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IN THE SENATE

BY OWEN AND PETER

SENATE BILL NO. 224

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

A BILL

For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the reporting of injuries to children caused by neglect; changing the definition of 'neglect'."

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

* Section 1. AS 11.67.070(5) is amended to read:

(5) "neglect" means the wilful failure to provide necessary food, care, clothing, shelter, or medical attention for the child, provided that a child who is being furnished with any treatment licensed, recognized, or lawful to practice under the laws of this state shall be considered to be receiving necessary medical attention;