

# Margie Sagerser appointed

Senator Ted Stevens announced this week the appointment of Margie Sagerser, Land Manager of Cook Inlet Region, Inc. located in Anchorage, Alaska, to a two-year term on the Administrative conference of the United States, the Federal administrative procedures review Council. Sagerser is the first Alaskan to be named to that agency.

"Given the impact of Federal regulatory presence in Alaska," Senator Stevens stated, "I thought it was extremely important to recommend Margie for the appointment. She is bright and very interested in these important agencies since she works closely with them in her work at CIRI. She will bring strong representation to the Council, based upon her experience, particularly in

natural resource matters."

The Administrative Conference, established in 1964, is a permanent independent Federal agency created by Congress. It provides a forum for representatives from all the Federal regulatory agencies, Federal executive agencies as well as representatives from the public sector. The Council's purpose is to identify inefficiency and unfairness in Federal administrative proceedings affecting private rights and to recommend improvements in those procedures to the President of the United States, the Federal agencies, the Congress and the Courts.

As part of her new duties, Sagerser has been appointed to the Committee on Grants, Benefits and Contracts, one of the Council's nine standing committees. This committee deals with the procedures used by Federal

agencies for operating programs of financial assistance and evaluates the effects of program administration on state and local entities.

Sagerser, born in Alaska, graduated in 1972 from the University of Oregon with a bachelor of science degree in Biology. She has six years experience as a land management and planning specialist in Alaska. Sagerser joined CIRI in 1976, and as CIRI's Land Manager, she is responsible for the administration of over two million acres of the corporation's land holdings. Currently Sagerser is a member of the Alaska Land Managers Cooperative Task Force; Vice-Chairman of the Governor's Surface Mining Advisory Committee for Alaska; a member of Cook Inlet Native Association and a shareholder of CIRI.