

90TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 11213

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 28, 1967

Mr. ASPINALL (for himself and Mr. HALEY) (by request) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs

A BILL

To settle the land claims of Alaska Natives, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That section 3 of the Act of May 25, 1926 (44 Stat. 629;
4 48 U.S.C. 355 (c)), is amended to read as follows:

5 “SEC. 3. (a) The Secretary of the Interior is author-
6 ized to grant in trust, subject to valid existing rights, to each
7 tribe, band, clan, village, community, or group of Natives in
8 Alaska, hereinafter referred to as a group of Natives, upon
9 his own initiative and without application, title to the village
10 site or sites now occupied by such group of Natives if not