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1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE BILL NO. 364

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the election of officials of  
7 political parties."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 15.25 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 15.25.136. POLITICAL PARTIES; ELECTION OF OFFICIALS. (a)

11 A state chairman, national committeeman and national committeewoman, for  
12 each political party, shall be elected at large in the state at the  
13 primary election in years when the President of the United States is  
14 to be elected. Four judicial district chairmen shall be elected at the  
15 primary election in years when the President of the United States is  
16 not to be elected.

17 (b) The delegates to a national party convention shall be elected  
18 at the primary election in years when the President of the United States  
19 is to be elected. Each candidate for the position of delegate shall,  
20 upon filing for office, file a statement of his preference of the  
21 Presidential candidates or, if he has no preference, a statement of  
22 that fact.

23 (c) To qualify for each of the party offices set out in (a) and  
24 (b) of this section, a person shall possess the qualifications required  
25 of a member of the state house of representatives.

26 (d) No person may be given a ballot for voting for the party  
27 officials specified in (a) and (b) of this section unless he has declared  
28 his party preference; the ballot he is given shall be only for officials  
29 of that party.

1 \* Sec. 2. Upon the effective date of this Act, the positions specified  
2 in AS 15.25.136(a) for existing parties in this state are declared vacant.  
3 The governor shall appoint persons to fill the vacancies in his party, for  
4 terms to last until the elections specified in AS 15.25.136(a). Vacancies  
5 in parties other than the governor's party shall be filled by party election,  
6 for terms to last until the elections specified in AS 15.25.135(a).

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