) is amended to read:

25 (a) For each dissolution, divorce, and annulment of marriage granted by a
26 court in the state, the clerk of the court shall prepare and file a certificate of
27 dissolution, divorce, or annulment with the bureau, on forms prescribed and furnished
28 by the bureau. [THE FORMS MUST REQUIRE THE REPORTING OF THE
29 SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS OF THE PETITIONER OR PLAINTIFF AND, IF
30 ASCERTAINABLE, THE OTHER PARTY TO THE DISSOLUTION, DIVORCE,
31 OR ANNULMENT OF MARRIAGE.] The petitioner or plaintiff shall furnish the

1 court with the information necessary to complete the certificate, and the furnishing of
2 this information is prerequisite to the issuance of a decree.

3 * **Sec. 8.** AS 18.60.395(a) is amended to read:

4 (a) The Department of Labor and Workforce Development shall adopt
5 regulations for the licensing of boiler operators. The regulations must conform to the
6 generally accepted nationwide standards and practices established for boiler operators.
7 [IN ADDITION TO ANY REQUIREMENTS ADOPTED BY REGULATION
8 UNDER THIS SUBSECTION, A PERSON APPLYING FOR A LICENSE SHALL
9 PROVIDE TO THE DEPARTMENT, ON THE APPLICATION, THE PERSON'S
10 SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER.]

11 * **Sec. 9.** AS 18.65.410(a) is amended to read:

12 (a) Application for a license as a security guard must be made on forms
13 provided by the commissioner. The application must require the furnishing of
14 information reasonably required by the commissioner to carry out the provisions of
15 AS 18.65.400 - 18.65.490, including classifiable fingerprints to enable the search of
16 criminal indices for evidence of a prior criminal record [, AND MUST REQUIRE
17 THE FURNISHING OF THE APPLICANT'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER IF
18 THE APPLICANT IS A NATURAL PERSON]. The application must be
19 accompanied by a nonrefundable application fee of \$50 for a security guard and \$200
20 for a security guard agency.

21 * **Sec. 10.** AS 18.72.030(a) is amended to read:

22 (a) A person who desires to sell fireworks at wholesale in the state shall first
23 make verified application for a license to the state fire marshal on forms provided by
24 the state fire marshal. [THE FORMS MUST REQUIRE THE APPLICANT TO
25 SUPPLY THE APPLICANT'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER IF THE
26 APPLICANT IS A NATURAL PERSON.] The application shall be accompanied by
27 an annual license fee of \$50.

28 * **Sec. 11.** AS 25.27.075(a) is amended to read:

29 (a) An employer doing business in the state shall report to the agency the
30 hiring, rehiring, or return to work of each employee. The report shall be made within
31 the time limits set out in (b) of this section. The report must contain the name,

1 address, and social security number of the newly hired employee, the name and
2 address of the employer, and the identifying number assigned to the employer by the
3 United States Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service. Violation of
4 this subsection does not give rise to a private cause of action.

5 * Sec. 12. AS 25.27.103 is amended to read:

6 Sec. 25.27.103. Payments to agency. An obligor shall make child support
7 payments to the agency if the agency is enforcing a duty of child support under
8 AS 25.25 or this chapter. The agency shall disburse that portion of a payment that
9 exceeds the amount of money necessary to satisfy the obligor's immediate duty of
10 support in accordance with state and federal requirements. The agency may
11 characterize a support payment physically received by the agency through wage
12 withholding during the last five business days of the month as having been
13 received on the first day of the next calendar month if the agency determines that
14 the payment was made in the course of regular wage withholding intended for
15 the next calendar month. The agency shall credit money disbursed under this
16 section [SUBSECTION] toward satisfaction of the obligor's duty of support.

17 * Sec. 13. AS 28.15.061(b) is amended to read:

18 (b) An application under (a) of this section must

19 (1) contain the applicant's full name, [SOCIAL SECURITY
20 NUMBER,] date and place of birth, sex, and mailing and residence addresses;

21 (2) state whether the applicant has been previously licensed as a driver
22 and, if so, when and by what jurisdiction;

23 (3) state whether any previous driver's license issued to the applicant
24 has ever been suspended or revoked or whether an application for a driver's license has
25 ever been refused and, if so, the date of and reason for the suspension, revocation, or
26 refusal; and

27 (4) contain other information that the department may reasonably
28 require to determine the applicant's identity, competency, and eligibility.

29 * Sec. 14. AS 06.20.020(b); AS 06.40.050(e); AS 08.01.060(b), 08.01.100(e);
30 AS 14.20.027; AS 16.05.450(d), 16.05.480(d); AS 18.50.230(f), 18.50.280(c);
31 AS 18.60.395(d); AS 18.65.410(b); AS 18.72.030(b)(2); AS 21.06.255; AS 25.05.091(b);

1 AS 25.20.050(n); AS 25.24.160(d), 25.24.210(f), 25.24.230(i); AS 25.27.020(a)(2)(D); and
2 AS 28.15.061(g) are repealed.

3 * **Sec. 15.** The following are repealed:

4 (1) Section 148(c), ch. 87, SLA 1997, as amended by sec. 53, ch. 132, SLA
5 1998;

6 (2) Sections 2, 14, and 16, ch. 37, SLA 1998;

7 (3) Section 53, ch. 132, SLA 1998;

8 (4) Section 54(b), ch. 132, SLA 1998, as amended by sec. 101, ch. 21, SLA
9 2000;

10 (5) Section 54(c), ch. 132, SLA 1998;

11 (6) Section 56, ch. 132, SLA 1998;

12 (7) Section 92, ch. 58, SLA 1999; and

13 (8) Section 103, ch. 21, SLA 2000.

14 * **Sec. 16.** Sections 11, 12, and 15 of this Act take effect immediately under
15 AS 01.10.070(c).

16 * **Sec. 17.** Sections 1 - 10, 13, and 14 of this Act take effect July 1, 2003.

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO.
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY

Introduced:
Referred:

A RESOLUTION

1 **Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State**
2 **Legislature, concerning Senate Bill No. 19, relating to certain federal child support**
3 **enforcement requirements, so that the phrase "relating to child support payments" may**
4 **be added to the bill's title.**

5 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

6 That under Rule 54, Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, the provisions of
7 Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, regarding
8 changes to the title of a bill, are suspended in consideration of Senate Bill No. 19, relating to
9 certain federal child support enforcement requirements, for the sole purpose of authorizing the
10 addition of the phrase "relating to child support payments" to the bill's title.

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January 8, 2001

The Honorable Rick Halford
President of the Senate
Alaska State Legislature
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Dear President Halford:

Alaska's Child Support Enforcement Division collected and distributed a record \$85 million in Fiscal Year 2000 and is headed toward a new record this year. This bill I transmit today guarantees the state can retain the tools that enabled this success in helping thousands of children receive the financial support they need. It also keeps Alaska in compliance with federal welfare reform laws and eligible for nearly \$80 million in annual federal funding to operate Alaska's family assistance and child support programs.

This bill continues the state program begun in 1997 and 1998 as part of Alaska's compliance with federal welfare reform which has reduced dependence on government-funded public assistance programs by increasing child support collections. The Alaska legislature chose to sunset those compliance measures on July 1, 2001

This bill is important to the lives of the children and parents who make up the nearly 48,000 child support cases in Alaska. It will keep in place those successful provisions of the 1997 and 1998 legislation which have improved child support collections, including:

- Enhanced due process protections in paternity proceedings.
- Requirements that all employers report newly hired employees to the child support agency.
- Authorization to use financial institution data matches to locate assets of delinquent parents.
- Immunity from civil liability for employers and financial institutions that comply with child support income-withholding orders.

The Honorable Rick Halford

January 8, 2001

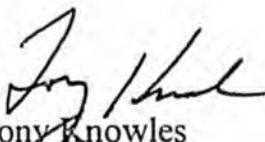
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- Prohibitions against disclosing identifying information of a parent or child when there is evidence of domestic violence.
- Requirements for Social Security numbers on certain vital statistics and court records, and on applications for some state licenses. To protect an individual's privacy, the numbers are not required on the actual licenses but only on the applications.
- Authorization for the child support agency to obtain orders requiring delinquent parents to seek work and orders to set aside a parent's fraudulent transfer of property if it was done to avoid a child support obligation.
- Improved access to records of other government agencies and financial institutions to locate delinquent parents and their assets.

I also want to point out that this bill repeals one controversial part of the earlier legislation. Alaska recently received a waiver from the federal requirement to collect Social Security numbers on applications for sport fishing and hunting licenses, allowing us to remove that requirement from law.

In the years since passage of the 1997 and 1998 legislation, the state has found the provisions of those bills effective at ensuring children receive the support they need from both parents. Failure to adopt this bill would jeopardize several years of progress in helping Alaska's families.

Sincerely,



Tony Knowles
Governor