

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY MR. JOSEPHSON

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 46

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to nonresident as executors,  
7 and providing for an effective date."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 13.20.020 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 13.20.020. NONRESIDENTS AND MINORS AS EXECUTORS.

11 If a natural person is named in a will as executor who is a  
12 nonresident of the state or a minor under 19 years of age,  
13 upon the removal of the disability he is entitled to qualify  
14 as the executor, if he applies within 30 days from the re-  
15 moval of the disability, if he is otherwise competent. If in  
16 the meantime the administrator with the will annexed has been  
17 appointed, his powers and duties cease with the qualification  
18 of the executor. If another executor has qualified and is  
19 acting as such they become joint executors. However, a  
20 natural person named as executor who is a resident at the  
21 time of his appointment but becomes a nonresident, or a  
22 natural person who is a nonresident at the time of his  
23 appointment as an executor and does not become a resident  
24 may qualify to serve or to continue to serve as executor by  
25 filing a bond to be approved by the judge and, in addition,  
26 the executor shall appoint a lawyer who practices law in  
27 the judicial district in which the estate is being probated  
28 upon whom service of all papers may be made. The appoint-  
29 ment shall be in writing and shall be filed in the court

1 with all other papers of the estate.

2 \* Sec. 2. This Act does not apply to or affect executors  
3 authorized to act by a will, codicil, or court of this state  
4 before the effective date of this Act.

5 \* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage  
6 and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.

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