

Original sponsor: Resources Committee

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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE COMMERCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 917

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to foreign trade zones; and providing  
7 for an effective date."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 45 is amended by adding a new chapter to read:

10 CHAPTER 77. FOREIGN TRADE ZONES.

11 Sec. 45.77.010. APPLICATION FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF FOREIGN TRADE  
12 ZONE. (a) Each of the following may apply to the United States Depart-  
13 ment of Commerce to establish, operate, and maintain foreign trade zones  
14 as provided in the Foreign Trade Zones Act (19 U.S.C. 81a - 19 U.S.C.  
15 81u):

16 (1) the commissioner of commerce and economic development, if  
17 the foreign trade zone is to be established, operated and maintained by  
18 the state;

19 (2) the mayor of a municipality, if the foreign trade zone is  
20 to be established, operated and maintained by the municipality;

21 (3) those officers of a corporation who may be authorized by  
22 law or by the bylaws of the corporation, if they apply in a manner  
23 consistent with the articles of incorporation of the corporation.

24 \* Sec. 2. AS 29.53.020(a) is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

25 (7) property located within a foreign trade zone established  
26 under AS 45.77.010, except the property may be taxed under this chapter  
27 after the property is cleared by the United States Customs Service and  
28 admitted into domestic commerce.

29 \* Sec. 3. This Act takes effect July 1, 1980.