

HOUSE BILL NO. 248

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVE EASTMAN

Introduced: 5/12/17

Referred: State Affairs, Judiciary, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act requiring advisory votes on the enactment of an individual income tax, a**
2 **statewide sales tax, and legislative action that changes the calculation of the permanent**
3 **fund dividend."**

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

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

7 **ADVISORY VOTE ON TAX.** At the first statewide election following the effective
8 date of this Act, the lieutenant governor shall place before the qualified voters of the state
9 three questions advisory to the legislature and the governor. Notwithstanding AS 15.80.005
10 and other laws relating to the preparation of a ballot proposition, the questions shall appear on
11 the ballot in the following form:

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

13 Do you approve of the passage by the Alaska State Legislature of a bill
14 that imposes an individual income tax?

1 Yes [] No []

2 QUESTION

3 Do you approve of the passage by the Alaska State Legislature of a bill
4 that imposes a statewide sales tax?

5 Yes [] No []

6 QUESTION

7 Do you approve of the passage by the Alaska State Legislature of a bill
8 that changes the calculation of the permanent fund dividend?

9 Yes [] No []