

1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE RESOURCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 278

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 THIRD LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to salmon vessel and gear  
7 licenses; and providing for an effective  
8 date."

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

10 \* Section 1. AS 16.05 is amended by adding new sections to  
11 read:

12 Sec. 16.05.492 LIMITATION ON LICENSES. The Department  
13 of Revenue shall not issue a greater number of salmon vessel  
14 and gear licenses of each type for each area than the greatest  
15 number of salmon vessel and gear licenses of each type out-  
16 standing in each area at any one time during 1963.

17 Sec. 16.05.494 ISSUANCE OF LICENSES. Salmon vessel  
18 and gear licenses shall be issued to applicants in each  
19 general licensing division of the state on a first-come first-  
20 served basis.

21 Sec. 16.05.496. APPEARANCE IN PERSON REQUIRED. A  
22 person may obtain a salmon vessel and gear license only by  
23 applying in person for the license before a licensing agent  
24 in the general licensing division in which is contained the  
25 fishing area for which the vessel and gear license is to be  
26 issued.

27 Sec. 16.05.498. GENERAL LICENSING DIVISIONS. For the  
28 purposes of secs. 494 and 496 of this chapter, the following  
29 general licensing divisions of the state are established:

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(1) the southeastern licensing division, which includes all waters east of 141° W. Longitude;

(2) the central licensing division, which includes all waters between 141° West Longitude and 149° West Longitude;

(3) the western licensing division, which includes all waters west of 149° West Longitude.

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