

**SENATE BILL NO. 123**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

**BY SENATOR MEYER**

**Introduced: 1/19/16**

**Referred: State Affairs, Judiciary**

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to the penalty for the use of electronic devices while driving."**

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

3 **\* Section 1.** AS 28.35.161(f) is amended to read:

4 (f) A person who violates (a) of this section is guilty of

5 (1) a **violation** [CLASS A MISDEMEANOR], unless any of the  
6 circumstances described in (2) - (4) of this subsection apply;

7 (2) a class C felony if the person's driving causes physical injury to  
8 another person;

9 (3) a class B felony if the person's driving causes serious physical  
10 injury to another person;

11 (4) a class A felony if the person's driving causes the death of another  
12 person.

13 **\* Sec. 2.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section to  
14 read:

15 **APPLICABILITY.** AS 28.35.161(f), as amended by sec. 1 of this Act, applies to

1 violations occurring on or after the effective date of this Act.