

**SENATE BILL NO. 311**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE SENATE COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Introduced: 3/18/96

Referred: RES, FIN

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 "An Act relating to marine safety training and education programs."

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

3 \* **Section 1.** INTENT. (a) It is the intent of this Act to identify a source of funds that  
4 may be used to fund marine safety training and education programs to protect commercial  
5 fishermen, mariners, and the public from injury or death arising from accidents at sea.

6 (b) This Act does not create a dedicated fund.

7 \* **Sec. 2.** AS 23.35.060 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

8 (b) The legislature may appropriate 50 percent of the income earned by the  
9 state on the balance of the fishermen's fund for grants to the Alaska Marine Safety  
10 Education Association for marine safety training and education programs.