

Gov. Egan Appoints A. Cameron Edmondson to State Post

JUNEAU — Veteran Alaska writer and editor A. Cameron Edmondson has been appointed

by Gov. William A. Egan to the post of deputy commissioner of the state Department of Economic Development.

Edmondson, 45, succeeds John Werner, who resigned to become Egan's special assistant in Anchorage.

Egan said that Edmondson's extensive experience in reporting on Alaska's business community made him highly qualified for the post.

"The wide ranging knowledge of Alaska's economy and natural resources development which he brings to the department are most impressive and valuable," he said.

Before coming to Juneau, Edmondson was editor at Anchorage of the Alaska Scouting Service's weekly report on petroleum activities and a contributing editor on natural resources to Alaska Industry magazine.

He also wrote extensively as petroleum and natural resources editor for four years at the Anchorage Daily News and worked five years for the Anchorage Daily News and worked five years for the Anchorage Daily Times as a general assignment and business news reporter.