

# ***Ranking Member***

Rep. Don Young is now the ranking minority member of the House Interior Committee's subcommittee on Indian Affairs.

Commenting on the position, Young said, "This should be of help in getting legislation of importance to Alaskan Natives moved. Chairman Meeds and I don't always agree, but we do work well together."

Young retained his seat on Interior's subcommittee on Public Lands as well as the full Interior and Insular Affairs assignment when committee seats were shuffled at the beginning of the new session of congress.

He also retained his position on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee and serves on the subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation; Fisheries Wildlife Conservation and the Environment; Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

In addition, Young is on the Executive Board of the GOP Committee on Committees and is a member of the Rural Caucuses.