

director of local affairs with the concurrence of the chairman.

(1) All meetings and hearings of the commission shall be public.

(2) Minutes shall be kept for all meetings and hearings unless the entire proceedings are transcribed, in which case minutes shall be made from the transcription. All minutes are a matter of public record.

(3) All votes taken by the commission shall be entered in the minutes.

(4) Public notice of any hearing shall be made in the area in which the hearing is to be held at least 15 days before the date of the hearing and the notice shall include the time, date, place, and subject of the hearing. The director of local affairs shall give notice of the hearing at least three times in the press or through other news media or by post-

ing in a public place, whichever is most feasible.

b. Three members of the commission constitute a quorum for the conduct of business at a meeting and two members constitute a quorum for the conduct of business at a hearing, provided that a majority of the membership of the commission must vote in favor of a proposed boundary change before it may be presented to the legislature.

Sec. 4. Pay. Members of the commission receive no pay but shall receive travel expenses and per diem as is authorized for members of boards and commissions.

Sec. 5. Repeal. Ch. 185, SLA 1959 is repealed.

Sec. 6. Effective Date. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.

Approved March 28, 1960

CHAPTER 46

AN ACT

Relating to duties of the Director of the Division of Agriculture; amending the first paragraph of Sec. 33-1-2, ACLA 1949; and providing for an effective date.

(H.B. 360)

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

Section 1. The first paragraph of Sec. 33-1-2, ACLA 1949 is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 33-1-2. Powers and Duties of Director. The Director, Division of Agriculture, shall direct, administer, and supervise experimental work not in conflict with existing Federal or State activities for the purpose of promoting and developing agricultural industry within the State of Alaska including, but not limited to, such fields as horticulture, dairying, cattle raising, fur farming, etc. He shall procure and preserve all information pertaining thereto and disseminate such information to the public at large. He shall have the power to regulate and control the entry into and transportation, sale or use within the State of plants, seeds,

vegetables, fruits and berries, nursery stock, animal feeds, remedies and mineral supplements, fertilizers, and agricultural chemicals in order to prevent the spread of pests, diseases, or toxic substances injurious to the public interest, and to protect the agricultural industry against fraud, deception and misrepresentation. In this connection he may require registration, inspection, and testing, and establish procedures and fees therefor. He shall provide prospective settlers and others desiring to engage in the agricultural industry in Alaska with information concerning areas suitable for agriculture and shall furnish such other information as is essential to the development of the agricultural industry in the State of Alaska. He shall make a study of the marketing of agricultural products within the State including transportation with special emphasis upon local

production and is hereby directed to negotiate for the marketing of agricultural products of the State with all Federal and State agencies operating in the State. The Director shall have the power to issue all rules, orders, regulations and quarantine necessary to carry out the purposes of this Act (Secs. 33-1-1—33-1-3 herein) in connection with: (a) The examination and inspection of premises containing products, articles or commodities carrying pests; (b) establishment of quarantines

for eradication of pests; (c) standards and labels pertaining to the sale of agricultural and vegetable seeds; (d) analyzing and testing and the giving of notice for hearings to determine whether stop orders or quarantine shall issue; and (e) the cooperation with Federal and State agencies to carry out the purposes of this Act.

Sec. 2. Effective Date. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.

Approved March 28, 1960

CHAPTER 47

AN ACT

Appropriating \$100,000.00 to the Office of the Governor for the administration of the election laws; setting an expiration date; and providing for an effective date.

(H.B. 369)

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

Section 1. The sum of \$100,000.00 is hereby appropriated to the Office of the Governor from the general fund of the State of Alaska for the administration of elections.

Sec. 2. The appropriation made by this Act shall expire June 30, 1961.

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.

Approved March 28, 1960

CHAPTER 48

AN ACT

Relating to the administration of the Alaska Cooperative Corporations Act, Ch. 107, SLA 1959; and providing for an effective date.

(H.B. 381)

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

Section 1. The Department of Revenue is hereby vested with the duties, powers and responsibilities involved in the administration of Ch. 107, SLA 1959, and which were heretofore exercised by the

Department of Commerce under the provisions of said Act.

Sec. 2. 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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