

SENATE BILL NO. 225

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST

Introduced: 1/18/96

Referred: HES, FIN

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to access to extracurricular school programs by students who
2 are not attending public schools."

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

4 * **Section 1.** AS 14.30 is amended by adding a new section to read:

5 Sec. 14.30.025. NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT PARTICIPATION IN
6 PUBLIC SCHOOL PROGRAMS. (a) A governing body may not deny a student who
7 resides within the school district but is not in attendance within the school district the
8 right to participate in extracurricular activities occurring in the school district if the
9 student

10 (1) is receiving academic education as permitted under
11 AS 14.30.010(b); and

12 (2) otherwise meets all school district eligibility requirements for
13 participation in the activity that are applicable to a student who is in attendance in the
14 school district.

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(b) In this section,

(1) "extracurricular activities" include drama, debate, music, band, and athletic activities;

(2) "school district" means a municipal school district or a regional educational attendance area.