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HOUSE BILL NO. 79

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

A BILL

For an Act entitled: "An Act to allow the voters of the Territory of Alaska to indicate their preference for the person who shall be appointed the next Governor of the Territory of Alaska; and declaring an emergency."

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

Section 1. At a special primary election to be held April 28, 1953, and at a special general election to be held June 16, 1953, the voters of the Territory of Alaska shall express by ballot their choice of the person to be appointed Governor of the Territory of Alaska.

Section 2. Persons desiring to become a candidate for appointment as Governor shall file in the manner prescribed in Section 38-4-1 ACLA 1949, except that the period for filing of candidacy shall be from March 27, 1953, through April 9, 1953.

Section 3. The names of persons desiring the approval of the voters of the Territory of Alaska for their candidacy for appointment as Governor shall be printed on official ballots at the special primary election and special general election under the heading

"For Governor of Alaska"

(vote for one)

1 and the laws governing primary and general election shall
2 apply in all respects to the nomination and selection of
3 persons for Governor.

4 Section 4. The Secretary of the Territory of Alaska
5 shall certify the result of the special general election
6 provided for in Section 1 supra to the President of the
7 United States, and the person receiving the highest number
8 of votes for Governor shall be the choice of the people of
9 the Territory of Alaska for that office and shall be
10 recommended to the President for appointment.

11 Section 5. An emergency is hereby declared to exist
12 and this Act shall take effect immediately upon its
13 passage and approval.
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