



LAWS OF ALASKA

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SB 171

Chapter No.

AN ACT

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

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2 such a candidate's name from the general election ballot; and providing for an effective date.

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4 * **Section 1.** AS 15.35 is amended by adding a new section to read:

5 **Sec. 15.35.135. Withdrawal of candidacy; removal of name from general**
6 **election ballot.** (a) Notice of withdrawal of candidacy for retention for a supreme
7 court justice, judge of the court of appeals, superior court judge, or district court judge
8 must be in writing over the signature of the candidate.

9 (b) The name of a candidate for retention for supreme court justice, judge of
10 the court of appeals, superior court judge, or district court judge must appear on the
11 general election ballot unless notice under (a) of this section of withdrawal of
12 candidacy is received by the director at least 48 days before the date of the general
13 election.

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