

CHAPTER 78

AN ACT

Relating to the impounding of dogs threatening the peace, persons or property in or near political subdivisions of the state; providing for the enforcement thereof; repealing Ch. 114, SLA 1951; and providing for an effective date.

(C.S.S.B. 12)

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

Section 1. Any dog running at large and threatening the peace, persons, or property in any incorporated political subdivision of the state, or within ten miles of the boundaries thereof, may be impounded for a period of ten days. If within such period the owner of the impounded dog fails to claim the animal and pay costs of catching and impounding as fixed by such political subdivision, the dog shall be destroyed or may be

sold to pay such costs.

Sec. 2. All incorporated political subdivisions of Alaska are hereby authorized independently or in agreement with the State of Alaska, to enforce the provisions of this Act.

Sec. 3. Ch. 114, SLA 1951 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This Act shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval or upon its becoming law without such approval.

Became law over Governor's veto April 11, 1959

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To amend the Village Incorporation Act of 1957, Ch. 150, SLA 1957, by adding certain sub-sections to Sec. 6 thereof; and by adding a new section to define the term "Incorporated Village"; and providing an effective date.

(C.S.S.B. 26)

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

Section 1. Sec. 6 of Ch. 150, SLA 1957 is hereby amended by adding the following sub-sections:

(12) **Offenses: Disposition of Money from Fines: Magistrate.** To prohibit drunkenness, gambling, houses or places of ill fame, disorderly conduct, or conduct endangering the public peace, public health, or public safety, and define such offenses, and to prescribe the punishment therefor, but such punishment shall not exceed in any case a fine of \$25.00 or imprisonment in the village jail not exceeding five days, which may be set aside if the payment of \$5.00 per day is made in lieu thereof, or both such fine and imprisonment. All fines and costs imposed and collected for violation of

village ordinances shall belong to the village and be paid over to the proper village officer. The village magistrate shall have jurisdiction of all actions for violations of village ordinances, and appeals shall lie from his judgment to the United States District Court for the Division in which such village is situate, in the same manner as appeals from the judgment of the ex-officio justices of the peace to the District Court. Proceedings before the village magistrate shall be in substantial conformity with those proceedings generally held in a magistrate's court of a second class city.

(13) To make provision for the maintenance of a village jail and to provide the same with a jailer or to enter into any contract or agreement not inconsistent with law, with the Federal government or any agency