

**SENATE BILL NO. 194**

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

**BY SENATOR MEYER**

**Introduced: 4/17/09**

**Referred: State Affairs, Judiciary**

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to civil damages for certain alcohol violations."**

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

3 **\* Section 1.** AS 04.16.049(e) is amended to read:

4 (e) A licensee may bring a civil action against a person who violates this  
5 section if the violation occurs on the premises of that licensee. If judgment is entered  
6 in favor of the licensee, the court shall award civil damages in the amount of **\$1,500**  
7 ~~[\$1,000]~~ and award reasonable costs and reasonable attorney fees allowed under the  
8 Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure.

9 **\* Sec. 2.** AS 04.16.065(a) is amended to read:

10 (a) A person who has attained 18 years of age, or an emancipated minor, who  
11 violates AS 04.16.060 is, in addition to any criminal penalty provided by law, liable in  
12 a civil action to the licensee for a penalty of **\$1,500** ~~[\$1,000]~~ plus costs and reasonable  
13 attorney fees.