

HOUSE BILL NO. 308

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVES LYNN, Dahlstrom, Wilson, Gatto, Neuman, Kerttula, Chenault, Anderson, Gardner, LeDoux, Olson, Croft, Elkins, McGuire

Introduced: 5/8/05

Referred: Judiciary, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to false caller identification."**

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

3 *** Section 1.** AS 45.45 is amended by adding a new section to read:

4 **Sec. 45.45.940. False caller identification.** (a) A person may not knowingly
5 insert false information into a caller identification system.

6 (b) A person who knowingly inserts false information into a caller
7 identification system is guilty of a class B misdemeanor.

8 (c) In this section,

9 (1) "caller" means a person who places a call by a telephone or over a
10 telephone line, even if the person begins the call on a computer;

11 (2) "caller identification system" means a listing of a caller's name,
12 telephone number, or name and telephone number that is shown to a recipient of a call
13 when the recipient answers;

14 (3) "insert" means insert by voice communication, by written
15 communication, or by typing into a computer;

1 (4) "knowingly" has the meaning given in AS 11.81.900.
2 * **Sec. 2.** AS 45.50.471(b) is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:
3 (51) violating AS 45.45.940 (false caller identification).