

titled under the public school foundation program.

(c) For the purposes of this section:

(1) "state school" means a school operated by the State Department of Education and entirely financed by state money; and

(2) "district school" means any school which comes under the jurisdiction of a district as that term is defined in this Act.

Sec. 5.03. **Repealer.** Ch. 90, SLA 1960, as amended, is repealed.

Sec. 5.04. **Transition.** Existing law shall be superseded and this Act put into operation in the following manner:

(1) for the fiscal year 1962-63, budgets

shall be prepared, state aid computed, and appropriations disbursed in accordance with existing law;

(2) during the fiscal year 1963-64, state aid shall be disbursed in accordance with existing law;

(3) beginning on July 1, 1963, budgets shall be prepared and state aid computed in accordance with this Act;

(4) beginning with the second session of the third Alaska legislature in 1964, appropriations shall be made in accordance with this Act;

(5) beginning on July 1, 1964, state aid shall be disbursed in accordance with this Act.

Sec. 5.05. **Effective Date.** This Act takes effect July 1, 1962.

Approved May 4, 1962

CHAPTER 165

AN ACT

Relating to state elections; amending Ch. 83, SLA 1960; and providing for an effective date.

(S.S.S.B. 147)

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

Section 1. Ch. 83, SLA 1960, is amended by adding a new Sec. 5.14 to read:

Sec. 5.14. **Party Committeemen and Committeewomen Elected at Primaries.** At such primary election, the members of the respective political parties shall also elect the members of the district and state central committees for the terms and in the number now provided, or as may hereafter be provided, in the party rules of organization of the respective parties. Party rules of organization may also provide for additional ex officio members of such committees.

(a) In the election years when a President of the United States is not to be elected, each major political party shall elect its national committeeman and its national committeewoman.

(b) To qualify as a candidate for election to the district or state central

committee, national committeeman, or committeewoman, a person must have registered a party preference in the preceding primary election.

(c) District committees shall be elected from and by the voters of each major senate district as provided in the party rules. State central committee members shall be elected from and by the voters of the state as provided in the party rules.

(d) Candidates for election to the district and state central committees, national committeeman, and national committeewoman shall file their nominating petitions or declarations with the secretary of state as required of candidates for state offices, and shall pay a fee of \$10 for district office, and a fee of \$20 for a state-wide office.

(e) The names of all candidates shall be printed on separate ballots for each political party. Voters who declare their party preference shall be issued a ballot for that party at the same time as

they receive their primary ballot for state offices. The persons elected shall hold office until a successor is elected.

(f) In case of a vacancy in a district committee, it shall be filled for the unexpired term by the district committee of the party concerned, unless otherwise provided in the party rules. In case of a vacancy in the state central committee, it shall be filled for the unexpired term by the state central committee of the party concerned, unless otherwise provided in the party rules. In case of a vacancy in the office of national committeeman or committeewoman, it shall be filled for the unexpired term by the state central committee, unless otherwise provided in the party rules.

(g) District and state central committees may, if authorized by their re-

spective party rules, elect a chairman from outside their membership.

(h) All applicable existing provisions of law relating to elections shall apply to the election of members of district and state central committee members.

Sec. 2. The recall provisions of the election code shall apply to elected members of the district and central committees, and to the national committeeman and national committeewoman, except that the petitions for recall shall be signed only by those persons who have registered a party preference for the party concerned at the preceding primary election. Only those persons who have registered a party preference for the party concerned shall be eligible to vote in such recall election.

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

Became law without signature May 8, 1962

CHAPTER 166

AN ACT

Appropriating \$150,000 to the Office of the Governor as a supplemental appropriation for Rural Development, Disaster and Depressed Areas work projects; and providing for an effective date.

(S.B. 244)

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

Section 1. The sum of \$150,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the Office of the Governor as a supplemental appropriation for Rural Development, Disaster and Depressed Areas work projects, during fiscal year 1961-62.

Sec. 2. Such projects may include re-

pair and maintenance of public school buildings. Materials and supplies to facilitate repair and maintenance of public school buildings may be purchased from the money hereby appropriated.

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 May 7, 1962

CHAPTER 167

AN ACT

Appropriating from the general fund, from special accounts in the general fund, from federal transitional grants in the general fund, and from special funds of the state for operating and capital expenses beginning July 1, 1962; and providing for an effective date.

(C.S.H.B. 317)