

Introduced: 3/5/63
Referred: Judiciary

1 IN THE SENATE BY SENATOR HOPSON BY REQUEST

2 SENATE BILL NO. 127

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to criminal responsibility.

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

8 * Section 1. AS 11.70 is amended by adding a new section to
9 read:

10 Sec. 11.70.040. MENTAL DISEASE OR DEFECT EXCLUDING RE-
11 SPONSIBILITY. (a) A person is not responsible for criminal
12 conduct if at the time of the conduct, as a result of mental
13 disease or defect, he lacks substantial capacity either to
14 appreciate the criminality of his conduct or to conform his
15 conduct to the requirements of law.

16 (b) In this section "mental disease or defect" does not
17 include an abnormality manifested only by repeated criminal or
18 other anti-social conduct.
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