Senate Passes Pre-Registration

Legislation requiring voters to pre-register in Alaska, starting with the 1968 primary election, has passed the State Senate.

A companion bill, calling for a poll of the voters in the general election of 1968 on whether they prefer a system of pre-registration, also passed.

Under the pre-registration

Under the pre-registration measure, persons qualified to vote would have to pre-register prior to the primary and general elections of 1968.

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The 1966 voters would be automatically registered, but would have to complete forms at the time they cast ballots in the 1968 elections.