

1 IN THE HOUSE

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HOUSE BILL NO. 214

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA

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TWENTY-THIRD SESSION

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A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the benefit payment

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formula prescribed in the Alaska Employment

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Security Act; amending Sec. 712 of Ch. 5,

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ESLA 1955."

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

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Section 1. Sec. 712 of Ch. 5, ESLA 1955, is hereby amended

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to read as follows:

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Sec. 712. AMOUNT OF BENEFITS. (a) Qualifying wages.

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To qualify for benefits an individual shall have earned

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wages in his base period totalling NOT LESS THAN ONE AND

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ONE-FOURTH TIMES THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF WAGES EARNED BY

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HIM IN THAT CALENDAR QUARTER OF HIS BASE PERIOD IN WHICH

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HE EARNED THE HIGHEST AMOUNT OF WAGES, AND ALL HIS WAGES

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FOR SUCH BASE PERIOD MUST BE not less than the minimum

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amount required for benefits under subsection (b) below.

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(b) Weekly benefit amount. Except as provided in sub-

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section (a), above, an individual's weekly benefit amount

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shall be the amount shown in the table below, in the appli-

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cable column opposite the amount of his total base period

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wages as shown in column A; provided, that for any week with

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respect to which an individual while outside the Territory

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files a claim for benefits the weekly benefit amount shall

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not exceed \$25.00, and an individual who files such claims

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shall not be paid for more than twenty-six weeks of total

1 unemployment. For the duration of a benefit year no de-
 2 pendent who has been claimed by a claimant and allowed as
 3 such shall be included as a dependent with regard to any
 4 other claimant.

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				amount with the						Potential																					
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
Total		Base Period	Weekly	Benefit	Amount	One	Two	Three	Four	Five																					
		Base Period	Benefit	Amount	One	Two	Three	Four	Five																						
10	Columns (A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)																							
11		0-349.99/449.99	7..	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$000																					
12		350/450	7-	599.99	. . .	.15	/10	7	15	20	20	20	20	20	150														
13		600-	899.9915	/11	7	16	21	22	22	22	22	22	176																
14		700-	799.9915	/12	7	17	22	24	24	24	24	24	204																
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16		900-	999.9915	/14	7	19	24	28	28	28	28	28	266																
17		1000-	1099.99	15			20	25	30	30	30	30	30	300																
18		1100-	1199.99	. . . .	16			21	26	31	32	32	32	32	336															
19		1200-	1299.99	. . . .	17			22	27	32	34	34	34	34	374															
20		1300-	1399.99	. . . .	18			23	28	33	36	36	36	36	414															
21		1400-	1499.99	. . . .	19			24	29	34	38	38	38	38	456															
22		1500-	1599.99	. . . .	20			25	30	35	40	40	40	40	500															
23		1600-	1699.99	. . . .	21			26	31	36	41	42	42	42	546															
24		1700-	1799.99	. . . .	22			27	32	37	42	44	44	44	572															
25		1800-	1899.99	. . . .	23			28	33	38	43	46	46	46	598															
26		1900-	1999.99	. . . .	24			29	34	39	44	48	48	48	624															
27		2000-	2099.99	. . . .	25			30	35	40	45	50	50	50	650															
28		2100-	2199.99	. . . .	26			31	36	41	46	51	51	51	676															
29		2200-	2299.99	. . . .	27			32	37	42	47	52	52	52	702															

1	2300-2399.99.	28	33	38	43	48	53	728
2	2400-2499.99.	29	34	39	44	49	54	754
3	2500-2599.99.	30	35	40	45	50	55	780
4	2600-2699.99.	31	36	41	46	51	56	806
5	2700-2799.99.	32	37	42	47	52	57	832
6	2800-2899.99.	33	38	43	48	53	58	858
7	2900-2999.99.	34	39	44	49	54	59	884
8	3000-3099.99.	35	40	45	50	55	60	910
9	3100-3199.99.	36	41	46	51	56	61	936
10	3200-3299.99.	37	42	47	52	57	62	962
11	3300-3399.99.	38	43	48	53	58	63	988
12	3400-3499.99.	39	44	49	54	59	64	1014
13	3500-3599.99.	40	45	50	55	60	65	1040
14	3600-3699.99.	41	46	51	56	61	66	1066
15	3700-3799.99.	42	47	52	57	62	67	1092
16	3800-3899.99.	43	48	53	58	63	68	1118
17	3900-3999.99.	44	49	54	59	64	69	1144
18	4000-and over	45	50	55	60	65	70	1170

19 (c) Maximum potential benefits. Subject to the re-
20 strictions contained in Section 712(b), the maximum potential
21 benefits of any individual in a benefit year shall be the
22 amount in column H of the above table on the line on which,
23 in column B, there appears his basic weekly benefit amount;
24 Provided, however, dependents' allowances shall be in ad-
25 dition to the maximum potential benefits in column H of the
26 above table.

27 (d) Definition of dependent. "Dependent" means an in-
28 dividual's unmarried child (including stepchild and legally
29 adopted child) under 18 years of age, and who is principally

1 supported by such individual; except that an individual's
2 unmarried child (including stepchild and legally adopted
3 child) who because of infirmity is prevented from engaging
4 in a gainful occupation and who is principally dependent
5 upon such individual for support, shall be deemed to be a
6 dependent for the purpose of this provision regardless of
7 age.

8 No individual shall be entitled to an augmented weekly
9 benefit amount on account of any dependent if either such
10 individual or such dependent are without the Territory.

11 (c) The provisions of this Section shall be effective
12 on and after July 3, 1957 ~~[1955]~~.

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