

forth constitute said school district. Thereafter the enlarged district shall function as to all its parts as a school district in conformity with applicable laws of Alaska and pursuant to its own ordinances.

Section 6. This Act shall become effective July 1, 1949.

Approved March 19, 1949.

CHAPTER 47

AN ACT

[H. B. 113]

Pertaining to qualifications and appointment of a Welfare Director; amending the first paragraph of Subsection A of Sec. 51-1-2 ACLA 1949; and declaring an emergency.

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

Section 1. The first paragraph of Subsection A of Sec. 51-1-2 ACLA 1949 is hereby amended to read as follows:

A. WELFARE DIRECTOR. The Board of Public Welfare shall appoint a Welfare Director who shall be the chief executive of the Board. His compensation may be equal to but not more than the amount paid other principal Territorial department heads and his appointment shall be for a term of four years subject to removal at the pleasure of the Board. No person shall be appointed Welfare Director unless he be a citizen of the United States, and in selecting a qualified person to fill said office, the Board

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shall give prior consideration to applicants who are residents of Alaska. No person shall be appointed to said office unless he is fitted by training and experience to administer the affairs of the Department of Public Welfare. The Director may, with the approval of the Board, appoint such assistants and employees as may be necessary for the efficient performance of the duties prescribed in this Act and shall fix the compensation of such assistants and employees. The Director shall be subject to the supervision and direction of the Board and shall perform such duties as the Board may assign to him.

Section 2. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval. ^{Emergency clause.}

Approved March 19, 1949.

CHAPTER 48

AN ACT

[S. B. 48]

To transfer \$550.00 from the appropriation for the Department of Agriculture to the appropriation for the Territorial Veterinarian; and declaring an emergency.

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

Section 1. The Commissioner of Agriculture is hereby authorized to present Territorial vouchers drawn against the existing appropriation entitled "Department ^{Transfer of funds.}