

Work on Claims Set for Feb. 18 By Committee

Sen. Henry Jackson and his Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will go into an executive session on Feb. 18 to start work on the Alaska native land claims bill.

According to Sen. Ted Stevens of Alaska, the final committee version of the land settlement is expected to differ from all the various proposals now before the committee.

Stevens said he was hopeful that the Senate committee will be able to report the bill by Easter recess.