

HOUSE BILL NO. 302

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVES KELLY, Therriault

Introduced: 4/5/95

Referred: State Affairs, Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the release of runaway minors from licensed programs for
2 runaway minors and from runaway minor shelters."

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

4 * **Section 1.** AS 47.10 is amended by adding a new section to read:

5 Sec. 47.10.325. **RELEASE OF MINOR.** The director of a program for
6 runaway minors operated under AS 47.10.300 - 47.10.390 may release a minor who
7 is present in the program only to the custody of

- 8 (1) the minor's legal custodian;
9 (2) a law enforcement agency; or
10 (3) the department.

11 * **Sec. 2.** AS 47.10.330(b) is amended to read:

12 (b) The director of a program for runaway minors shall promptly notify a
13 minor's legal custodian if the minor is released from the program into the custody of
14 a law enforcement agency under AS 47.10.325(2) or the department under

1 AS 47.10.325(3) [PERSON OTHER THAN THE LEGAL CUSTODIAN OR A
2 PERSON REPRESENTING THE LEGAL CUSTODIAN].

3 * **Sec. 3.** AS 47.10.394 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

4 (c) The provider of a shelter for runaway minors operated under AS 47.10.392
5 - 47.10.399 may release a minor who is present in the shelter only to the custody of

- 6 (1) the minor's legal custodian;
7 (2) a law enforcement agency; or
8 (3) the department.