Application deadline for summer internships extended

The due date for applications for Senator Ted Stevens' high school summer internships will be extended to April 18.

Graduating Alaska high school seniors may obtain applications for either of two four-week sessions through their principals or guidance counselors.

The first session of the high school intern program is from June 1 through June 29, and the second is from July 6 through August 3.

"Every year I look forward to the fresh ideas and enthusiasm that our young Alas-

kans bring to my Washington D.C., office," Senator Stevens said.

"While our interns are given a variety of assignments, the primary purpose is to provide a greater understanding of our national government and the ideas and concerns of those we serve at home," the Senator said.

The tasks high school interns carry out include research, monitoring committee hearings, answering telephones, delivering messages to the Senate floor, typing, filing, and other office support functions.

High school interns' schedules also

include lectures at other government agencies and academic institutions, visits to national monuments, landmarks and

historic sites, cultural and sports events

and a trip to an Atlantic Ocean beach.

Interns receive a small weekly stipend to cover housing and basic living expenses. The Senator's Washington D.C., office arranges for housing at a reason-

able fee at a local university.

Applications for the high school internship program must include a two-page essay, the applicant's transcript and resume, and the names, addresses and

phone numbers of two adult references.

Application forms must be sent or faxed to Senator Stevens' Washington

U.S. Senate Washington, D.C. 20510

D.C. office by April 18, 1997.

Senator Ted Stevens

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ATTN: George Lowe George Lowe of the Senator's Washington D.C. staff will be the high school coordinator this year. If applicants have additional questions, they may call George Lowe at (202) 224-3004.