## Alaska Airlines Seeks Fairbanks-Calif. Route

Alaska Airlines has applied for a route between Fairbanks-Anchorage and San Francisco-Los Angeles, according to a document filed with the Civil Aeronautics Board in Washington, D.C.

•The Carrier has also filed an application to resume non-stop service between Fairbanks and

Seattle.

Continual growth in Alaska traffic from the California area and the need for competitive service over the routes, were cited as major reasons for the application, according to Alaska Airlines President O.F. Benecke:

"The routes will better align Alaska Airlines as a primary States — Alaska carrier, which the C.A.B. said was the carriers role in an Order issued in November removing them from certain intra-Alaskan routes as of January 6th," Benecke said.