

# BIA Funds Child Care for Villages

Senator Ted Stevens announced today that a total of nearly a quarter of a million dollars in contracts has been awarded to Alaskan Native villages by the Bureau of Indian Affairs to provide general assistance and emergency child care.

Stevens said the awards will be made on Jan. 1 and will be allocated as follows:

Kuskokwim Valley Native Association at Bethel, \$42,890.

Organized village of Kwethluk, \$21,776.

Development Corporation of the United Villages of Nelson Island and vicinity and Tununak, \$88,256.

Mekoryuk on Nunivak Island, \$36,292.

City Council of Teller, \$27,960.

City of Hooper Bay, \$16,075, included a provision for rehabilitation services.