

Introduced: 1/28/70  
Referred: Judiciary

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY  
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 548

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to bad check penalties; and  
7 providing for an effective date."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 43.10 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 43.10.015. BAD CHECKS. If a check or money order is  
11 presented to the department in payment of any amount due, and is not  
12 paid when presented to the payor, there shall be paid as a penalty by  
13 the person who tendered such check or money order, upon notice and  
14 demand by the commissioner or his delegate, the sum of \$10 or an amount  
15 equal to one per cent of the amount of the check or money order,  
16 whichever is greater. This penalty is in addition to other penalties  
17 provided by law and is applicable each time the check or money order  
18 is presented to the department or the department is requested by the  
19 person tendering the check or money order to present it to the payor.  
20 This section does not apply if the person tendered the check in good  
21 faith and with reasonable cause to believe that it would be duly paid.  
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