

not otherwise appropriated, and shall be expended for expenses and deficits occurring in the following programs for the month of March, 1957:

- \$8,475.00 - General Relief—Medical Care Program—to restore percentage reductions in hospital and nursing home payments.
- \$1,000.00 - Juvenile Code—to restore percentage reductions in boarding care payments.

**Sec. 2. Money to be Expended in Normal Manner.** The above monies shall be in addition to all other monies appropriated to the Department of Public Welfare and shall be disbursed and expended in the same manner and in accordance with the same procedures as monies are normally expended for said programs.

**Sec. 3. Emergency.** An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

Approved March 28, 1957

## CHAPTER 105

### AN ACT

**Relating to compulsory mining claim assessment work affidavits, and amending Sec. 47-3-55, ACLA 1949.**

(S. B. 29)

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

Section 1. Sec. 47-3-55, ACLA 1949 is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 47-3-55. Effect of Recording: Failure to Record Deemed Abandonment.** The affidavit when recorded as provided in this Act (Secs. 47-3-30—47-3-34, 47-3-51, 47-3-53, 47-3-55—47-3-57 herein) shall be prima facie evidence of the performance of the work or of making the improvements therein stated. The failure to file for record the assessment work affidavit within six months after the close of the assessment

work year shall be deemed an abandonment of the claim and it shall then be subject to relocation by any other person, provided, however, that a compliance with the provisions of this Act before any relocation, shall operate to save the rights of the last locator, claimant or owner of said forfeited claim, and further provided, that if said claim has not been relocated by any other person or persons within one year after such forfeiture, the last locator, claimant or owner of such forfeited claim may return to said forfeited claim and relocate the same as though the same had never been located.

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