

every hair seal inhabiting the inland waters and all water adjacent to the southern coast of Alaska east of the 152nd Meridian, and the waters of Bristol Bay and the coastal waters within three miles off the Mainland from Cape Newenham to Cape Krusenstern, inclusive, a bounty of \$3.00,

such sum to be paid in accordance with the provisions following.

**Sec. 2. Effective Date.** This Act shall become effective retroactive to January 1, 1960, upon its passage and approval or upon its becoming law without such approval.

Approved April 22, 1960

## CHAPTER 163

### AN ACT

**Relating to damages in actions for wrongful death; and amending the first paragraph of Sec. 61-7-3, ACLA 1949, as amended by Ch. 89, SLA 1949, Ch. 153, SLA 1955, and Ch. 6, SLA 1957.**

(H.B. 329)

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

Section 1. The first paragraph of Sec. 61-7-3, ACLA 1949, as amended by Ch. 89, SLA 1949, Ch. 153, SLA 1955, and Ch. 6, SLA 1957, is amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 61-7-3. Action for Wrongful Death: Disposition of Amount Recovered.** When the death of a person is caused by the wrongful act or omission of another, the personal representatives of the former may maintain an action therefore against the latter, if the former might have maintained an action, had he lived, against the latter for an injury done by the same act or omission. Such action shall be commenced within two years after the death, and the damages therein shall, be such

damages as the court or jury may deem fair and just and the amount recovered, if any, shall be exclusively for the benefit of the decedent's husband or wife and children when he or she leaves a husband, wife or children, him or her surviving or dependents; and when he or she leaves no husband, wife or children, him or her surviving, or other dependents, the amount recovered shall be administered as other personal property of the deceased person but shall be limited to pecuniary loss. When the Plaintiff prevails, the trial court shall determine the allowable costs and expenses of the action and may, in its discretion, require notice and hearing thereon. The amount recovered shall be distributed only after payment of all costs and expenses of suit and debts and expenses of administration.

Approved April 22, 1960

## CHAPTER 164

### AN ACT

**Relating to the furnishing of return transportation by employers upon termination of employment; amending Sec. 1, Ch. 67, SLA 1949 as amended by Ch. 136, SLA 1959; and providing for an effective date.**

(H.B. 348)

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

Section 1. Sec. 1, Ch. 67, SLA 1949, as amended by Ch. 136, SLA 1959, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1. Any employer who furnishes, finances, or agrees to furnish or finance, or who in any way provides transportation for any person from the place of hire to any point within or