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MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

TO: C. A. Champion
Pipeline Coordinator
Anchorage

DATE: April 1, 1974

FILE NO: 00-2516

TELEPHONE NO:

FROM: B. A. Campbell
Commissioner
Department of Highways

SUBJECT: Assignment of
Highways' Employees

I have your March 13, 1974 memo and apologize for not answering it sooner.

In this memo you requested information on Highway employees with experience and education in certain technical background areas which could be assigned to you on a temporary basis for pipeline inspection. You indicated the following categories:

1. Soils Engineer
2. Permafrost Design Specialist
3. Soils Geologist
4. Highway Design Engineer
5. Highway Construction Engineer
6. Environmental Coordinator

The realms of knowledge and experience of these six disciplines are, to a certain degree, intertwined so that one person might fit easily into any one of the six disciplines, depending on the particular problem at hand. Nevertheless, we would make the following initial recommendations to you and suggest that if you would describe to us your particular area of concern on each individual problem, that we could make better recommendations to you on an individual basis.

However, as an initial starting point the following persons are presented to you as being well versed in the six disciplines:

1. Soils Engineer - Dave Esch and Eric Johnson
2. Permafrost Design Specialist - John Becker, W. K. Williams, George Bloom, and Fred Harding
3. Soils Geologist - A. W. Balvin and Harold Livingston
4. Highway Design Engineer - Hank Wilson and Charles Karella
5. Highway Construction Engineer - George Varnas and Steve Sisk
6. Environmental Coordinator - Fred Wyller

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