

Hammond Appoints

First Salary Commission

Governor Jay Hammond has appointed five Alaskans to the newly-created Salary Commission. They are Robert Heath, Kim Elton, Rod Fraser, Sherie Kroll and Connell Murray.

The Commission was created by the Legislature this past session. It is charged with conducting an ongoing review of the compensation and retirement benefits for members of the legislature, the governor, the lieutenant governor, commissioners, deputy commissioners, division directors, paid Commission members, and the judiciary, to determine the appropriateness of compensation and benefits.

Heath is financial vice President of Alaska International Air in Fairbanks and a member of the Governor's Management Efficiency Review team. Elton is Managing Editor of the "Southeast Alaska Empire" in Juneau.

Fraser is a Field Representative for the International Union of Operating Engineers of Alaska in Fairbanks. Murray is a partner with Murray, Craft and Rockey, Inc., in Anchorage. Kroll is an officer with the National Bank of Alaska in Fairbanks.