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February 16, 1995

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Proposed Legislation

TO: All House Members

FROM: Representative Larry O. Sather

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Larry O. Sather".

I plan on introducing legislation which would amend the "Volunteer Firefighter's Relief Association Act" (Act 84) regarding the use of relief association funds.

It is my understanding that Act 84 has been **interpreted** to permit the use of relief association funds to **perform safety inspections** on firefighting equipment. However, relief association funds **cannot be used to make necessary repairs** to such equipment. This seems inconsistent. Therefore, I am introducing remedial legislation which would expressly authorize these safety inspections and permit the use of relief association funds to make repairs.

If you wish to co-sponsor this legislation, please contact Nancy in my office at 7-3335.

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