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1 IN THE SENATE

2 SENATE BILL NO. 182

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to compensation of public officers and  
7 employees; and providing for an effective date."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 16.43.060 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 16.43.060. COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF THE ALASKA COMMERCIAL  
11 FISHERIES ENTRY COMMISSION. Members of the commission are in the exempt  
12 service and shall receive an annual salary equal to that of a district  
13 court judge [AS ESTABLISHED UNDER AS 39.23].

14 \* Sec. 2. AS 22.05.140(a) is amended to read:

15 (a) The annual salary for the chief justice and each associate  
16 justice is 20 per cent above Step E, Range 24 of the salary schedule  
17 established in AS 39.27.011 for Anchorage, Alaska. The compensation is  
18 payable monthly in 12 equal installments [THE CHIEF JUSTICE AND EACH  
19 ASSOCIATE JUSTICE ARE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE ANNUAL COMPENSATION PRESCRIBED  
20 IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 39.23]. Compensation of the chief justice or of  
21 an associate justice may not be diminished during his term of office,  
22 unless by general law applying to all salaried officers of the state.

23 \* Sec. 3. AS 22.10.190(a) is amended to read:

24 (a) The annual salary for each superior court judge is 10 per cent  
25 above Step E, Range 24 of the salary schedule established in AS 39.27.-  
26 011 for Anchorage, Alaska. The compensation is payable monthly in 12  
27 equal installments [EACH SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE IS ENTITLED TO RECEIVE  
28 ANNUAL COMPENSATION PRESCRIBED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 39.23]. The com-  
29 pensation of a judge may not be diminished during his term of office,

1 unless by general law applying to all salaried officers of the state.

2 \* Sec. 4. AS 22.15.220(a) is amended to read:

3 (a) The annual salary for each district judge is 93 per cent of  
4 Step E, Range 24 of the salary schedule established in AS 39.27.011 for  
5 Anchorage, Alaska. The compensation is payable monthly in 12 equal  
6 installments [EACH DISTRICT JUDGE IS ENTITLED TO RECEIVE ANNUAL COMPEN-  
7 SATION PRESCRIBED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 39.23]. The compensation of a  
8 judge may not be diminished during his term of office, unless by general  
9 law applying to all salaried officers of the state.

10 \* Sec. 5. AS 24.15.010 is repealed and re-enacted to read:

11 Sec. 24.15.010. LEGISLATIVE PER DIEM. For each day of the legis-  
12 lative session and for each day on official legislative business between  
13 sessions, legislators (1) on travel status and away from home overnight  
14 shall be allowed, instead of their actual expenses for subsistence, a  
15 per diem allowance of \$48 for each day; (2) not away from home overnight  
16 shall receive an allowance of \$35 for each day. The per diem allowance  
17 is also payable for each day of necessary travel.

18 \* Sec. 6. AS 24.15.020 is amended to read:

19 Sec. 24.15.020. ANNUAL LEGISLATIVE SALARIES. The annual salary  
20 for each member of the legislature is 33 1/3 per cent of Step E, Range  
21 24 of the salary schedule established in AS 39.27.011 for Anchorage,  
22 Alaska [EACH MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATURE IS ENTITLED TO RECEIVE ANNUAL  
23 COMPENSATION PRESCRIBED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 39.23 TO BE PAID IN  
24 APPROXIMATELY EQUAL MONTHLY INSTALLMENTS]. The president of the senate  
25 and speaker of the house of representatives are each entitled to an  
26 additional \$500 a year during tenure of office [ANNUAL SUM PRESCRIBED IN  
27 ACCORDANCE WITH AS 39.23].

28 \* Sec. 7. AS 24.15.030 is amended to read:

29 Sec. 24.15.030. ADDITIONAL ALLOWANCES. In addition, each member

1 of the legislature is entitled to an annual allowance of \$4,000 [PRE-  
2 SCRIBED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 39.23] for postage, stationery, steno-  
3 graphic services and other expenses.

4 \* Sec. 8. AS 39.20.010 is amended to read:

5 Sec. 39.20.010. ANNUAL SALARY OF GOVERNOR. The annual salary of  
6 the governor is \$50,000 [SHALL BE PRESCRIBED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS  
7 39.23].

8 \* Sec. 9. AS 39.20.030 is amended to read:

9 Sec. 39.20.030. ANNUAL SALARY OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. The annual  
10 salary of the lieutenant governor is \$44,000 [SHALL BE PRESCRIBED IN  
11 ACCORDANCE WITH AS 39.23].

12 \* Sec. 10. AS 39.20.080 is amended to read:

13 Sec. 39.20.080. SALARY OF EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT HEAD AND DEPUTY.

14 (a) The annual salary of the head of each principal executive depart-  
15 ment of the state upon appointment and confirmation is 10 per cent above  
16 Step E, Range 24 of the salary schedule established in AS 39.27.011 for  
17 Anchorage, Alaska. The compensation is payable monthly in 12 equal  
18 installments [SHALL BE PRESCRIBED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 39.23].

19 (b) The salary of the deputy head of each principal executive  
20 department of the state upon his appointment is not less than Step A,  
21 Range 24, nor shall it exceed Step E, Range 24, of the salary schedule  
22 set out in AS 39.27.011. AS 39.27.022 may not be applied to the salary  
23 of a deputy department head in such a way that his salary would equal  
24 or exceed that of a department head [SHALL BE PRESCRIBED IN ACCORDANCE  
25 WITH AS 39.23].

26 \* Sec. 11. AS 42.05.091 is amended to read:

27 Sec. 42.05.091. COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF THE ALASKA PUBLIC  
28 UTILITIES COMMISSION. Members of the commission are in the exempt ser-  
29 vice and shall receive an annual salary equal to that of a district

1 court judge to be paid in equal monthly installments [AS ESTABLISHED  
2 UNDER AS 39.23].

3 \* Sec. 12. AS 42.06.090 is amended to read:

4 Sec. 42.06.090. COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF THE ALASKA PIPELINE  
5 COMMISSION. Members of the commission are in the exempt service de-  
6 scribed in AS 39.25 and receive an annual salary equal to that of a dis-  
7 trict court judge to be paid in equal monthly installments [AS ESTAB-  
8 LISHED UNDER AS 39.23].

9 \* Sec. 13. AS 39.23.010 - 39.23.130 and AS 39.50.200(LL) are repealed.

10 \* Sec. 14. This Act takes effect July 1, 1979.  
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