## ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE



## **CSHB 331**

Explanation of Changes made in (H) JUD Committee

There was one amendment adopted.

The words 'up to' were added on page 1, sec 3.

"The legislature may appropriate 'up to' 25% of fines imposed under AS 12.55.035...."

This change allows for the legislature to cap the percentage of fines collected for funding purposes rather than mandate the amount. In turn it will provide more flexibility with budget recommendations from the Juvenile Justice Division to the legislature during the budget process each year. It will allow more flexibility for the legislature during the budget process as well.