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Referred: Judiciary

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY BRIDGE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 256

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to driving recklessly or while under
7 the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 28.35.030 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 28.35.030. DRIVING WHILE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF INTOXICATING
11 LIQUOR OR DRUGS. A person who, while under the influence of intoxicating
12 liquor or narcotic drugs, operates or drives an automobile, motorcycle
13 or other motor vehicle [UPON A PUBLIC STREET OR HIGHWAY] in the state
14 upon conviction is punishable by a fine of not more than \$1,000, or by
15 imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both. Upon conviction
16 for a second or subsequent offense in violation of this section,
17 the offender's license, and his right to obtain a license, to operate
18 a motor vehicle shall be suspended for a period of three years, and
19 this suspension is in addition to any other punishment fixed by the
20 court.

21 * Sec. 2. AS 28.35.040(a) and (b) are amended to read:

22 (a) A person who drives an automobile, motorcycle or other motor
23 vehicle [UPON A PUBLIC STREET OR HIGHWAY] in the state carelessly,
24 heedlessly or in wilful or wanton disregard of the rights or safety of
25 others, or without due caution and circumspection, or at a speed or in
26 a manner so as to endanger or be likely to endanger a person or property,
27 is guilty of reckless driving, and upon conviction is punishable by a
28 fine of not more than \$1,000, or by imprisonment for a period of not
29 more than one year, or by both.

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(b) It is unlawful for a person to operate a motor vehicle in a negligent manner in the state [OVER AND ALONG THE PUBLIC HIGHWAYS]. To operate in a negligent manner means to operate a vehicle in the state [UPON THE HIGHWAYS] in such a manner as to endanger a person or property.