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### **Terroristic Threatening Legislative History**

### Sec. 6, ch. 166, SLA 1978

Sec. 11.56.810 TERRORISTIC THREATENING. (a) A person commits the crime of terroristic threatening if he knowingly makes a false report that a circumstance dangerous to human life exits or is about to exist and

- (1) places a person in fear of physical injury to any person;
- (2) causes evacuation of a building; or
- (3) causes serious public inconvenience.
- (b) Terroristic threatening is a class C felony.

## Sec. 1, ch. 108, SLA 1984

**Section 1.** AS 11.56.810 is amended to read:

- Sec. 11.56.810 TERRORISTIC THREATENING. (a) A person commits the crime of terroristic threatening if the person
  - (1) knowingly makes a false report that a circumstance dangerous to human life exits or is about to exist and
    - $\underline{\mathbf{A}}$  [(1)] places a person in fear of physical injury to any person;
    - $\mathbf{\underline{B}}$  [(2)] causes evacuation of a building; or
    - $\underline{\mathbf{C}}$  [(3)] causes serious public inconvenience; or
- (2) with intent to place another person in fear of death or serious physical injury to the person or the person's immediate family, makes repeated threats to cause death or serious physical injury to another person.
- (b) Terroristic threatening is a class C felony.

#### Sec. 4, ch. 40, SLA 1993

- (a) A person commits the crime of terroristic threatening if the person
- [(1)] knowingly makes a false report that a circumstance dangerous to human life exists or is about to exist and
  - (1) [(a)]places a person in fear of physical injury to any person;
  - (2) [(b)] causes evacuation of a building; or
  - (3) [(c)] causes serious public inconvenience [OR
- (2) WITH INTENT TO PLACE ANOTHER PERSON IN FEAR OF DEATH OR SERIOUS PHYSICAL INJURY TO THE PERSON OR THE PERSON'S IMMEDIATE FAMILY, MAKES REPEATED THREATS TO CAUSE DEATH OR SERIOUS PHYSICAL INJURY TO ANOTHER PERSON].
- (b) Terroristic threatening is a class C felony.

#### Sec. 18, ch. 92, SLA 2002

Sec. 11.56.810. Terroristic threatening in the second degree.

- (a) A person commits the crime of terroristic threatening <u>in the second degree</u> if the person knowingly makes a false report that a circumstance
- (1)dangerous to human life exists or is about to exist and
- $(\underline{\mathbf{A}})[(1) \text{ PLACES}]$ a person  $\underline{\mathbf{is}}$  placed in  $\underline{\mathbf{reasonable}}$  fear of physical injury to any person;
- (B)[(2)]causes evacuation of a building, public place or area, business premises, or mode of public transportation;[OR]
  - (C) [(3)] causes serious public inconvenience; or
- (D) the report claims that a bacteriological, biological, chemical, or radiological substance that is capable of causing serious physical injury has been sent or is present in a building, public place or area, business premises, or mode of public transportation; or
- (2) exists or is about to exist that is dangerous to the proper or safe functioning of an oil or gas pipeline or supporting facility, utility, or transportation or cargo facility; in this paragraph, "oil or gas pipeline and supporting facility" and "utility" have the meanings given in AS 11.46.490.
- (b) Terrorist threatening in the second degree is a class C felony.

### Sec. 6, ch 9, SLA 2013 (Revisor's Bill)

Sec. 11.56.810. Terroristic threatening in the second degree.

- (a) A person commits the crime of terroristic threatening in the second degree if the person knowingly makes a false report that a circumstance
- (1)dangerous to human life exists or is about to exist and
  - (A)a person is placed in reasonable fear of physical injury to any person;

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- (B)causes evacuation of a building, public place or area, business premises, or mode of public transportation;[or]
  - (C) causes serious public inconvenience; or
- (D) the report claims that a bacteriological, biological, chemical, or radiological substance that is capable of causing serious physical injury has been sent or is present in a building, public place or area, business premises, or mode of public transportation; or
- (2) exists or is about to exist that is dangerous to the proper or safe functioning of an oil or gas pipeline or supporting facility, utility, or transportation or cargo facility; in this paragraph, "oil or gas pipeline <u>or</u> [and] supporting facility" and "utility" have the meanings given in AS 11.46.490.
- (b) Terrorist threatening in the second degree is a class C felony.