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3 * Section 1. AS 28.35.245 is repealed and reenacted to read:

4 Sec. 28.35.245. MOTORCYCLE HELMET. (a) A motorcycle helmet may
5 not be manufactured or sold in the state unless the helmet conforms to standards
6 established by regulation by the commissioner of public safety. The regulations must
7 provide for helmets that allow normal peripheral vision and hearing and minimize neck
8 injuries to the wearer potentially caused by the helmet. The regulations shall be
9 adopted under the provisions of AS 44.62 (Administrative Procedure Act).

10 (b) A person who is 18 years of age or older may not be required to wear a
11 helmet while operating a motorcycle if the person is the holder of a license or
12 endorsement to operate a motorcycle.