

HOUSE BILL NO. 257

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Referred: State Affairs, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to a medallion commemorating the 50th anniversary of the construction
2 of the Alaska-Canada Highway; and providing for an effective date."

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 * **Section 1. ALASKA-CANADA HIGHWAY COMMEMORATIVE MEDALLION.** (a) The
5 department shall negotiate an agreement with the Yukon Territory under which Alaska and the Yukon
6 Territory would arrange for the minting and sale of medallions commemorating the 50th anniversary of
7 the construction of the Alaska-Canada Highway.

8 (b) One side of the medallion shall bear an appropriate design chosen by the department in a
9 contest among artists who are Alaska residents. The department may pay the winning artist up to \$1,000
10 for the design.

11 (c) The other side of the medallion shall be determined by the government of the Yukon
12 Territory under applicable Yukon law.

13 (d) The medallions shall be minted from .999 fine gold and silver from Alaska and the Yukon
14 Territory in weights agreed upon by the department and the government of the Yukon Territory.

1 (e) The department and the Yukon Territory shall make the medallions available for sale.
2 Royalties from medallion sales shall be split equally between the governments, regardless of where, and
3 by whom, the medallions are sold. The department and the Yukon government shall determine the
4 royalty in the agreement reached under (a) of this section.

5 (f) In this section, "department" means the Department of Military and Veterans' Affairs.

6 * Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).