

HB

308

SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT

FURTHER

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Mr. President:

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voter registration

and recommended

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[] or adopt _____ CS _____) [] new title

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[] individual recommendations

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[] letter of intent adopted _____

Committee [] attached or [] adopted fiscal note(s)
[] new [] updated or [] previous
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OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Chairman signature and recommendation

[] Committee Backup attached

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1/14/88

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Rich Kelly (Do Pass)

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Do Not Pass

Don Mitchell
Chairman signature and recommendation

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Offered: 5/14/87
Referred: Rules

5-1196B

Original sponsor: Boucher and
Gruenberg

1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 308 (State Affairs) am
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
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22 division of elections. The department shall prominently display
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STATE OF ALASKA
1988 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL VERSION: CSHB 308(SA)
PUBLISH DATE: HOUSE 1/13/88

FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST:

Revision Date: _____
 Title: An Act relating to voter registration.
 Sponsor: Boucher
 Requestor: Boucher
 Agency Affected: Elections
 BRU: Elections
 Components: I

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

| OPERATING | FY 88 | FY 89 | FY 90 | FY 91 | FY 92 | FY 93 |
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| PERSONAL SERVICES | | | | | | |
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| LAND & STRUCTURES | | | | | | |
| GRANTS, CLAIMS | | | | | | |
| MISCELLANEOUS | | | | | | |
| TOTAL OPERATING | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- |

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FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

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| GENERAL FUND | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- |
| FEDERAL FUNDS | | | | | | |
| OTHER | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- |

POSITIONS:

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ANALYSIS : (Attach a separate page if necessary)

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Prepared by: Linda Edgeworth Phone: 465-4611
 Division: Elections Date: 1/8/88

Approved by Commissioner: *Sandra Stewart* Date: 1/8/88
 Agency: Division of Elections

- Distribution (by preparer):
 Legislative Finance
 Legislative Sponsor
 Requestor
 Office of Management and Budget
 Impacted Agency(ies)

ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

15th Legislature SECOND
FIRST Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 308
By BOUHER, GRUENBERG

"An Act relating to voters' registration."

CSHB 308(SA) BY STATE AFFAIRS

Offered: 5/14/87
Referred: Rules

TITLE: Same

Introduced in the House .. 5/8/1987...

HISTORY IN THE HOUSE

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| 19 ⁸⁷ | Read first time and referred to Committee on STATE AFFAIRS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May 8 | Reported back with recommendation that | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May 14 | <i>state affair - CS/SA - bdp, MR. To Rules</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1988 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jan 13 | Read second time and <i>amended to do</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1 1 1 | <p>Reported correctly engrossed Signed by Speaker Sent to Senate</p> <p><i>Gene Pasten</i></p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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HISTORY IN THE SENATE

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| 1 14 | Reported back with recommendation that | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 15 | <i>SA 2 do pass, 1 NO vote, House question to fin</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | SECRETARY OF THE SENATE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

HISTORY IN THE HOUSE

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| 19 | Received from Senate |
| | Concurred in Senate amendment thus adopting: VOTE |
| | Failed to concur in Senate amendment; asked Senate to recede VOTE |
| | Senate receded from amendment VOTE |
| | Senate failed to recede from amendment VOTE |
| | CC appointed by House |
| | CC appointed by Senate |
| | CC adopted by House VOTE |
| | CC adopted by Senate VOTE |
| | To enrolling Reported correctly enrolled Sent to Governor |
| | by Governor |
| | Filed with Lt. Governor |
| | Chapter No. |

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Finance—Subcommittee Administration

Representative H. A. "Red" Boucher

TO: STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

FROM: H.A. "RED" BOUCHER

DATE: MAY 13, 1987

RE: HB 308 AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION

The major feature of the "motor voter" bill is to provide additional means for people to register to vote, update their existing registration, or cancel a registration in another state -- while they are applying for a driver's license. Motor Voter legislation has been adopted in Arizona (1983), Colorado (1985) and Michigan (1975) with an increase of 16% to the registered rolls.

The procedure for registering would not consume much time (less than 2% in Arizona) or place an excessive burden on Department of Motor Vehicle (DMV) personnel. Both Division of Elections and DMV require the same information. DMV personnel would post signs, help with the forms, and forward the forms to the Division of Elections for verification.

Currently in Alaska, voter registration forms are available in some DMV offices, but not in Anchorage or Fairbanks. Where the forms are available, DMV does not assist in filling out the forms nor does it forward the forms to Division of Elections. Approximately 60% of Alaskans are registered to vote, although Division of Elections has no firm numbers on this.

BILL NO: CSHB 208 (SA) am

DATE: 3/2/88

TITLE: "An Act relating to voter registration."

CONTACT: Jay N. Dulany
269-5551

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC SAFETY

RECEIVED
MARCH 2 1988

This bill requires the Division of Motor Vehicles (DMV) to offer voter registration to persons applying for a driver's license, identification card issued under AS 18.65.310, or vehicle registration under AS 28.10.

The Division currently registers voters in all field offices but Anchorage without regard to the person's intent to utilize other DMV services. The only possible drawback to the imposition of voter registration in the Anchorage field office may be longer waiting periods for the public, due to the large volume of regular motor vehicle transactions handled daily by that office.

The Department supports this bill.



Arthur English
Commissioner

FISCAL NOTE

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 Requestor: Senate State Affairs

Agency Affected: Public Safety
 BRU: Motor Vehicles
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| TOTAL OPERATING | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- | -0- |

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ANALYSIS : (Attach a separate page if necessary)

No fiscal impact.

Prepared by: Bill Brown Phone: 465-4335
 Division: Motor Vehicles Date: 1-13-88

Approved by Commissioner: David G. Anderson, Dep. Comm. Date: 1-28-88
 Agency: Public Safety

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COMMENTS IN SUPPORT OF SB-308

Prepared by
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March 3, 1988

The Division of Elections has reviewed Senate Bill 308 and supports its provisions. It should be pointed out that for many years, the Division has enjoyed a cooperative association with the Department of Public Safety through which, most motor vehicle registration outlets already provide voter registration services.

Among the most active outlets are Juneau, Haines, Sitka, Ketchikan, Kodiak, Nome, Fairbanks, Tok and Anchorage. The Nome Election Supervisor has also contacted Barrow, Bethel and Kotzebue to encourage their participation, and the Anchorage motor vehicle office has requested a re-training session which is expected to take place in the near future.

In general, the Division has received positive support from the motor vehicle offices currently providing voter registration services.

Sherry Valentine
Sherry Valentine
Deputy Director

3/4/88
Date