

**SENATE BILL NO. 243**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY SENATOR WARD

Introduced: 1/16/98

Referred: State Affairs, Finance

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 "An Act relating to special request Alaska Zoo license plates."

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

3 \* **Section 1.** AS 28.10.181 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

4 (t) Special request Alaska Zoo plates. Upon application by the owner of a  
5 passenger vehicle, noncommercial van or pick-up truck, or motor home, the department  
6 may design and issue registration plates representing the Alaska Zoo. The department  
7 may disapprove the issuance of registration plates under this subsection when the  
8 requested plates are a duplication of an existing registration.

9 \* **Sec. 2.** AS 28.10.421(d) is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

10 (14) special request Alaska Zoo plates . . . . . \$50  
11 plus the fee required for that vehicle under (b)(1) or (2) of this section; the fee  
12 required by this paragraph shall be collected only on the first issuance and on the  
13 replacement of special request plates; the commissioner of administration shall  
14 separately account for the fees received under this paragraph that the department  
15 deposits in the general fund; notwithstanding (g) of this section, the annual estimated

- 1 balance in the account that is in excess of the cost of issuing special request plates
- 2 may be appropriated by the legislature for the support of programs benefiting the care
- 3 and display of wild animals in zoos in the state.