

# STATE OF ALASKA

## EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 88

1994



1 Under the authority of art. III, sec. 23, of the Alaska Constitution, and in accordance  
2 with AS 24.08.210, I order the following:

3 \* **Section 1. FINDINGS.** As governor, I find that it would be in the best interests of  
4 efficient administration to transfer the responsibility for establishing an adventure-based  
5 education program from the Department of Community and Regional Affairs to the  
6 Department of Health and Social Services. This transfer should result in better coordination  
7 of programs related to juvenile offenders and others in need of this program by having this  
8 program located in the Department of Health and Social Services, which has primary  
9 responsibility for treatment of juvenile offenders and children in need of aid from the state.

10 \* **Sec. 2.** AS 47.21.010(a) is amended to read:

11 (a) The Department of Health and Social Services [COMMUNITY AND  
12 REGIONAL AFFAIRS] shall establish an adventure-based education program  
13 designed to bring adventure-based education to appropriate juvenile offenders and  
14 others selected by referral agencies.

15 \* **Sec. 3.** AS 47.21.020(b) is amended to read:

16 (b) Criteria for adventure-based education programs shall be established by  
17 the Department of Health and Social Services [COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL

1           AFFAIRS] and must include provisions for

2                           (1) staff members with background experience in Outward Bound,  
3           NOLS, Alaska Wilderness Experience, Inc., or other similar wilderness skills  
4           programs or indigenous cultural experience;

5                           (2) minimum program standards.

6           \* **Sec. 4. TRANSITION.** Contracts, rights, liabilities, and obligations created by or under  
7           a law amended by this Executive Order, and in effect on March 11, 1994, remain in effect  
8           notwithstanding this Order's taking effect. As of March 12, 1994, records, equipment,  
9           appropriations, and other property of agencies of the state whose functions are transferred  
10          under this Order shall be transferred to implement the provisions of this Order.

11          \* **Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Order takes effect March 12, 1994.

DATED: January 10, 1994.

          /s/ Walter J. Hickel            
Walter J. Hickel, Governor