

**SENATE BILL NO. 170**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY SENATORS GARDNER, McGuire, Coghill, Bishop, Ellis, Olson, Dyson, Dunleavy

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Introduced: 2/12/14

Referred: Judiciary

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to a defense to the crime of prostitution for victims of sex trafficking."**

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

3 \* **Section 1.** AS 11.66.100 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

4 (e) In a prosecution under (a)(1) of this section, it is an affirmative defense  
5 that, at the time of the alleged offense, the defendant was induced or caused to engage  
6 in prostitution by a person who was, in relation to the defendant, engaged in conduct  
7 proscribed under AS 11.66.110 - 11.66.135.