

1 IN THE SENATE

BY SENATORS BULLOCK, NOLAN AND
COOPER BY REQUEST

2 SENATE BILL NO. 18

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 amendment of Sec.
7 51-2-65, SLA 1949, as amended by Ch. 33,
8 SLA 1949; and declaring an effective date."

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

10 Section 1. Sec. 51-2-65, SLA 1949, as amended by Ch. 33,
11 SLA 1949, is amended to read as follows:

12 Sec. 51-2-65. PROPERTY OF RECIPIENT: PLEDGE:

13 FORECLOSURE. The Board may, in its discretion, require as
14 a condition of granting financial assistance that the prop-
15 erty of any recipient, except personal property to the
16 amount of \$200.00, of such assistance be pledged as a
17 guarantee for the reimbursement ~~reimbursement~~ of the
18 funds so granted and any instrument executed by such
19 recipient, pledging such property, shall be made to the
20 Board to be held by it for the Territory granting such
21 relief. The Territory shall have the right to a lien
22 against all the property of the recipient, except personal
23 property to the amount of \$200.00, in an amount equal to
24 that expended for his benefit, from and after the filing
25 of a claim of lien in the office of the Recorder for the
26 district in which said property is possessed or is located,
27 particularly describing the property. Suit to foreclose
28 such a lien shall be instituted within six months after
29 the cessation of assistance or as soon thereafter as

1 possible. From and after the lien attaches, such property
2 shall not be sold without the consent of the Territory,
3 provided, however, that such consent may be given by the
4 Territorial Agency filing such a lien whenever a prior
5 permanent or superior lien is filed against the said prop-
6 erty. Any lien that attaches under this Section [IN WHICH
7 EVENT THE LIEN] if not satisfied by the purchasers, shall
8 not be lost, nor shall the augmentation of the amount of
9 the lien in proportion to expenditures made on behalf of
10 the recipient, cease. Provided, that claim of lien shall
11 be filed only in such cases as the Board, in its discretion,
12 may deem proper. If the United States so requires, it
13 shall be reimbursed out of the money realized upon such
14 security on a pro-rata basis in proportion to the amount
15 it has expended in behalf of the recipient in question,
16 and the remaining amount shall be paid to the Territorial
17 Treasurer for the Old Age Assistance Fund.

18 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act shall take effect
19 immediately upon its passage and approval, or upon its becoming
20 law without such approval.