

**SENATE BILL NO. 24**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

Introduced: 1/16/19

Referred: State Affairs, Finance

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1   **"An Act directing the Department of Revenue to pay dividends to certain eligible**  
2   **individuals; and providing for an effective date."**

3   **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4       \* **Section 1.** The uncoded law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section  
5   to read:

6           PERMANENT FUND DIVIDENDS. (a) Notwithstanding AS 43.23.005, when  
7   determining permanent fund dividend payments under AS 43.23.025 in 2019, 2020, and 2021,  
8   the commissioner of revenue shall include a payment of \$1,061 in 2019, \$1,289 in 2020, and  
9   \$1,328 in 2021, respectively, in the permanent fund dividend to each eligible individual as  
10  provided in (b) - (d) this section.

11          (b) In this section, "eligible individual" for a permanent fund dividend during  
12  calendar year 2019 means an individual

13               (1) who received a 2016 permanent fund dividend; and

14               (2) eligible for a 2019 permanent fund dividend.

1 (c) In this section, "eligible individual" for a permanent fund dividend during calendar  
2 year 2020 means an individual

3 (1) who received a 2017 permanent fund dividend; and

4 (2) eligible for a 2020 permanent fund dividend.

5 (d) In this section, "eligible individual" for a permanent fund dividend during  
6 calendar year 2021 means an individual

7 (1) who received a 2018 permanent fund dividend; and

8 (2) eligible for a 2021 permanent fund dividend.

9 (e) The amount appropriated from the earnings reserve account (AS 37.13.145) to the  
10 dividend fund (AS 43.23.045(a)) for payments under (a) of this section to eligible individuals  
11 during calendar years 2019, 2020, and 2021 may not contribute to the calculation for the  
12 2019, 2020, or 2021 dividends under AS 43.23.025.

13 \* **Sec. 2.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).