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Referred: Judiciary

1 IN THE SENATE

BY TILLION

2 SENATE BILL NO. 292

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to liability for negligence of persons  
7 engaged in oil and gas resources production and develop-  
8 ment."

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

10 \* Section 1. AS 23.10 is amended by adding a new section to read:

11 ARTICLE 10. LIABILITY FOR CONTRACTORS' OR  
12 SUBCONTRACTORS' NEGLIGENCE.

13 Sec. 23.10.460. LIABILITY FOR CONTRACTORS' OR SUBCONTRACTORS'  
14 NEGLIGENCE. (a) A person engaged in the production and development of  
15 oil and gas resources in the state who contracts with a contractor or  
16 subcontractor to perform services or labor directly related to the  
17 production and development of oil and gas is liable for property damage  
18 to another person caused by the contractor's or subcontractor's negligence  
19 during the performance of services or labor under the contract.

20 (b) In an action against an employer under (a) of this section,  
21 the fact that the contractor or subcontractor may have been guilty of  
22 contributory negligence does not bar a recovery under this section.

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