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IN THE HOUSE BY MESSRS. SANDERS AND TAYLOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 95

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

A BILL

For an Act entitled: "An Act to increase the number of peremptory challenges to jurors in criminal prosecutions; and providing for an effective date."

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

Section 1. If an offense charged in a criminal prosecution is punishable by imprisonment for not more than one year, or by fine, or both, the state is entitled to six peremptory challenges and the defendant to six, except that when there is more than one defendant, the court may allow the defendants additional peremptory challenges.

Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.