

Introduced: 3/23/89
Referred: Health, Education &
Social Services and Finance

6-0982A

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2

HOUSE BILL NO. 246

3

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4

SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5

A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act increasing the tax on alcoholic beverages."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 43.60.010(a) is amended to read:

9 (a) Every brewer, distiller, bottler, jobber, retailer, whole-
10 saler, or manufacturer who sells alcoholic beverages in the state or
11 who consigns shipments of alcoholic beverages into the state, whether
12 or not the alcoholic beverages are brewed, distilled, bottled, or
13 manufactured in the state, shall pay on all malt beverages within an
14 [() alcoholic content of one percent or more by volume ()], wines, and
15 hard or distilled alcoholic beverages, the following taxes:

16 (1) malt beverages at the rate of \$.75 [35 CENTS] a gallon
17 or fraction of a gallon;

18 (2) wine or other beverages of 21 percent alcohol by volume
19 or less, at the rate of \$2.34 [85 CENTS] a gallon or fraction of a
20 gallon; and

21 (3) other beverages having a content of more than 21 per-
22 cent alcohol by volume at the rate of \$7.20 [\$5.60] a gallon.