

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MISS PRIOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 10

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA
4 TWENTY-FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act outlining the ^{organization and procedure} ~~powers~~ of Political
7 ~~Party Organizations~~
8 ~~Parties~~"

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA:

9 Section 1. GENERAL AUTHORITY. Each political party
10 organization shall have power to:

11 (1) Make its own rules and regulations.

12 (2) Call conventions.

13 (3) Elect delegates to conventions, ^{unless otherwise provided} ~~Territorial and~~
14 ~~National~~
by law.

15 (4) Fill vacancies on the ticket.

16 (5) Perform all functions inherent in such an organization.
17 Provided, that in no instance shall any convention have the
18 power to nominate any candidate to be voted for at any primary
19 election.

20 Section ~~2~~ TERRITORIAL CENTRAL COMMITTEE. The Territorial
21 Central Committee of each political party shall consist of one
22 committeeman and one committeewoman from each division elected by
23 the divisional committee at its organizational meeting, ^{at the national} It shall
24 have a chairman and vice-chairman who must be of opposite sexes.

25 Section ~~2~~ DIVISIONAL CENTRAL COMMITTEE. The Divisional
26 Central Committee of each political party shall consist of the
27 precinct committeemen and committeewomen from the several voting
28 precincts in the division. This committee shall meet for the
29 purpose of organization on the sixth Saturday after the holding

Insert Section 2 here

unless otherwise provided

Change

1 of the primary elections in the principal city in the division
2 at an exact hour and place to be set by the chairman of the
3 outgoing Divisional Central Committee. Notice ^{thereof} ~~of the place and~~
4 ~~hour of meeting~~ shall be mailed to all newly elected precinct
5 committeemen and committeewomen at least 15 days before the date
6 on which the committee ~~is to~~ convene. At its organizational
7 meeting the Divisional Central Committee shall elect a chairman
8 and vice-chairman, who must be of opposite sexes, ~~and the~~
9 ~~Committeemen and committeewoman members for the Division of the~~
10 ~~Territorial Central Committee.~~ For the purposes of calling the
11 first divisional committee meetings after the 1954 primary
12 election, the persons acting as divisional committeemen of each
13 political party at the time of first elections of precinct
14 committeemen and committeewomen shall act as temporary chairmen
15 until permanent chairmen are elected.

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17 *and a Divisional Committeeman and Divisional*
18 *Committeewoman to represent the Division on the*
19 *Territorial Central Committee. There shall be*
20 *selected from among the members of the committee*
21 *at its organizational meeting, only those interested*
22 *persons, committeemen and committeewomen*
23 *shall be permitted to participate and procedure*
24 *may be given only to committeemen and*
25 *committeewomen residing within the same*
26 *precinct as the absent persons.*

*and should other
to carry
Divisional Committee*

Amendment to House Bill # 10
(House Bill No., House Joint Memorial No., etc.)

By Boardman
(Name, Names or Committee)

At its organizational meeting, only duly elected
Special Committeemen & Committeewomen shall be
permitted to participate, ^{except that} and ~~that~~ may be given
only to commitment committeewomen or to persons
who have stated the same party preference in the
preceding primary election, and who reside within the
same recording district as the absent person, provided
that no person shall hold
more than ~~two~~ ^{three} people

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Not Adopted

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