

HOUSE BILL NO. 120
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Introduced: 2/3/93
Referred: Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act changing the date by which jury lists must be prepared; requiring the
2 use of the list of the current year's permanent fund dividend applicants in
3 preparing the jury list; and changing the date by which state departments must
4 submit certain lists to the Alaska Court System."

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

6 * **Section 1.** AS 09.20.050(a) is amended to read:

7 (a) At such times as need may require, but not later than November 30
8 [MARCH 15] of each year, the administrative director of courts shall prepare for each
9 judicial district a list of the names of the residents of the district who are qualified by
10 law for jury service. If the superior court is located in different cities in the same
11 judicial district, the administrative director shall prepare for each location of the court
12 a list of the names of the qualified residents of that portion of the district considered
13 to be appropriate.

14 * **Sec. 2.** AS 09.20.050(b) is amended to read:

1 (b) The jury list shall be based on a list prepared by the Department of
2 Revenue of all persons who filed an application for a distribution of Alaska permanent
3 fund income under AS 43.23 during the current [PRECEDING] calendar year that
4 shows an Alaskan address, and of all persons who volunteer for jury duty under (d)
5 of this section. If considered necessary by the administrative director of the Alaska
6 Court System, the jury list shall incorporate a list prepared by the Department of
7 Public Safety of all persons who hold a valid Alaska driver's license. The departments
8 shall submit their respective lists to the Alaska Court System not later than
9 September 30 [JANUARY 15] of each year. To the extent that it is available, the
10 departments shall include on the lists they submit the following information for each
11 person: first name, middle initial, and last name; mailing address, including the zip
12 code; and birth date. The lists shall be recorded on magnetic tape compatible with
13 Alaska Court System data processing equipment.