

**SENATE BILL NO. 125**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY SENATOR DONLEY

Introduced: 3/10/95

Referred: JUD, FIN

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 "An Act increasing fines for certain criminal offenses."

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

3 \* **Section 1.** AS 12.55.035(b) is amended to read:

4 (b) Except as provided in AS 12.55.036, upon conviction of an offense, a  
5 defendant who is not an organization may be sentenced to pay, unless otherwise  
6 specified in the provision of law defining the offense, a fine of no more than

7 (1) \$500,000 [\$75,000] for murder in the first or second degree,  
8 attempted murder in the first degree, sexual assault in the first degree, sexual abuse of  
9 a minor in the first degree, kidnapping, or misconduct involving a controlled substance  
10 in the first degree;

11 (2) \$250,000 [\$50,000] for a class A felony, \$100,000 for a class [,]  
12 B felony, or \$50,000 for a class C felony;

13 (3) \$5,000 for a class A misdemeanor;

14 (4) \$1,000 for a class B misdemeanor;

15 (5) \$300 for a violation.

1 \* **Sec. 2.** AS 12.55.035(c) is amended to read:

2 (c) Except as provided in AS 12.55.036, upon conviction of an offense, a  
3 defendant that is an organization may be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding the  
4 greater of

5 (1) an amount that is

6 (A) \$1,000,000 [\$500,000] for a felony offense or for a  
7 misdemeanor offense that results in death;

8 (B) \$200,000 for a class A misdemeanor offense that does not  
9 result in death;

10 (C) \$25,000 for a class B misdemeanor offense that does not  
11 result in death;

12 (D) \$10,000 for a violation;

13 (2) **three** [TWO] times the pecuniary gain realized by the defendant as  
14 a result of the offense; or

15 (3) **three** [TWO] times the pecuniary damage or loss caused by the  
16 defendant to another, or to the property of another, as a result of the offense.

17 \* **Sec. 3.** APPLICABILITY. The amendments made by this Act apply to offenses  
18 committed on or after the effective date of this Act.