

**SENATE BILL NO. 145**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

Introduced: 1/18/18

Referred: Judiciary, Finance

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to the membership of the Alaska Criminal Justice Commission; and**  
2 **providing for an effective date."**

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 **\* Section 1.** AS 44.19.642(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) The commission consists of 15 [14] members as follows:

6 (1) the chief justice of the Alaska Supreme Court or another active or  
7 retired justice of the supreme court or an active or retired judge of the court of appeals  
8 designated by the chief justice;

9 (2) an active or retired superior court judge designated by the chief  
10 justice for a three-year term;

11 (3) an active or retired district court judge designated by the chief  
12 justice for a three-year term;

13 (4) a member of the Alaska Native community designated by the  
14 Alaska Native Justice Center for a three-year term;

1 (5) the attorney general or a designee of the attorney general;

2 (6) the public defender or a designee of the public defender;

3 (7) the commissioner of corrections or the commissioner's designee;

4 (8) the commissioner of public safety or the commissioner's designee;

5 (9) **the commissioner of health and social services or the**  
 6 **commissioner's designee;**

7 **(10)** the chief executive officer of the Alaska Mental Health Trust  
 8 Authority or the chief executive officer's designee for a three-year term;

9 **(11)** [(10)] an active duty member of a municipal law enforcement  
 10 agency appointed by the governor for a three-year term;

11 **(12)** [(11)] one victims' rights advocate appointed by the governor for a  
 12 three-year term;

13 **(13) a resident of the state who has been the victim of a felony**  
 14 **crime under AS 11 appointed by the governor for a three-year term;**

15 **(14)** [(12)] one nonvoting member, serving ex officio, who is a  
 16 member of the senate appointed by the president of the senate; **and**

17 **(15)** [(13)] one nonvoting member, serving ex officio, who is a  
 18 member of the house of representatives appointed by the speaker of the house of  
 19 representatives [; AND

20 (14) ONE NONVOTING MEMBER, SERVING EX OFFICIO, WHO  
 21 IS THE COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES OR THE  
 22 COMMISSIONER'S DESIGNEE].

23 \* **Sec. 2.** AS 44.19.642(b) is amended to read:

24 (b) A member appointed under **(a)(11) - (13)** [(a)(10) or (11)] of this section  
 25 serves at the pleasure of the governor and may be reappointed.

26 \* **Sec. 3.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).