

Sec. 3. In furtherance of the provisions contained in the compact, there shall be three members of the commission from the State of Alaska, appointed by the governor and confirmed by the legislature in joint session. One such commissioner shall be the administrative or other officer of the Alaska Department of Fish and Game charged with the conservation of the state's marine fisheries resource; another commissioner shall be a member of the legislature of this state who is a member of the committee on resources; and another member shall be a citizen of this state who has a wide knowledge of and interest in the marine fisheries problem.

Sec. 4. The term of each commissioner

is four years. A commissioner holds office until his successor is appointed and qualified, but such successor's term expires four years from the legal date of expiration of the term of his predecessor. Any commissioner may be removed from office by the governor upon charges and after a hearing. The term of any commissioner who ceases to hold the qualifications required terminates and a successor may be appointed. Vacancies occurring in the office of a commissioner from any reason or cause shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner as for a full term appointment.

Sec. 5. This Act takes effect July 1, 1962.

Approved May 4, 1962

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## CHAPTER 163

### AN ACT

**Requiring an applicant for a commercial fishing license to file a signed statement of filing of the Alaska net income tax return; amending Sec. 3, Art. III, Ch. 94, SLA 1959; and providing for an effective date.**

(C.S.H.B. 396)

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

Section 1. Sec. 3, Art. III, Ch. 94, SLA 1959, is amended to read:

Sec. 3. **Issuance of Licenses.** a. Licenses herein required shall be issued to any qualified person by the commissioner or his duly authorized deputies, pursuant to written application accompanied by the required fee and containing such reasonable information as may be required by the commissioner. Such applications shall be simple in form and be executed by applicants or their respective agents under the penalties of perjury.

b. An application for a commercial fishing license shall include a signed statement on a form furnished by the commissioner stating, under the penalties of perjury, that the applicant has filed any net income tax return due the state for the previous tax year, or, if the applicant did not file an Alaska net income tax return for the previous tax year, that he did not earn income in Alaska during that year. The commissioner shall reject no license application for the sole reason of failure to pay a tax.

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 May 4, 1962

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## CHAPTER 164

### AN ACT

**Creating a public school foundation program; providing a system for allocating state aid to local school districts; repealing certain laws in conflict therewith; and providing for an effective date.**

(C.S.H.B. 420)