

Chugach Natives pick Janson, Roehl moved to board chairmanship

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The annual meeting of Chugach Natives, Inc. stockholders has resulted in a change of corporate leadership for the second time in two months.

Richard Janson, who termed himself a "compromise candidate," was elected president of the corporation which serves some 2,000 shareholders in the Prince William Sound area.

Janson succeeds Roy Roehl

of Seward who assumed leadership of the corporation on September 13 when former President Cecil Barnes was suspended by the board pending resolution of internal corporate problems.

Apparently a number of those problems were at least thoroughly discussed this past weekend when shareholders held an intensive six-hour executive session.

Following the shareholders meeting the newly elected Board

of Directors met to elect officers. Following Janson as president are Mary Gordoff, first vice president; Bob Anderson, second vice president; and Marie Lange, third vice president. Roy Roehl was elected chairman of the board.

Janson is currently president of the Alaska Native Foundation, a post he will apparently resign. He is also vice-chairman of the Alaska Federation of Natives