

HOUSE BILL NO. 161

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVES RAUSCHER, Wilson, Eastman

Introduced: 3/8/17

Referred: State Affairs, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act authorizing an advisory vote on the use of permanent fund earnings to finance**
2 **the operation of state government."**

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 * **Section 1.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section
5 to read:

6 **ADVISORY VOTE.** The lieutenant governor shall place before the qualified voters of
7 the state at the next general election a question advisory to the legislature as to whether the
8 legislature should use the earnings or other revenue generated from the Alaska permanent
9 fund to pay for the operation of state government. The question shall appear on the ballot in
10 the following form:

11 **Q U E S T I O N**

12 Should the Alaska State Legislature authorize using earnings or other
13 revenue generated from the permanent fund to pay for the operation of state
14 government?

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Yes []

No []