

HOUSE BILL NO. 219

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Referred: Judiciary, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to crimes and dangerous instruments."

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 11.81.900(b)(15) is amended to read:

4 (15) "dangerous instrument" means

5 (A) any deadly weapon or anything that, under the
6 circumstances in which it is used, attempted to be used, or threatened to be
7 used, is capable of causing death or serious physical injury; **or**

8 (B) hands or other objects when used to impede normal
9 breathing or circulation of blood by applying pressure on the throat or
10 neck or obstructing the nose or mouth;