

## CHAPTER 85

## AN ACT

**Appropriating \$3,500.00 to carry out the provisions of House Bill No. 195, for the purpose of enabling witnesses to attend a Congressional hearing in the state capital; and providing for an effective date.**

(C.S.H.B. 196)

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

Section 1. The sum of \$3,500.00, or so much thereof as may be found necessary, is hereby appropriated to the governor's contingency fund, out of any monies in the general fund not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of House Bill No. 195, "An Act authorizing an appropriation to the governor's contingency fund for the purpose of enabling wit-

nesses to attend a Congressional hearing to be held in the state capital; and providing for an effective date".

Sec. 2. The monies hereby appropriated shall be paid by warrants drawn on vouchers approved by the governor.

Sec. 3. This Act shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval or upon its becoming law without such approval.

Approved April 2, 1959

## CHAPTER 86

## AN ACT

**Relating to the post-audit; creating a Legislative Audit Committee; prescribing the duties thereof; creating a Division of Legislative Audit; providing for the nomination and appointment of a legislative auditor; defining certain violations and imposing penalties; repealing Secs. 1 through 17 of Art. V, Ch. 82, SLA 1955 as amended by Secs. 12 through 16 of Ch. 186, SLA 1957; and providing for an effective date.**

(S.B. 113)

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

Section 1. **Legislative Intent.** It is the intent of this Act to provide for the post-auditing of each agency of the state government for the purpose of furnishing the legislature with factual information vital to the discharge of its legislative duties. It is hereby determined that adequate information is not available for each session through which the members of the legislature can determine the needs of the various agencies and departments of the state government; and, that the post-auditing of each agency will furnish necessary information. It is further determined that the legislative session is not adequate time in which to audit each agency and that the size and scope of governmental activity has grown to such an extent in recent years that such auditing shall

be a continuing process. It is the intent of this Act to provide the legislature with adequate factual information by which to exercise its valid powers and no others.

Sec. 2. **Legislative Audit Committee: Powers and Duties: Creation of Division of Legislative Audit.** The President of the Senate, Speaker of the House, Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, and Chairman of the House Finance Committee, as such officers are elected at each session of the Alaska Legislature, and one member from the Senate and from the House who shall be appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, respectively, shall constitute a Legislative Audit Committee, and the members thereof shall serve as committee members until the convening of the next session of the legislature, or until their successors