

forcement of this act outside of incorporated towns shall be paid, upon approval by the district judge, from funds derived from fines and forfeitures in the Territory of Alaska.

Sec. 16. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved, April 28, 1913.

CHAPTER 43.

(H. B. NO. 13.)

AN ACT to provide for the registration of persons employed to advocate or oppose legislative measures, and to regulate the method of such advocacy or opposition.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska :

Section 1. Whoever, being a person, firm, corporation or association, employs any person to act as counsel or agent to promote, advocate or oppose, in any manner, the passage or defeat by the Legislature, or either house thereof, of any bill, resolution or legislative measure, or the executive approval or veto thereof, or to act in any manner as legislative counsel or agent in connection with any legislation, shall furnish to the secretary of the Territory the name of the person so employed, or agreed to be employed, for the purpose of having the same entered upon the appropriate legislative docket, as hereinafter provided. The person so employed shall also furnish his name for like purpose to the secretary of the Territory and such employer and the person so employed shall, at the same time, furnish the additional information hereinafter required to be entered in such dockets.

Person employed to promote, advocate or oppose legislation to register

Records of legislative counsel and agents to be kept in Secretary's office

Sec. 2. The secretary of the territory shall provide and keep in his office two legislative dockets, in conformity with the provisions of this act, one of which shall be known as the docket of legislative counsel before committees, and the other as the docket of legislative agents. There shall be entered in the docket of legislative counsel the names of counsel or persons employed to appear before committees of the legislature for the purpose of making arguments or examining witnesses, and also the names of regular legal counsel, who, except as hereinafter provided, act or advise with respect to particular legislation. In the docket of legislative agents there shall be entered the names of all agents employed for any purpose in connection with any legislation.

What dockets shall show

Sec. 3. There shall be entered in such dockets the name and business address of such employer, the name residence and occupation of the person employed, the date of the employment or agreement therefor and the special subject or matter of legislation to which the employment relates.

Public records

Sec. 4. Such dockets shall be public records and open to the inspection of any citizen upon demand, during the regular business hours of the secretary of the Territory.

Information regarding each measure

Sec. 5. Such employer and the counsel or agent employed, whenever further subject of legislation arises, which such counsel or agent is to promote, advocate, or oppose, shall furnish to the secretary of the Territory, for entry in such dockets, such additional information with respect thereto, so that the dockets may show each legislative measure to which the employment relates, which entries shall be made opposite the names of the proper persons.

No person to act as counsel unless registered

Sec. 6. No person shall appear as counsel before any committee of the legislature, or of either house thereof, or act as agent with respect to any legislation, unless his name appears upon the legislative docket as having been employed as counsel or agent with respect thereto.

Sec. 7. No person shall be employed as legislative counsel or agent for a compensation dependent in any manner upon the passage or defeat, or executive approval or veto, of any proposed legislation or upon any other contingency whatever in connection therewith.

Compensation must not be contingent

Sec. 8. Within thirty days after the final adjournment of any session of the legislature, every person, firm, corporation or association that has employed any legislative counsel or agent, as herein provided, or has paid or expended or promised to pay or expend any money or other thing of value in relation to any legislation pending at such session, shall file with the secretary of the territory an itemized statement, verified by the oath of such person, or, if a firm, by a member thereof, or, if a corporation by an officer thereof, showing in detail, all expenses paid, incurred or promised, directly or indirectly, in connection with any legislation pending during such previous session, with the names of the payees and the amount (paid) to each, including all disbursements paid, incurred or promised to counsel or agents, and also specifying the nature of the legislation and the interest of the person, firm, corporation or association therein. Every person who receives, either individually, or as officer, agent, employee, or counsel, any money or other thing of value to be expended or used by him in relation to any legislation pending at any session of the legislature, shall within thirty days after the final adjournment of such session of the legislature file with the secretary of the Territory an itemized statement, verified by the oath of such person, showing in detail all the money or other thing of value so received or expended by him, and all liabilities directly or indirectly incurred by him in such legislation. Such statement shall contain the full name and address of the person or committee or association or corporation to whom any money or thing of value was paid or promised, whether directly or indirectly, the purpose for which, the place where, and the date when, each

Statement of compensation paid and received to be filed

item of money or other thing of value was paid or promised by such person, and the balance in the hands of such accounting person, and the disposition to be made thereof.

Drafting of bills, etc., not included

Sec. 9. The provisions of this act shall not be construed as affecting professional services in the drafting of bills or in advising clients and in rendering opinions as to the construction and effect of proposed or pending legislation, where such professional services are not otherwise connected with legislative action, nor shall this act be construed to prevent members of the legislature from advising with their constituents as to the advisability of passing legislation then pending before the legislature. Nor shall the provisions hereof requiring docket entries apply to duly accredited counsel or agents of municipal corporations, public boards, or institutions.

Who excepted

Penalty

Sec. 10. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act, whether acting individually, or as an officer, agent, employee or counsel of a firm or association or corporation, and any person, whether acting individually or as an officer, agent, employee or counsel of a firm or association or corporation shall cause or participate in any violation of the provisions of this act, shall, for each offense, upon conviction, be fined not less than two hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars or be imprisoned in the federal jail for a term of not more than one year.

Any association or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall for each offense be fined not less than two hundred dollars nor more than five thousand dollars.

Failure to comply with provisions

Sec. 11. Any person employed as counsel or legislative agent, who fails to comply with any provisions of this act, or who acts as counsel or legislative agent without having complied with the provisions hereof, shall be fined not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, and shall be debarred from acting

in such capacity for the period of three years from the date of conviction. Provided, however, that either house of the legislature of Alaska, by resolution, or both houses of the legislature by joint resolution duly passed, may invite any person to appear before the legislature, or either branch thereof for the purpose of addressing it with reference to any matter therein pending before it; and any duly appointed committee of either branch of the legislature may, upon the concurrence of the majority of such committee, extend a written invitation to any person to appear before such committee for the purpose of giving information in regard to, or explaining any matter therein pending before such committee, and the provisions of this act shall not apply to a person who appears before the legislature or either house thereof, or any duly appointed committee thereof, in response to such invitation.

Does not apply to persons appearing by invitation

Sec. 12. It shall be the duty of the district attorney to prosecute all violations of this act.

District Attorney to prosecute

Sec. 13. The secretary of the Territory shall charge and collect for each entry made, as herein provided, in the legislative docket kept by him, and be entitled to receive from the employer, counsel, or agent, as the case may be, furnishing the facts or statements upon which such entry is based the sum of five dollars; said sum to be retained and kept by the Secretary of the Territory in the fund known as "the District Historical Library Fund." The Secretary of the Territory shall not file any such statement or make any such entries unless the fee herein described has been paid. Upon payment of said fee, the secretary of the Territory shall deliver to the person paying the same a receipt, in the form of a certificate, certifying the date of such payment, the fact that the name of the person making said payment, if such person is a legislative counsel or agent, or the name of the person designated by the person, firm, or association making such

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payment, if such payment is made by an employer, appears upon the legislative docket as having been employed as legislative counsel or agent; such certificate shall also specify the subject of legislation which such counsel or agent is to promote, advocate or oppose, and whenever a further subject of legislation arises which such counsel or agent is to promote, advocate or oppose the person holding such certificate, shall, before appearing as counsel before any committee of the legislature or of either house thereof, or acting as agent with respect to any legislation, produce such certificate to the secretary of the territory and have endorsed thereon by the secretary of the territory the fact that he is employed as counsel or agent to promote, advocate or oppose such other or further legislation. Each certificate issued by the secretary of the territory, as herein specified, shall be valid for the period of two years from the date thereof, and shall be prima facie evidence that the person named therein has complied with this act.

Approved, April 28, 1913.

CHAPTER 44.

(H. B. No. 4.)

AN ACT to provide for the compulsory education of the children of Alaska and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Persons subject
to law

Section 1. That every parent, guardian, or other person having possession or control of any white child or child of mixed blood living a civilized life in the Territory of Alaska, between the ages of eight and sixteen