



# LAWS OF ALASKA

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Chapter No.

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## AN ACT

Relating to agricultural land.

### BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

\* Section 1. AS 38.05 is amended by adding a new section to read:

Sec. 38.05.362. AGRICULTURAL LAND CLASSIFICATION. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the director, with the approval of the commissioner, in consultation with other appropriate agencies and entities, shall classify for agricultural purposes

(1) no less than 650,000 acres of state patented or tentatively approved land which is appropriate for agricultural purposes but in no event less than 50 per cent of the state patented or tentatively approved land which on the effective date of this Act has been classified as Class II or Class III in detailed soil surveys of the National Co-operative Soil Survey;

(2) classification under (1) shall be completed within three years of the effective date of this Act.

(b) Nothing in this section affects the selection rights of a borough or city under AS 29.18.19029.18.200 for areas selected as of July 1, 1977, or a valid existing claim, location, or entry under law, as of July 1, 1976.

Approved by governor: June 24, 1976  
Actual effective date: September 22, 1976