



POSTING NATIVE LANDS — Walter Charley of Glennallen, standing by the "No Trespassing" signs posted by Ahtna, Inc. at points of access to the Trans Alaska Pipeline where it crosses 55 miles of Ahtna land. The purpose is to dramatize Ahtna's rights, confirmed by a signed agreement with Alyeska in 1974, to contract work on the pipeline. Walter recalls that back in the days when Alyeska needed Ahtna cooperation, they said, "No problem. You'll get the contracts." Now they say, "No more 'Free Lunch' for Natives." The sign reads: "NO TRESPASSING. This land is withdrawn from public use by P.L. 92-203, The Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act. This land is subject to the ownership of Ahtna, Inc. Trespassers will be prosecuted. For information contact Ahtna, Inc. Drawer G, Copper Center, Alaska 99753."