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2 HCS SENATE BILL NO. 164 *am am/H*
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to filings for state office."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 15.25.030 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

9 Sec. 15.25.030. DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY. A member of a political
10 party who seeks to become a candidate of the party in the primary elec-
11 tion shall execute and file a declaration of candidacy. The declaration
12 shall be executed under oath before an officer authorized to take
13 acknowledgments and shall state in substance:

14 (1) the full name of the candidate;

15 (2) the full mailing address of the candidate;

16 (3) if the candidacy is for the office of state senator or
17 state representative, the election or senate district of which the
18 candidate is a resident;

19 (4) the office for which the candidate seeks nomination;

20 (5) the name of the political party of which he is a candi-
21 date for nomination;

22 (6) the full resident address of the candidate;

23 (7) the date of the primary election at which the candidate
24 declares himself to be a candidate;

25 (8) that the candidate will meet the specific residency re-
26 quirements of the office for which he is a candidate;

27 (9) that the candidate will meet the specific citizenship
28 requirements of the office for which he is a candidate;

29 (10) that the candidate is a qualified voter as required by

1 law;

2 (11) that the candidate will meet the specific age require-
3 ments of the office for which he is a candidate;

4 (12) that the candidate if nominated and elected will support
5 the principles of the party he seeks to represent;

6 (13) that the candidate requests that his name be placed on
7 the primary election ballot;

8 (14) that the required fee accompanies the declaration;

9 (15) that he is not a candidate for any other office, ex-
10 cluding a congressional office, to be voted on at the primary election;
11 and

12 (16) the manner in which he wishes his name to appear on the
13 ballot.

14 * Sec. 2. AS 15.25.040(a) is amended to read:

15 (a) The declaration is filed by either

16 (1) the actual physical delivery of the declaration in person
17 or by mail at or before 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, June 1 of the year
18 in which a general election is held for the office, or

19 (2) the actual physical delivery by telegram of a copy in
20 substance of the statements made in items (1) through (5) of the de-
21 claration as required by AS 15.25.030 at or before 5:00 p.m., prevailing
22 time, June 1 of the year in which a general election is held for the
23 office and also the actual physical delivery of the declaration con-
24 taining items (1) through (16) as required by AS 15.25.030 by registered
25 mail which is [POSTMARKED AT OR BEFORE 5:00 P.M., PREVAILING TIME,
26 JUNE 1 OF THE YEAR IN WHICH A GENERAL ELECTION IS HELD FOR THE OFFICE
27 AND] received not more than 15 days after that time.

28 * Sec. 3. AS 15.25 is amended by adding a new section to read:

29 Sec. 15.25.043. CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENT. (a) A candidate

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shall file a conflict of interest statement required by AS 39.50 at the same time that the declaration of candidacy is filed. If a candidate files his declaration of candidacy under sec. 40(a)(2) of this chapter, the conflict of interest statement is due at the time the complete declaration is filed. Individuals who become candidates by filing nominating petitions or who become candidates by any other means shall file their conflict of interest statements within 15 days of that time.

* Sec. 4. AS 15.13.060(c) is amended to read:

(c) Each candidate shall file the name and address of the campaign treasurer with the commission no later than June 15 [SEVEN DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF FILING HIS DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY OR HIS NOMINATING PETITION. THE NAME OF THE CANDIDATE MAY BE PLACED ON THE BALLOT BY THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OR MUNICIPAL CLERK ONLY IF THE CANDIDATE HAS COMPLIED WITH THIS SUBSECTION.]

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