DF&G seeks comment on hunting and trapping

The public is invited to submit written comments to proposed hunting and trapping regulation changes to be considered by the Board of Game during its December meeting. The Board will meet in Fairbanks at the Fairbanks Inn Dec. 1-2, 1983 and in Anchorage beginning on Dec. 4 at the Anchorage Westward Hilton.

The Board will consider 15 proposals which include removing the \$25 tag fee for brown/grizzly bear in Units 12, 13, 20 (E), 22, 23 and 26 (A), and hunting and trapping methods and means regulations that govern the state predator control program for wolves. The Board also will consider several changes of a non-substantive, corrective, or "housekeeping" nature during the fall meeting.

In addition to considering the proposed regulation changes, the Board will attempt to review policies governing wolf management including the how, where, and why of wolf control. The Board also plans to review the Dalton Highway Management Plan. Written comments from the public are invited on these policies in addition to those on pending regulations.

Copies of the proposed changes are available statewide at Department of Fish and Game offices or may be obtained by writing:

Division of Boards

Alaska Department of Fish and Game

Box 3-2000

Juneau, Alaska 99802

Comments should be received by Nov. 16, 1983. Written comments also will be accepted during the meeting from December 1 to approximately December 7, 1983.