

1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE BILL NO. 432

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIRST LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the Alaska World War II
7 Veterans' Act; amending Subsecs. (1) and (3),
8 Sec. 1, Ch. 139, SLA 1953 as amended by Ch.
9 19, SLA 1955."

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

11 Section 1. Subsec. (1), Sec. 1, Ch. 139, SLA 1953 as amended
12 by Ch. 19, SLA 1955 is amended to read as follows:

13 (1) Persons who have served in the armed forces of
14 the United States for ninety days or more, or whose service
15 was for a lesser period because of injury, or disability
16 incurred in line of duty, between June 25, 1950 (the beginn-
17 ing of the conflict in Korea), and the cessation of the
18 present national emergency as determined and proclaimed by the
19 Governor of Alaska; who have been honorably separated or
20 discharged from the armed forces or who have been released to
21 a reserve component; who at the time of entry into the ser-
22 vice were bona fide residents of the Territory of Alaska and
23 had been residents thereof for not less than one year prior
24 to their entry into the service; and who have returned to
25 Alaska [THE TERRITORY] within a reasonable length of time
26 after discharge or separation as residents with the intention
27 of remaining in Alaska [THE TERRITORY.] ; or who, not being
28 bona fide residents of the Territory prior to their entry
29 into the service, have lived in Alaska for at least 10 years

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following their release from active military service.

Sec. 2. Subsec. (3), Sec. 1, Ch. 139, SLA 1953 as amended by Ch. 19, SLA 1955 is amended to read as follows:

(3) No person, unless he has lived in Alaska for at least 10 years following his release from active military service, shall be eligible to receive any of the benefits of Chapter 139, Session Laws of Alaska, 1953, who is eligible for veterans benefits under the laws of any State or other Territory. Any World War II veteran who has received a bonus under the provision of Sections 44-2-11 to 44-2-14, inclusive, ACLA 1949, as amended by Chapter 87, Session Laws of Alaska 1949, and Chapter 83, Session Laws of Alaska 1951, need not repay said bonus in order to qualify under the loan provisions of Chapter 139, Session Laws of Alaska 1953.