

# **ALASKA STATUTES**

The Alaska Legislature has a contract for the publishing of the Alaska Statutes (AS) that offers products to state government agencies at a "State Government Rate".

Each year, the Department of Education and Early Development (DEED) compiles the executive branch portion of the state's "Annual Master Order". DEED contacts each agency in August to request the agencies order, which is due by the end of September. The Legislative Reference Library combines the orders for the executive branch, the court system, and the legislature and submits the state's annual master order to Lexis.

Per AS 24.08.330, The Department of Education and Early Development is responsible for making official distribution of the Alaska Statutes to state executive branch agencies. The administrative director of the court system is responsible for distribution to the court system. Distribution shall be made on the basis of written lists submitted by the department and the court system to the Legislative Affairs Agency within 90 days after the last day of each regular session of the legislature.

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Richard Simonian (800) 424-4200, ext 3606 Call Monday - Friday, 8:00 to 5:00, Alaska Standard Time.

Although the message says 8-5:00 EST, dial ext. 3606. Richard works Alaska hours so he will be available for our calls.

**Current Contract Term:** February 9, 2020 - December 31, 2022

If you have any questions regarding purchase of AS, you may contact the following:

Alaska State Library 465-1302 Legislative Reference Library 465-3808

To correct any problems with AS sets or supplements ordered in the state's "Annual Master Order" please contact, Tracy Baldwin at (800) 424-4200, ext.3376.

#### **Please Note:**

Alaska Statutes (AS) and annual supplements, in printed form, are ordered in the state's annual master order. The AS are issued in softbound form and replaced every two years. New sets of statutes are printed and ordered in even-numbered years, and supplements in the odd-numbered years

Statutes ordered in the state's annual master order cost about half of the "state government rate" because the state receives 650 free sets through the contract, and this savings is shared equally by all who order in the annual master order. The price per set is based on the total number of sets in the master order.

Statute sets, supplements, or special volumes and services that are ordered outside the annual state master order will be charged at the "state government rate: "If it is necessary to place an order outside the state's annual master order, make sure the Alaska Lexis Customer Service Representative understands it is a state government order, and should be charged the "state government rate" shown in the price-list below. Failing to do so could result in paying the private sector's "in-state rate" which is twice as much as the "state government rate."

**Special orders are invoiced to, and paid by, agency receiving volumes:** Special orders of statute sets, supplements, individual volumes, or special volumes and services provided under this contract are invoiced to, and paid by, the agency receiving the service within the delegated departmental purchasing authority for printing services.

## **Products, Services and Pricing**

## **Statutes and Supplements**

**Alaska Statutes:** Alaska Statutes are printed / ordered <u>in even numbered years</u>. A set of statutes includes volumes 1-11, index, and temporary and special acts. If ordered in the state's "Annual Master Order", cost is usually under \$65.00. If ordered **outside** the state's "Annual Master Order", the set will cost the state government rate which is about \$150.00.

If you must order a complete set of statutes <u>in an odd-numbered year</u>, (when only supplements are printed / ordered in the state's annual master order) the set will include the supplement volume and cost the state government rate which is about \$180.00.

**Supplements:** Supplements are printed / ordered <u>in odd numbered years</u>. It includes a replacement index, temporary acts and special acts, and the supplement volume. If ordered in the state's "Annual Master Order", the cost is usually under \$25.00. If ordered **outside** the state's "Annual Master State Order", the cost is the state government rate which is about \$55.00.

#### **Optional Volumes and Service:**

These volumes normally come as part of a set of Alaska Statutes, but state agencies ordering in the state's master order have the option: they <u>may choose</u> to order them, or not. If a set of Alaska Statutes is ordered outside the master order, these volumes will be received automatically but may be returned for credit:

**Citator Volume:** The citator volume is issued on odd numbered years with the annual supplement. The citator volume lists court opinions that refer to the court opinions mentioned in the annotations<sup>1</sup>.

**Ethics Volume:** The ethics volume (hardback) is a one-time purchase that includes free pocket parts distributed on an annual basis. The ethics volume contains Alaska Bar Association ethics opinions<sup>1</sup>.

Services which state agencies may choose to order in the state's annual master order:

**Advanced Legislative Service (ALS):** The ALS is an annual service providing softbound pamphlets of session laws passed by the Alaska Legislature<sup>1</sup>.

#### Individual Volumes and Services ordered outside the state's "Annual Master Order"

Individual Softbound Volumes of Volumes 1-11: state government rate, \$15.75.

Annual Softbound Index: state government rate - \$13.50.

**Biennial Softbound Supplement:** (price varies each year based on number of pages)

**Annual Softbound Temporary and Special Acts pamphlet**: (price varies each year based on number of pages)

Advanced Legislative Service (ALS), Citator, or Ethics Volumes: (see footnote)

Advanced Code Service (ACS): state government rate - \$19.25.

Enhanced CD Rom: state government rate - \$297.00 per year, for the original and three updates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Citator, Ethics volume, and ALS ordered in the state's "Annual Master Order" are normally without charge (State receives 500-650 of each free). If ordered outside the state's "Annual Master Order", the state government rate is \$12.00 for each. (Call the Legislative Library if there are appropriately appropriately 12.00 for each. (Call the Legislative Library if there are appropriately 12.00 for each.)