

Firm Awarded Contract for Tanker Terminal

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA—

A contract for engineering, design and other related work on marine facilities for a tanker terminal on the Gulf of Alaska near Valdez has been awarded to Fluor Ocean Services, Inc., of Houston, Texas, by Trans Alaska Pipeline System.

Trans Alaska Pipeline System is a project of Atlantic Pipe Line Company, BP Pipe Line Corporation and Humble Pipe Line Company.

The terminal will be the Southern point of a 48-inch diameter pipeline that will transport crude oil 800 miles from the Prudhoe Bay area of Alaska's North Slope.

Scheduled for completion in 1972, the pipeline will have an initial capacity of about 500,000 barrels per day.