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Referred: Judiciary

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY DANKWORTH AND CARPENTER

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 172

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the suspension and removal of
7 judges."

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

9 * Section 1. AS 22.30.070(b) is amended to read:

10 (b) On recommendation of the commission or on its own motion, the
11 supreme court may suspend a judge from office without salary from the
12 date on which [WHEN] in the United States he pleads guilty or no contest
13 or a verdict of guilty is returned against him for [IS FOUND GUILTY OF]
14 a crime punishable as a felony under Alaska or federal law or of any
15 other crime that involves moral turpitude under that law. If the
16 verdict is set aside or if his conviction is reversed, suspension ter-
17 minates, and he shall be paid his salary for the period of suspension.
18 If he is suspended and his conviction becomes final the supreme court
19 shall remove him from office.

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