

1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE BILL NO.77

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIRST LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to child labor; amending
7 Sec. 1, Ch. 73, SLA 1949 and Sec. 3,
8 Ch. 73, SLA 1949 as amended by Ch. 28,
9 SLA 1951; and providing for an effective
10 date."

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

12 Section 1. Sec. 1 of Ch. 73, SLA 1949, is hereby amended
13 to read as follows:

14 Sec. 1. PURPOSE: MAXIMUM HOURS OF MINORS UNDER 16
15 YEARS OF AGE. The purpose of this Act is to establish pro-
16 tective standards for child labor to the end that their
17 health, morals, education and future welfare will be protected
18 during the formative years and to the further end that any
19 abuses or unjust exploitation of such labor will be effec-
20 tively prohibited.

21 Minors under 16 years of age are not to be employed
22 for more than a combined total of nine hours school attend-
23 ance and employment in any one day, such work to be performed
24 between 6 A.M. and 7 P.M. and such employment outside school
25 hours shall not exceed 23 hours in any one week, domestic
26 work and baby-sitting excepted.

27 No minor under 14 years of age shall be employed, per-
28 mitted or suffered to work in any occupation outside school
29 hours; except as to domestic employment, baby-sitting and

1 handiwork in and about private homes; or newspaper delivery
2 or sales ; OR IN CANNERIES IN WAREHOUSE WORK UNDER COM-
3 PETENT SUPERVISION CASING CANS⁷.

4 Nothing in this Act shall apply to situations in which
5 a child works under the direct supervision of a parent in a
6 business owned and operated by such parent nor the work of a
7 child on a boat owned and operated by the child's parent.

8 Sec. 2. Sec. 3 of Ch. 73, SLA 1949, as amended by Ch. 28,
9 SLA 1951, is hereby amended to read as follows:

10 Sec. 3. EMPLOYMENT OF MINORS IN SPECIFIC OCCUPATIONS.

11 No minor under 18 years may be employed in excavation, or in
12 surface mining, or underground in mines, or as hoisting en-
13 gineers in mines; in the operation of cranes, derricks or
14 hoists; or aboard seine-fishing boats; and no minor under 16
15 years of age may be employed, permitted or suffered to work
16 in any restaurant or in any cannery, nor shall any girl
17 under 18 be employed, permitted or suffered to work as a
18 maid in any hotel or lodging house.

19 No minor under 21 shall be employed, permitted or
20 suffered to sell or serve intoxicating liquors or to work
21 in any room or other place where intoxicating liquors are
22 sold for consumption on the premises.

23 Sec. 3. This Act shall take effect immediately upon its
24 passage and approval or upon its becoming law without such
25 approval.