

CHAPTER 50.

AN ACT

[S. B. 30]

To amend Sections 6 and 7 of Chapter 18 of the 1927 Session Laws of the Territory of Alaska, relating to the office of the Commissioner of Transportation for Prospectors, adding Section 9 prescribing penalties, and declaring an emergency.

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

Section 1. That Section 6 and Section 7 of Chapter 18, Session Laws of Alaska, 1927, be amended to read as follows:

Section 6. At each biennial session the Legislature shall appropriate the funds it deems necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act, and the Commissioner of Transportation shall distribute the fund so that, as nearly as practicable, one half of the appropriation shall be expended during each year of the biennium.

Authorization for appropriation for aid to prospectors.

All expenditures shall be by warrant drawn upon the Treasurer in payment of vouchers approved by the Commissioner, but not to exceed five per cent. (5%) of any appropriation shall be used for clerk hire or other expenses incident to the office.

How paid.

Limitation on office expenditures.

Section 7. No one shall be deemed a prospector within the meaning of this Act, unless he is a citizen of the United States and an inhabitant of the Territory of Alaska for at least one year prior to the date of his application for transportation. Any prospector who has received assistance under this Act and has failed to make the report required in Section 8 hereof shall not receive any further assistance for a period of one year after the date on which such report should have been filed.

Defining "prospector."

Penalty for not filing report.

Section 2. Add a new section to read as follows:

Penalty for
misrepresenta-
tion.

Section 9. Any person who by fraud or misrepresentation obtains aid or assistance under the provisions of this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be punished by a fine of not less than Fifty Dollars, nor more than One Thousand Dollars, or by imprisonment in jail not less than four months nor more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Emergency.

Section 3. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act shall take effect immediately after its passage and approval.

Approved April 27, 1929.

CHAPTER 51.

AN ACT

[S. B. 47]

For the compensation and relief of Benny Benson, making an appropriation therefor, and repealing an appropriation of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars made for a kindred purpose by Section 2, of Chapter 76 of the Session Laws of Alaska of the year 1927.

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

Appropriation
for relief of
Benny Benson.

Section 1. That the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars is hereby appropriated from the moneys in the Treasury of the Territory of Alaska not otherwise appropriated for the compensation and relief of Benny Benson, by reason of his service to the Territory of Alaska in designing the official flag of Alaska.

To be used for
education of.

Section 2. The sum hereby appropriated shall be used for the education of said Benny Benson at the Alaska Agricultural College and School of Mines at and after the time when he shall enter said College for