

ALASKA BOARD OF GAME

Resolution #1

March 29, 1976

The Board of Game requests the Commissioner, during the fall, winter and spring of 1976-77, to develop a program for contracting with one or more individuals for the purpose of taking wolves in Units 23 and 26A. Such taking shall be in accordance with conditions specified by the Commissioner and may be with the aid of aircraft. Such taking shall be permitted only if, based on the best information available, the Department estimates, 1) the Western Arctic Caribou herd contains less than 200,000 individuals, and yearling animals comprise less than 10 percent of the herd or, 2) the herd contains less than 150,000 individuals. Of the live wolf population present in the area at the start of such contractual taking, at least 20 percent shall remain at the cessation of such taking.