

CHAPTER 63.

AN ACT

[S. B. 61]

Providing that insurers against liability under the Workmen's Compensation Act of Alaska, may be made parties defendant in actions or proceedings brought thereunder.

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

Under Workmen's Compensation Act the existence of insurance may be pleaded and proven.

Section 1. That in any action or proceeding brought under the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Act of Alaska against an employer carrying indemnity insurance against liability thereunder, the insurer may be made a party defendant, and the fact of such insurance may be pleaded and proved.

Employer deemed agent of insurer.

Section 2. That for the purpose of service of process in any action or proceeding mentioned in Section 1 hereof, the employer shall be deemed the agent of the insurer.

Act applies to existing as well as future insurance contracts.

Section 3. The provisions of this Act shall apply to existing as well as future insurance contracts.

Saving clause.

Section 4. That the invalidity of any portion of this Act shall not affect the validity of any portion which can be given effect without such invalid portion.

Approved March 11, 1937.