

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MRS. FISCHER

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 151

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA

4 TWENTY-THIRD SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the election of
7 national committeemen and committeewomen
8 to fill vacancies on the national committee;
9 amending Ch. 23, SLA 1953."

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

11 Section 1. Sec. 1 of Ch. 23, SLA 1953, is hereby amended to
12 read as follows:

13. Sec. 1. At the primary election to be held in 1954 and
14 again in 1956, and at each such election every four years
15 thereafter, each political party whose candidate for Delegate
16 to Congress from Alaska receives at least ten per cent of the
17 votes cast in the last general election, which parties shall
18 hereafter be referred to as major political parties, shall
19 elect its national committeeman and national committeewoman.
20 The candidate for national committeeman and candidate for na-
21 tional committeewoman for each major political party who
22 shall receive the highest number of votes shall thereby be
23 elected and shall hold office commencing the 15th day of
24 June next after the election and for four years thereafter
25 until a successor is elected and qualified, except the candi-
26 dates elected in 1954, who shall hold office only until their
27 successors are elected and qualified in 1956. In the event
28 of a vacancy by death, resignation, or otherwise, such va-
29 cancy shall be filled for the unexpired term by a person

1 duly elected at a party convention called /DESIGNATED/ by
2 the Territorial Central Committee of the party in which such
3 office is vacant and to be held within 90 days of the oc-
4 currence of such vacancy.

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