

States, or the responsible Territorial or Federal executive departments or agencies to accomplish the purposes of this Act;

(l) To assist local governmental units in planning and development programs;

(m) To enter into authorized inter-state compacts;

(n) To hold meetings at least quarterly and otherwise as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this Act, at such times and places as the Chairman may designate;

(o) To make rules and regulations to carry out the purposes of this Act;

(p) To keep records of all proceedings, contracts, documents,

rules, regulations, orders, and official acts of the Board;

(q) To do all other acts and things necessary or proper to carry out the purposes of this Act.

Section 10. Repeal and Transfer of Property. Section 10-3-1, Alaska Compiled Laws Annotated 1949, as amended by Chapter 5, Session Laws of Alaska 1951, and Sections 10-3-2 and 10-3-3, Alaska Compiled Laws Annotated 1949, are hereby repealed. All records, equipment, and other property of the Alaska Development Board, as existed under the provisions of law repealed herein, are hereby transferred to the Resource Development Board.

Section 11. Effective Date. This Act shall be in effect on and after April 1, 1955.

Approved March 29, 1955

CHAPTER 181

AN ACT

Relating to importation, movement, inspection, slaughter and quarantine of domestic animals, including poultry and setting up a procedure for making indemnity payments for dairy animals ordered slaughtered; amending Sections 33-3-15, 33-3-16, and 33-3-17, ACLA, 1949; repealing Sections 33-3-11, 33-3-12, 33-3-13, 33-3-14, and 33-3-18, ACLA, 1949.

(H. B. 127)

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

Section 1. Section 33-3-15, Alaska Compiled Laws Annotated, 1949, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 33-3-15. Inspection, Quarantine or Destruction of Livestock in Territory; Employment of Inspectors. Domestic animals and poultry in the Territory of Alaska shall be subject to inspection and test for all diseases, and to quarantine, slaughter or destruction where found to be infected with or suffering from any contagious disease by an Inspector of the Animal Disease Eradication Branch, United States Department of Agriculture, or by a qualified inspector duly authorized by the Commissioner of Agriculture to make inspections and tests of animals, in the Territory of Alaska; such inspection and test as far as it relates to animals kept for dairy purposes, by dairies that offer their products to the public generally in the Territory of Alaska and to animals kept for private dairy purposes, provided they are readily accessible, shall be made at least once every year, if possible, and all animals which are not readily accessible for inspection shall be inspected before they are brought into a community where other animals used for dairy purposes are kept, and the Commissioner of Agriculture is hereby authorized to make arrangements with the Animal Disease Eradication Branch, United States Depart-

ment of Agriculture, for said inspections and tests; and the Commissioner of Agriculture is hereby authorized in the event that suitable arrangements can not be made with said Animal Disease Eradication Branch for the employment or detail of a qualified inspector, to employ one or more competent inspectors to carry out the provisions of this Act. The inspection herein provided for shall be carried on in co-operation with said Animal Disease Eradication Branch and in accordance with its rules and regulations.

Section 2. Section 33-3-16, Alaska Compiled Laws Annotated, 1949, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 33-3-1. Inspector's Authority as to Quarantine or Destruction: Appraisement of Condemned Dairy Cattle: Certification to Commissioner of Agriculture. After inspection and test, the Inspector described in Section 5 of this Act (Sec. 33-3-15 herein) shall determine whether the animal inspected is subject to quarantine, slaughter or destruction; if to quarantine he shall prescribe the conditions and the length of time the animal shall be subject to quarantine. Where the Inspector determines that the animal should be slaughtered or destroyed, he is hereby authorized to condemn and cause said animal to be slaughtered or destroyed in such manner as he may determine; in the case of

dairy cattle for which reimbursement only is allowable, such animal shall first be appraised as to its value, determined without regard to the disease of the animal, at a fair valuation by the Inspector and the owner; and where they are unable to agree as to the value of the animal to be slaughtered, the owner and inspector may select a disinterested third party to aid in the appraisal, and where they are unable to agree on the selection of such third party, the United States Marshal, or any of his deputies of the division where the inspection occurs, may designate a third disinterested party to act with the Inspector and owner to determine the value of the animal, as above stated. The amount realized from the sale of the carcass of the slaughtered animal, if any, shall be paid to the owner of such animal and the Inspector shall certify to the Commissioner of Agriculture of the Territory

the name and address of the owner, the date the animal was condemned, the appraised value of the animal, together with the net sum realized from the salvage thereof, or which could have been realized.

Section 3. Section 33-3-17, Alaska Compiled Laws Annotated, 1949, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 33-3-17. Compensation to Owners of Dairy Cattle Destroyed: Records to Be Kept. The Commissioner of Agriculture may enter into cooperative agreements with the United States Department of Agriculture for controlling diseases among dairy cattle and may match Federal Indemnity payments for livestock slaughtered thereunder, from any funds available. He shall keep a record of all payments made, with a copy of the Inspector's certification of appraised value and salvage value.

Approved March 29, 1955

CHAPTER 182

AN ACT

Relating to the crime of reckless driving; providing for the included offense of negligent driving; setting a penalty for violations thereof; amending Section 50-5-4 ACLA 1949.

(C. S. for H. B. 163)