

**CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 304(RLS)**

**IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA**

**TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION**

**BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE**

**Offered: 4/6/98**

**Referred: Today's Calendar**

**Sponsor(s): SENATORS DONLEY, Wilken, Taylor, Duncan, Kelly, Pearce**

**REPRESENTATIVE Brice**

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to the bail or fine for an offense committed in a highway work**  
2 **zone; and providing for an effective date."**

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

4 **\* Section 1.** AS 28.05.151 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

5 (d) The supreme court, in establishing scheduled amounts of bail under this  
6 section, and each municipality that establishes or has established a fine schedule under  
7 this section shall provide that the scheduled amount of bail or fine, as applicable, for  
8 a motor vehicle or traffic offense that is committed in a highway work zone shall be  
9 double the amount of the bail or fine for the offense if it had not been committed in  
10 a highway work zone.

11 **\* Sec. 2.** AS 28.40 is amended by adding a new section to read:

12 **Sec. 28.40.070. Fines for offenses committed within highway work zones**  
13 **doubled.** Whenever a person violates a provision of this title or a regulation adopted  
14 under the authority of this title within a highway work zone, notwithstanding the

1 amount of the fine or the maximum fine set under this title, the fine, or maximum fine,  
2 is double the amount provided in this title.

3 \* **Sec. 3.** AS 28.40.100(a) is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

4 (25) "highway work zone" means an area identified by advance signing  
5 where road construction, repair, or maintenance work is being done on or adjacent to  
6 a highway, whether or not work is actually being done at that time.

7 \* **Sec. 4.** This Act takes effect April 30, 1999.