

board members until the next regular election. At that time, an election will be held for the remaining portion of the term.

Sec. 4. AS 14.10 is amended by adding new sections to read:

Sec. 14.10.375. **Qualifications of Advisory School Board Members.** A person may be elected to membership on an advisory school board who

- (1) is a citizen of the United States;
- (2) has passed his 19th birthday;
- (3) is an inhabitant of the area

served by the school for at least one year preceding the election.

Sec. 14.10.395. **Voter Qualifications.** A person may vote at any election for advisory school board members who

- (1) is a citizen of the United States;
- (2) has passed his 19th birthday;
- (3) is an inhabitant of the area served by the school at the time of the election for a period of at least one year;
- (4) if the school is an on-base school, is a parent of a child enrolled in the school at the time of the election.

Approved April 4, 1963

CHAPTER 26

AN ACT

Relating to preference rights for forest service permittees; and providing for an effective date.

(S.B. 99)

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

Section 1. AS 38.05 is amended by adding new sections to read:

Sec. 38.05.068. **Forest Service Permittees' Sales Preference.** (a) Before offering to the public any land which is subject to a valid existing United States Forest Service permit in effect in a state-selected area at the time the area was patented to the state, or which is subject to a lease issued in accordance with sec. 87 of this chapter, the director shall offer the land for sale to the permittee or his successor in title, if he can be found, at not less than its fair appraised market value before offering to the general public.

(b) When not in conflict with this section, other provisions of secs. 45-67 of this chapter apply to sales under this section.

Sec. 38.05.087. **Forest Service Permittees' Leasing Preference.** (a) Before offering to the public any land for lease which is subject to a valid existing United States Forest Service permit in effect in a state-selected area at the time

the area was patented to the state, the director shall offer the land for leasing to the permittee at not less than its fair appraised market value before offering it to the general public.

(b) When not in conflict with this section, other provisions of secs. 70 - 105 of this chapter apply to leases under this section.

Sec. 2. AS 38.05.075 is amended to read:

Sec. 38.05.075. **Leasing Procedures.** The leasing shall be made at public auction to the highest qualified bidder as determined by the director. An aggrieved bidder may appeal to the commissioner within five days for a review of the director's determination. When a valid existing federal grazing lease is canceled to allow state selection of the area under lease, the lessee of the lands has the preference right to lease the lands without competitive bidding upon terms as favorable to the lessee as those contained in the canceled federal lease. The leasing shall be conducted by the director or his representative, and the successful bidder shall deposit the first year's rental, or such portion of it as the

commissioner requires, in cash or by certified check, cashier's check, or money order, in accordance with his bid. The director or his representative shall immediately issue a receipt containing a description of the land or interest leased, the price bid, and terms of the lease. The receipt shall be acknowledged in writing by the bidder. A lease on a form

approved by the attorney general shall be signed by the lessee and, upon approval by the commissioner, shall be signed by the director.

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 4, 1963.

CHAPTER 27

AN ACT

Relating to the filing of orders creating controlled livestock districts; and providing for an effective date.

(H.B. 140)

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

Section 1. AS 03.35.030 is amended to read:

Sec. 03.35.030. **Notice, Hearing, and Order.** Upon receipt of a petition for the establishment of a controlled livestock district, the magistrate shall set a time for hearing the petition within not less than 30 days. Notice of the time and place of the hearing and its purpose shall be posted in not less than three conspicuous public places within the proposed district, including a post office, for a period of at least 30 days before the hearing. If there is no post office within the proposed district, then the notice

shall be posted in two conspicuous public places in the proposed district and in the post office nearest the proposed district. If, at the hearing, the district magistrate finds that the petition is sufficient and that notice of the hearing has been given, he shall enter an order creating and establishing the controlled livestock district and describing its boundaries. The district magistrate shall certify to the clerk of the superior court for the judicial district a copy of his findings and order. He shall send a copy of the order to the director, division of agriculture, Department of Natural Resources.

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 4, 1963

CHAPTER 28

AN ACT

Relating to a preference to veterans in the disposition of certain state lands.

(H.B. 157)

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

Section 1. AS 38.05.067(a) is amended to read:

(a) Before offering to the general public any unoccupied residential lands, the director shall offer the land at a restricted sale at which only veterans may buy.

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