Alaskans named to new posts on staff, Stevens announces

Alaskans on Sen. Ted Stevens' Washington, D.C., staff have been named to new positions, the senator announced recently.

Greg Chapados, who has served as the senator's legal counsel and has worked on energy and land issues, is the new chief of staff.

Chapados is a graduate of Harvard College and Harvard Law School. He has been a member of the senator's staff since May 1983. He succeeds William B. Phillips in the position.

Phillips has been named a partner in the Washington, D.C., law firm of Hamel and Park.

Wally Burnett, who has worked for Stevens on Alaska military issues, arms control, budget and transportation issues and the Olympics, will be legislative director, supervising the senator's legislative staff.

Carol Martin White, who has been serving as the senator's executive assistant, is the new staff administrative director.