

Introduced: 4/3/63
Referred: Rules

1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE
2 HOUSE BILL NO. 233
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION
5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to requirements for admis-
7 sion to the Alaska Bar; and providing for
8 an effective date."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 08.08.140 is amended to read:

11 Sec. 08.08.140. OUT-OF-STATE ATTORNEYS. An attorney in
12 good standing in the bar of another state or territory or the
13 District of Columbia which admits members of the Alaska Bar
14 to the practice of law shall be admitted without examination
15 and otherwise upon substantially the same terms and condi-
16 tions as are fixed in the jurisdiction from which he has come
17 for the admission of attorneys from this state. As a pre-
18 requisite to admission to the Alaska Bar the board shall
19 require an attorney to take and pass an examination, unless
20 the applicant [HAS] (1) has passed a state bar examination,
21 (2) has engaged in the active practice of law for at least
22 five out of the previous six years before filing the applica-
23 tion, excluding time spent in the military service of the
24 United States, (3) is a graduate of a law school accredited
25 by the American Bar Association, or is a graduate of any law
26 school if he received his degree before 1950 and began his
27 legal studies before 1940, or has been engaged in the active
28 practice of the law for at least 10 years, and (4) meets the
29 character requirements established by the board.

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* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.