

Sec. 9. Sec. 10, Ch. 145, SLA 1955 is amended to read as follows:

Section 10. Contributions by the State for Arrearages. The state shall annually appropriate to the Retirement Fund from the general fund of the state, an amount equal to: (a) the arrearage payments made by teachers

as provided in Section 7 herein; and/or (b) the arrearage outstanding under option (2) of Section 13 herein.

Sec. 10. Secs. 37-4-8 through and including 37-4-12, ACLA 1949 are repealed.

Sec. 11. This Act shall take effect January 1, 1961.

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CHAPTER 180

AN ACT

Amending the Fish and Game Code of Alaska, particularly Sec. 31, Art. I, Ch. 94, SLA 1959, dealing with use of streams, rivers and lakes; and providing for an effective date.

(H.C.S.C.S.S.B. 249)

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Alaska:

Section 1. Sec. 31, Art. I, Ch. 94, SLA 1959, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 31. Protection of Fish and Game.

In the event that any person or governmental agency desires to construct any form of hydraulic project or to use any equipment that will use, divert, obstruct, pollute or change the natural flow or bed of any river, lake or stream or to use, except for the purpose of crossing a river or stream at an established crossing, any wheeled, tracked or excavating equipment or log dragging equipment in the bed of any river, lake or stream containing anadromous fish or that will utilize any of the waters of the State or materials from any river, lake or stream beds, such person or governmental agency shall notify the Commissioner of such intention prior to the commencement of construction, and the Commissioner shall acknowledge receipt of such notice by return mail. If the Commissioner so determines, he shall, in said letter of acknowledgment, require such person or governmental agency or submit to him full plans and specifications of the proposed construction or work, complete plans and specifications for the proper protection of fish and game in connection therewith, and the approximate date when such construction or work is to commence, and shall require such

person or governmental agency to obtain the written approval of the Commissioner as to the sufficiency of such plans or specifications before construction is commenced. If any person or governmental agency commences construction on any such works or projects without first providing plans and specifications subject to the approval of the Commissioner for the proper protection of fish and game in connection therewith and without first having obtained written approval of the Commissioner as to the adequacy of such plans and specifications submitted for the protection of fish and game, he is guilty of a misdemeanor. If any such person or government agency be convicted of violating any of the provisions of this section and continues construction on any such work or projects without fully complying with the provisions hereof, such works or projects are hereby declared a public nuisance and shall be subject to abatement as such. The cost of restoring any river, lake or stream to its original condition shall be borne by the violator and shall be in addition to any penalty imposed by the court.

Provided, that in case of an emergency arising from weather or stream flow conditions, the Department, through its authorized representatives, shall issue oral permits to a riparian owner for removing any obstructions or for repairing existing structures without the necessity of submitting prepared

plans and specifications.

day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.

Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the

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CHAPTER 181

AN ACT

Authorizing the Governor to contract for an economic development program for the state; authorizing an appropriation; and providing for an effective date.

(H.B. 459)

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Alaska:

Section 1. **Development Program.** The governor is authorized and directed to contract with Arthur D. Little, Inc., Cambridge, Massachusetts, for the accomplishment of a program to activate an economic development program for the state. The program is to include the identification of specific opportunities and the stimulation of productive investment in the industrial, agricultural, commercial and tourism segments of the Alaskan economy. The governor or his designee is authorized to take all appropriate action in accomplishing an agree-

ment and program with the consulting firm. The initial agreement is to cover one year and will provide for the submission of monthly activity and progress reports to the governor. The governor shall make a full report on the economic development program provided for herein to the Second State Legislature in 1961.

Sec. 2. **Appropriation Authorized.** Funds for carrying out the provisions of this Act shall be provided for in the general appropriation bill.

Sec. 3. **Effective Date.** This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.

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CHAPTER 182

AN ACT

Appropriating from the general fund; appropriating from the highway fuel tax account in the general fund; appropriating from the aviation fuel tax account in the general fund; appropriating from federal transitional grants in the general fund; appropriating from the water and harbor facilities fund and certain other special funds of the state for operating and capital expenses beginning July 1, 1960; and providing for an effective date.

(C.S.H.B. 267)

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Alaska:

Section 1. The sum of \$26,909,272 is hereby appropriated from the general fund

of the State of Alaska for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1960, and ending June 30, 1961 to be apportioned according to the following schedules:

Office of the Governor

General Administration	\$	126,910
Governor's Mansion		31,210
Planning Commission		15,000
Special Counsel; Fish Traps		20,000
Freight Rate Hearings		20,000