

1 IN THE HOUSE BY MESSRS. RAY AND RADER

2 SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 53

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act to allow designation of certain
7 school bus routes as dangerous and to pro-
8 vide for the transportation of pupils on
9 these routes without restrictions based on
10 minimum distance."

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

12 * Section 1. AS 14.10.070 is amended by adding a new subsec-
13 tion to read:

14 (c) The assembly or council of a borough or city which
15 is a school district, or the department, for areas not within
16 school districts, shall periodically review routes which
17 public school pupils must travel to attend school, and shall
18 by ordinance or regulation designate as dangerous those
19 routes which prevailing weather or traffic conditions make
20 dangerous to pupils not served by school bus. The assembly,
21 council or the department, as appropriate, shall provide
22 for the transportation of pupils on routes designated as
23 dangerous. The additional cost of such transportation in
24 each district shall be shared equally by the district and by
25 the department. Eligibility to receive school bus service
26 on routes designated as dangerous shall not be subject to
27 restrictions based on the minimum distance between established
28 schools and the residences of pupils.

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