1981 Native Art Competition To Feature Wood, Ivory And Bone

Native artists working in wood, ivory, bone or antler are being sought for the 1981 Native Arts Competition. The Alaska State Council on the Arts and the Alaska State Museum are sponsoring the Competition which will offer Juro's Awards of \$350 and Merit Awards of \$100 in both contemporary and traditional categories.

An outstanding panel of jurors has been selected for the Competition. Jack Hudson. Tsimshian from carver Metlakatla, Lincoln Milligrock, Eskimo carver from Nome, and Jim Hasltine, contemporary artist from Olympia, Washington, will jury the Competition. In addition to selecting the twelve prize winners, the jurors will select pieces for a traveling exhibit to be shown in Alaskan communities and in the Lower 48 during 1981-82.

Entry deadline for the Competition is February 25, 1981. Entries must be received at the Alaska State Museum in Juneau on or before that date. Artists interested in entering should request a prospectus with entry rules from the Alaska State Council on the Arts, 619 Warehouse Avenue, Suite 220, Anchorage, AK 99501, or from the Alaska State Museum, Pouch FM, Juneau, AK 99811.