

certificate of authority of the person guilty of such violation. Such order for suspension or revocation shall be upon

notice and hearing, and shall be subject to judicial review as provided in Section 13 of this Act.

Approved April 18, 1960

CHAPTER 148

AN ACT

Relating to the membership of the Legislative Audit Committee; amending Ch. 86, SLA 1959; and providing for an effective date.

(S.B. 142)

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

Section 1. The first paragraph of Sec. 2, Ch. 86, SLA 1959 is amended to read as follows:

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 have been named and elected in such session. If either presiding officers should so desire, he may, in lieu of his own membership on the com-

mittee, appoint to the committee an additional member of the house over which he presides. Whenever possible the membership shall include at least one member from each of the four major state election districts and at least two members from each of the two major political parties. In the event of a vacancy by a member of the Senate, the President of the Senate shall choose a successor. In the event of a vacancy by a member of the House, the Speaker of the House shall choose a successor. In the event of the resignation or death of the President of the Senate, the remaining committee members from the Senate shall choose a successor. In the event of the resignation or death of the Speaker of the House the remaining committee members from the House shall choose a successor.

Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.

Approved April 18, 1960

CHAPTER 149

AN ACT

Relating to the establishment of an institute of marine sciences by the University of Alaska; and providing for an effective date.

(S.B. 243)

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

Section 1. The University of Alaska is authorized to establish an institute of marine sciences to provide a program of

education and research in physical, chemical, and biological oceanography, and related fields.

Sec. 2. The institute of marine sciences shall be established, maintained, and op-

erated as an integral part of the University of Alaska, at a site or sites to be determined by the Board of Regents of the University of Alaska, and all powers, duties, and functions of the Board established by law and pertaining to the University shall extend to the institute

of marine sciences in like manner as to other departments or institutes of the University.

Sec. 3. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.

Approved April 18, 1960

CHAPTER 150

AN ACT

Relating to highways and highway financing; amending Subsec. (g) of Sec. 48-5-2, ACLA 1949 as last amended by Ch. 124, SLA 1960.

(S.B. 183)

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

Section 1. Subsec. (g) of Sec. 48-5-2, ACLA 1949 as last amended by Ch. 124, SLA 1960 is amended to read as follows:

(g) The monies herein collected from the taxes on all motor fuels, except the fuels named in subsections (e) and (f) of this section, shall be covered into a special "highway fuel tax" account in the state general fund. The Legislature may appropriate therefrom funds to be expended by the Department of Public Works directly or as matched with available Federal-aid highway monies for maintenance of highways; construction of highway projects and ferries included in the program provided for in Section 3, Article IV, Title II, Chapter 152, SLA 1957, including approaches, appurtenances and related facilities and acquisition of rights-of-way or easements; and other

highway costs including surveys, administration, and related matters. It shall be the policy of all departments of the state government authorized to expend funds collected from taxes imposed by this Act, to perform whenever feasible, all construction and/or reconstruction projects by contract after such projects have been duly advertised for competitive bids except that when feasible, arrangements shall be made with political subdivisions to carry out such construction and/or reconstruction projects. Whenever it is not feasible for the work to be performed by State engineering forces, the Commissioner of Public Works may enter into contracts on a professional basis with private engineering firms for road design, bridge design, and services in connection with surveys; provided that when more than one private engineering firm is available for such work the contracts shall be entered into on a negotiated basis.

Approved April 19, 1960

CHAPTER 151

AN ACT

Appropriating \$14,948 from the Public Employees' Retirement System of Alaska to the Department of Administration for administrative costs of the system for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961; allowing for necessary advances from the general fund; and providing for an effective date.

(S.B. 184)

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

Section 1. The sum of \$14,948 is hereby appropriated from the Public Em-