## ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE



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## **SPONSOR STATEMENT**

SB 197 – Naturally Occurring Asbestos

The 27th Legislature passed and the Governor signed HB 258 which put into place a system and requirements to allow for the use of gravel aggregate containing naturally-occurring asbestos. The regulations have not yet been adopted.

This legislation, SB 197, provides for a one year extension to the deadline for DOT&PF to adopt and prescribe a method of bulk testing under AS 44.42.420(a) and to develop and implement regulations.