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CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 317()

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY

**Offered:
Referred:**

Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES TUCK, Drummond, Gara, Tarr

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

"An Act relating to a uniform system for traffic control devices for highways; and relating to traffic control devices at schools and in school zones."

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

*** Section 1.** AS 19.10.040 is amended to read:

Sec. 19.10.040. Uniform system for traffic control devices [OF MARKING AND POSTING]. The department shall classify **and** [,] designate [, AND MARK] highways under its jurisdiction and shall provide a uniform system **for traffic control devices for** [OF MARKING AND POSTING THESE] highways. The system **for traffic control devices** [OF MARKING AND POSTING] must correlate with and, as far as possible, conform to the recommendations of the Manual on **Uniform** Traffic Control Devices as **approved by the United States Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration** [ADOPTED BY THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF STATE HIGHWAY OFFICIALS].

*** Sec. 2.** AS 19.10.040 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(b) In the uniform system adopted by the department under (a) of this section, the department shall provide for the placement of traffic control devices in school zones for private and religious schools as defined in AS 14.45.200 and public schools and charter schools as defined in AS 14.03.290.

* **Sec. 3.** AS 28.01.010(d) is amended to read:

(d) A municipality shall erect necessary official traffic control devices on streets and highways and at schools and in school zones within its jurisdiction that as far as practicable conform to the current edition of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices as provided in AS 19.10.040 [ALASKA TRAFFIC MANUAL PREPARED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC FACILITIES]. The municipality

(1) shall post a sign indicating that the school is a "drug-free school zone" at each location in which it has installed a sign identifying the location of a school;

(2) may post a sign at each recreation and youth center indicating that the center is a "drug-free recreation and youth center zone"; in this paragraph, "recreation or youth center" has the meaning given in AS 11.71.900.

* **Sec. 4.** AS 28.01.010 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(k) In this section, "school" means a public school established under AS 14, a "charter school" as defined in AS 14.03.290, a "private school" as defined in AS 14.45.200, and a "religious school" as defined in AS 14.45.200.

* **Sec. 5.** AS 19.10.050 is repealed.