

Civil rights members named

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Five Alaska state residents have been appointed as new members to the Alaska Advisory Committee to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, Louis Nunez, Staff Director, announced this week. They join seven reappointed members of the advisory board.

The 12 member panel assists the Federal Commission in its fact-finding and investigative functions in the state of Alaska. Members are selected for their expertise and interest in the area of civil rights. They are appointed for two-year terms by the Federal Commissioners and serve without compensation.

Mr. William Hensley of Anchorage will chair the committee. Mr. Hensley is executive direc-

tor of the NANA Development Corporation and a Director of United Bank Alaska.

Other members who have been reappointed are State Representatives Michael F. Beirne and Thelma Buchholdt of Anchorage; other members from Anchorage are Mr. Gilbert Gutierrez, Project EEO Coordinator for Alyeska Pipeline Service Company and Ms. Lynne Woods, Executive Director for the Alaska Commission on Women.

The new members from Juneau who have been reappointed are Mr. Richard Stitt, a manager in Sealaska Corporation and Mrs. Rosalie Walker with the State Department of Education.

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The new members from Anchorage are Malcolm Roberts, consultant on government and community relations; Lisa Rudd, former State Representative; Carolyn Schubert, Vice Presi-

dent of the Bering Straits Native Association, director on the boards of Norton Sound Health Corporation and Alaska Legal Services Corporation and a board member of the Alaska Federation of Natives, Inc.

Also appointed are Dove Kull of Juneau who is a volunteer worker in a number of community organizations and Frank R. Peterson of Kodiak, President of the Kodiak Area Native Association and former Regional Director of the Kodiak Area Community Development Corporation.

The Alaska Advisory Com-

mittee to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights is one of 51 such units which are active nationally. The U.S. Commission on Civil Rights is an independent, bipartisan, fact-finding agency concerned with discrimination or denial of equal protection of the laws because of race, color, religion, sex, age, handicap, or national origin.