

SENATE BILL NO. 7

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY SENATOR BUNDE

Introduced: 1/11/05

Referred: Transportation, Judiciary

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to drivers' licenses and vehicle registration."**

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 28.10.041(d) is amended to read:

4 (d) The department shall refuse to register a vehicle if the applicant

5 (1) fails to register the vehicle using the applicant's full first, middle,
6 and last name or a business name; or

7 (2) has an outstanding citation or unpaid fine for a motor vehicle
8 or traffic offense, including a parking offense, under state law or municipal
9 ordinance.

10 * **Sec. 2.** AS 28.15.031(b) is amended to read:

11 (b) The department may not issue an original or duplicate driver's license to,
12 or [NOR] renew or reinstate the driver's license of, a person

13 (1) whose license is suspended or revoked, except as otherwise
14 provided in this chapter;

15 (2) who

1 **(A)** fails to appear in court for the adjudication of a certain
 2 vehicle, driver, or traffic offense when the person's appearance is required by
 3 statute, regulation, or court rule; **or**

4 **(B) has an outstanding citation or unpaid fine for a motor**
 5 **vehicle or traffic offense, including a parking offense, under state law or**
 6 **municipal ordinance;**

7 (3) who is **a** [AN] habitual user of alcohol or another drug to **the**
 8 [SUCH A] degree that the person is incapable of safely driving a motor vehicle;

9 (4) [REPEALED

10 (5)] when the department, based upon medical evidence, has
 11 determined that, because of the person's physical or mental disability, the person is not
 12 able to drive a motor vehicle safely;

13 **(5)** [(6)] who is unable to understand official traffic control devices as
 14 displayed in this state or who does not have a fair knowledge of traffic laws and
 15 regulations, as demonstrated by an examination;

16 **(6)** [(7)] who has knowingly made a false statement in the person's
 17 application for a license or has committed fraud in connection with the person's
 18 application for, or in obtaining or attempting to obtain, a license, or who has not
 19 applied under oath on the form provided for the purpose of obtaining or attempting to
 20 obtain a license or permit; or

21 **(7)** [(8)] who is required under AS 28.20 to furnish proof of financial
 22 responsibility and who has not done so.