

# LAWS OF ALASKA

## CHAPTER 1

### AN ACT

**Transferring functions of registering corporations and collecting corporation franchise taxes from the Department of Revenue to the Department of Commerce; amending Sec. 10, Ch. 64, SLA 1959 and Sec. 14, Ch. 64, SLA 1959 as amended by Sec. 6, Ch. 186, SLA 1960; and providing for an effective date.**

(HB 29)

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

Section 1. The second paragraph of Sec. 10, Ch. 64, SLA 1959 is amended to read as follows:

The Department of Revenue is hereby vested with the duties, powers, and responsibilities involved in the enforcement of all tax laws of the State, in the collection, accounting for, custody, investment, and management of all state funds and all revenues of the State except where such revenues are incidental to a program of licensing and regulation carried on by another state department. The Department shall register log and cattle brands; and it shall supply necessary clerical and administrative services for the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board. The functions and authority heretofore performed and exercised by the Department of Taxation, the Commissioner of Taxation; the Department of Finance, the Director of Finance, and the Treasurer, with respect to receipt, custody, investment and management of state funds; and registering cattle brands; and by the Department of Labor for registering log brands; and by the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the Department of Health with respect to issuance of and collection of fees for embalmers licenses are hereby transferred to the Department of Revenue.

Sec. 2. The second paragraph of Sec. 14, Ch. 64, SLA 1959, as amended by Sec. 6, Ch. 186, SLA 1960 is amended to read as follows:

The Department of Commerce is hereby vested with the duties, powers and responsibilities involved in the admin-

istration of the state programs relating to commerce and in the enforcement of laws relating thereto, including the promulgation of rules and regulations under such laws; the accumulation, analysis, and reporting of commercial and industrial statistics; the registering of corporations; the collecting of corporation franchise taxes; and the enforcement of state laws regulating public utilities and other public service enterprises, banking and securities, insurance, and other businesses and enterprises touched with a public interest; and the promotion of the economic and tourist development of the state. The department is also hereby vested with the duties, powers and responsibilities involved in making veterans' loans; the inspection of weights and measures; the promotion and development of civil aviation; and the furnishing of the budgeting, clerical and administrative services for regulatory agencies and professional and occupational licensing boards not otherwise provided for in this Act. The functions and authority heretofore performed and exercised by the Alaska World War II Veterans' Board, the Commissioner of Veterans' Affairs, and the Veterans' Service Council; the Alaska Housing Authority; the Weights and Measures Division of the Department of Territorial Police, the Inspector of Weights and Measures; the Alaska Insurance Commission and the Commissioner of Insurance; the Territorial Banking Board; the Alaska Real Estate Commission; and the Board of Administration with respect to industrial tax incentives are hereby transferred to the Department of Commerce.

Sec. 3. All records, equipment and other

property primarily used by the Department of Revenue in the registering of corporations is transferred to the Department of Commerce. That portion of the appropriations and appropriation balances made available for tax collection and receipt, which, in the judgment of the Governor, is fairly allocable to the function of

registering corporations for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1960 and ending June 30, 1961 is also transferred to the Department of Commerce.

Sec. 4. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.

Approved February 13, 1961

## CHAPTER 2

### AN ACT

**Transferring between line item appropriations made to the state legislature for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961; and providing for an effective date.**

(S.B. 52)

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

Section 1. The sum of \$2,000 is transferred from the line item appropriation for Personal Services for Legislators' Salaries to the line item appropriation for Con-

tractual Services for the 1961 Session, made to the state legislature for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961.

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

Approved February 15, 1961

## CHAPTER 3

### AN ACT

**Appropriating to the Department of Public Safety for the reimbursement of Wien Alaska Airlines, Inc., for travel expenses incurred by the state during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958; and providing for an effective date.**

(H.B. 22)

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

Section 1. The sum of \$188.00 is appropriated from the general fund to the Department of Public Safety to reimburse Wien Alaska Airlines, Inc. for travel ex-

penses of state employees incurred during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958.

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 February 15, 1961

## CHAPTER 4

### AN ACT

**Relating to school bus driver's permits, amending Sec. 15, Ch. 173, SLA 1959; and providing for an effective date.**

(H.B. 24)

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

Section 1. Sec. 15, Ch. 173, SLA 1959 is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 15. **School Bus Driver's Permit.** The department shall issue a School Bus Driver's Permit upon submission of the required application and completion of