

**SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 332**  
**IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA**  
**TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES GARA, Guttenberg, Kerttula**

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**Referred: House Special Committee on Education, Health, Education and Social Services, Finance**

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act supporting parental involvement in schools through employment of parental**  
2 **involvement coordinators; establishing a supplemental income tax on oil revenue to**  
3 **support parental involvement in schools; and creating an account titled 'Resource**  
4 **Revenue for Kids' in the general fund."**

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

6 **\* Section 1.** AS 14.03 is amended by adding a new section to read:

7 **Sec. 14.03.118. Parental involvement coordinator.** (a) Each school district  
8 shall employ at least two persons at the administrative office of the school district to  
9 serve as parental involvement coordinators for the district. One of the parental  
10 involvement coordinators employed under this subsection may be assigned clerical  
11 and support duties related to parental involvement coordination. The district may also  
12 employ clerical staff necessary to support the work of the parental involvement  
13 coordinators.

14 (b) In addition to the parental involvement coordinators employed under (a) of

1 this section, each school district shall employ one person for each 500 students  
 2 enrolled in the district or one person for each public school located in the district,  
 3 whichever is greater, to perform work to enhance parental involvement in district  
 4 schools. The district may assign the persons employed under this subsection to schools  
 5 with the greatest need.

6 (c) The department shall distribute funds to each school district for the costs  
 7 associated with employment of parental involvement coordinators, clerical support for  
 8 parental involvement coordinators, and additional staff employed under (a) and (b) of  
 9 this section from funds appropriated by the legislature. If the appropriation is  
 10 insufficient to pay all eligible costs under this section, the department shall distribute  
 11 the available funds on a pro rata basis.

12 (d) The funding appropriated for the payment of parental involvement  
 13 coordination under this section is in addition to the base student allocation under  
 14 AS 14.17.470.

15 (e) A school district is required to comply with the requirements of (a) and (b)  
 16 of this section only to the extent that funds have been appropriated to cover the cost of  
 17 meeting those requirements.

18 \* **Sec. 2.** AS 14.17 is amended by adding a new section to read:

19 **Sec. 14.17.485. Resource revenue for kids account.** The resource revenue for  
 20 kids account is created as an account in the general fund. The legislature may  
 21 appropriate funds in the account and interest accrued on those funds to the Department  
 22 of Education and Early Development for supporting parental involvement in schools  
 23 under AS 14.03.118 or for any other public purpose.

24 \* **Sec. 3.** AS 43.20.011 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

25 (g) In addition to the tax imposed under (e) of this section, a taxpayer engaged  
 26 in the production of oil from a lease or property in this state and whose business  
 27 income is subject to AS 43.20.072 shall pay an additional tax of 0.5 percent of the  
 28 taxpayer's taxable income. The department shall separately account for the revenue  
 29 obtained from the tax levied by this subsection in the account created under  
 30 AS 14.17.485.