

SENATE BILL NO. 244

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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Referred: Judiciary, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to fines for offenses committed within school zones."**

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 28.05.151(d) is amended to read:

4 (d) The supreme court, in establishing scheduled amounts of bail under this
5 section, and each municipality that establishes or has established a fine schedule under
6 this section shall provide that the scheduled amount of bail or fine, as applicable, for a
7 motor vehicle or traffic offense that is committed in a highway work **or school** zone
8 shall be double the amount of the bail or fine for the offense if it had not been
9 committed in a highway work zone **or school zone**.

10 * **Sec. 2.** AS 28.40.070 is amended to read:

11 **Sec. 28.40.070. Fines for offenses committed within highway work and**
12 **school zones doubled.** Whenever a person violates a provision of this title or a
13 regulation adopted under the authority of this title within a highway work **or school**
14 zone, notwithstanding the amount of the fine or the maximum fine set under this title,
15 the fine, or maximum fine, is double the amount provided in this title.

1 * **Sec. 3.** AS 28.40.100(a) is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:
2 (27) "school zone" means an area identified by signs as being near a
3 school.