

1 IN THE SENATE

BY SENATOR BRONSON

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SENATE BILL NO. 168

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FIRST LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act permitting political subdivisions  
7 discretion in the amount of time that dogs  
8 shall be impounded; amending Sec. 1, Ch. 78,  
9 SLA 1959; and providing for an effective  
10 date."

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

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Section 1. Sec. 1, Ch. 78, SLA 1959 is amended to read as

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follows:

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Sec. 1. Any dog running at large and threatening the  
15 peace, persons, or property in any incorporated political  
16 subdivision of the state, or within ten miles of the boun-  
17 daries thereof, may be impounded [FOR A PERIOD OF TEN DAYS].  
18 If [WITHIN SUCH PERIOD] the owner of the impounded dog fails  
19 to claim the animal and pay costs of catching and impounding  
20 as fixed by such political subdivision, the dog shall be  
21 destroyed or may be sold to pay such costs.

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Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage

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and approval or upon the day it becomes law without such approval.

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