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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

2 FREE CONFERENCE CS FOR HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 666

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to motorcycle safety; and providing  
7 for an effective date."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 28.35 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 28.35.270. MOTORCYCLE HELMET. (a) After January 1, 1978, no  
11 motorcycle helmets may be manufactured or sold in Alaska that do not  
12 conform to standards established by regulation by the commissioner of  
13 public safety. The regulations shall provide for helmets that allow  
14 normal peripheral vision and hearing and minimize neck injuries to the  
15 wearer potentially caused by the helmet. The issuance of these regula-  
16 tions shall be under the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act  
17 (AS 44.62).

18 (b) A person who has reached the age of majority as defined by  
19 AS 25.20.010 may not be required to wear a helmet while operating a  
20 motorcycle if he is the holder of a license which, under regulations  
21 adopted under AS 28.15.070(b), is classified singly as a license to  
22 operate a motorcycle.

23 \* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with AS 01.10.-  
24 070(c).

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