

Gov. Hammond appoints Joe Orsini

Governor Jay Hammond has appointed Senator Joe Orsini to the Governor's Commission of the Administration of Justice.

Orsini, 37, was elected to the Alaska House in 1972, and to the Senate in 1974. He has taught engineering management at the University of Alaska. He has been an Alaskan resident since 1964.

The commission has the responsibility of coordinating and planning in Alaska the federal, state and local efforts under Title 1 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968.

In addition, the Commission is authorized to investigate and seek funding for the development of more effective crime prevention programs and techniques and develop programs to aid the courts and to rehabilitate offenders.