

CHAPTER 6.

(S. B. NO. 51.)

AN ACT relating to the filing, publication and citation of laws of the Territory, and declaring an emergency.

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

Copy to be filed
with Secretary

Section 1. Whenever any bill shall have passed both houses, the house transmitting the enrolled bill to the Governor shall also file with the Secretary of the Territory of Alaska an accurate copy of such enrolled bill, together with the history of such bill, endorsed thereon, up to the time of transmission to the Governor.

Bills to be
numbered

Sec. 2. Whenever any bill shall become a law, the Secretary of the Territory of Alaska shall number such bill in the order in which it became a law, commencing with each session of the Legislature. Such number shall be in Arabic numerals, and shall be the chapter number of the act when published. A citation to the chapter number and year of the Session Laws published shall be a sufficient reference to the act so designated.

Printing of
temporary
copies

Sec. 3. The Secretary of the Territory shall cause to be printed for temporary use, two hundred copies of each act filed in his office within ten days after the filing thereof, and in the order of its chapter number. The style and size of type, line and number of lines to the page shall be same as shall be used in the permanent volume of the Session Laws of such session.

Copies furnish-
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Sec. 4. The Secretary of the Territory shall furnish one copy of each act as published to each member of the Legislature at which such law was enacted, to the Governor of the Territory of Alaska, and each of the District Judges, United States Marshals and United States District Attorneys of the four judicial divisions of the Territory of Alaska; five copies to each clerk of court of the judicial divisions; fifty copies to the Territorial Library, and such further distribution as may be necessary.

Sec. 5. When all the acts of any session have been published in temporary form, the Secretary of the Territory of Alaska shall employ some person who shall be an attorney-at-law to make the proper headings and index of such acts or laws, and shall, within ninety days after the close of each session of the Legislature, have published and properly bound at least five hundred copies of such acts, with such headings and indices, and such other matter as may be deemed essential, including a title page, showing the session at which such acts were passed, the date of convening and adjourning of such session, and all memorials, resolutions and any other matter deemed proper. When published as above provided, the Secretary of the Territory of Alaska, shall distribute the same to the persons and place as designated in Section 4 of this act, the surplus copies to be sold at fifteen per cent above the cost thereof; and in determining such cost no account shall be made of the material and press work of the advance sheets or temporary publication of the Session Laws.

Permanent
publication

Sec. 6. It shall be unlawful for any person to print and publish for sale the Session Laws of any session in book form within two years after the adjournment of such session, other than those ordered printed by the Secretary of the Territory of Alaska; Provided, however, that no expenditure in excess of Thirty-five Hundred Dollars, the amount appropriated for such purpose by the Congress of the United States, shall be permitted or allowed for the printing of the session laws and resolutions of the First Session of the Territorial Legislature, and provided, further, that the restriction as to printing and publication as provided by this section, shall not apply to any general compilation or revision of the laws of this Territory, or to a compilation or revision of any special law or laws on any special subject.

Unofficial pub-
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Appropriation

Sec. 7. An emergency exists and this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved, April 11, 1913.