

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE
BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 410

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIRST LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act to provide for prosecution of
7 violations of the revenue laws of the
8 State of Alaska; to authorize use of
9 out-of-state attorneys in the collection
10 of revenues; providing for the deposit of
11 all monies recovered therefrom; amending
12 Sec. 1 and 2, Ch. 36, SLA 1955; repealing
13 Sec. 3, Ch. 36, SLA 1955; and providing
14 for an effective date."

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

16 Section 1. Sec. 1, Ch. 36, SLA 1955 is amended to read as
17 follows:

18 Sec. 1. The Attorney General is hereby authorized
19 and directed to prosecute all actions, civil and criminal,
20 growing out of any revenue laws enacted by the state
21 [TERRITORIAL] legislature. The costs of any such action
22 shall be paid out of the proper appropriation for the
23 Department of Law. The Attorney General with the approval
24 of the Commissioner of Revenue may retain the services of
25 one or more attorneys-at-law to assist in the collection
26 of revenue owing to the state where it is necessary to
27 prosecute actions for the collection of such revenue or
28 make efforts to collect revenue outside of the State of
29 Alaska. The Commissioner of Revenue may compensate such

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attorneys on a direct fee or contingent fee basis at such rate as he deems fair and reasonable. If the compensation is for a direct fee or fees the Commissioner of Revenue shall pay for such services from the proper appropriation for the Department of Revenue.

Sec. 2. Sec. 2, Ch. 36, SLA 1955 is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. [THE COSTS OF ANY SUCH ACTION SHALL BE PAID OUT OF THE GENERAL FUND ON VOUCHERS DRAWN BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND APPROVED BY THE TREASURER, AND] All monies derived from such prosecutions, civil actions and collection efforts [INCLUDING BUT NOT RESTRICTED TO, FINES AND PENALTIES.] shall be covered into the General Fund.

Sec. 3. Sec. 3, Ch. 36, SLA 1955 is repealed.

Sec. 4. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.