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and Young

Offered: 3/21/69

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 216

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to gold, jade and ivory."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 11.20.510 is amended to read:

9 Sec. 11.20.510. LABELING OF IMITATION GOLD, JADE OR IVORY. (a)

10 It is unlawful for a person to sell or offer to sell

11 (1) imitation gold nuggets manufactured of any material
12 other than gold, nuggets manufactured of gold, or imitation Alaskan
13 jade or ivory, or jewelry containing imitation gold nuggets, or nug-
14 gets manufactured of gold or imitation Alaskan jade or ivory, without
15 having a label affixed, setting forth in legible type or writing the
16 material used in the nuggets, jade or ivory, or jewelry containing the
17 nuggets, jade or ivory; the term "gold nugget" may only be used to
18 describe genuine, natural, unaltered gold in lump form; all manu-
19 factured gold which imitates nugget gold must be clearly labeled or
20 stamped "imitation nugget" and state the percentage of gold, if any,
21 contained in the imitation nugget; the process by which a gold nugget
22 is merely attached to another object is not considered alteration;

23 (2) as Alaskan, gold, jade or ivory, or jewelry made of any
24 of these materials, which does not originate in Alaska; if the origin
25 of such an item is not Alaska, it shall be labeled "Not Alaskan" if the
26 circumstances of the sale or offer to sell suggest to the ordinary
27 buyer that the origin of the item is Alaska.

28 (b) A person who violates a provision of [VIOLATING] this section
29 is guilty of a misdemeanor [,] and upon conviction is punishable by a

fine of not more than \$500.

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