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Referred: State Affairs and
Judiciary

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 306

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 solicitation of rides along
7 highways by pedestrians."

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. 28.35.145. PEDESTRIANS SOLICITING RIDES. (a) No person may
11 stand in, on, or along the roadway of a highway at any place where a
12 motor vehicle cannot safely stop off the main traveled portion of the
13 roadway for the purpose of soliciting a ride for himself or for another
14 from the occupant of any vehicle.

15 (b) It is unlawful for any person to solicit a ride for himself or
16 another while standing in, on, or along the roadway of a highway located
17 within an area where the commissioner of the Department of Public Safety
18 has determined, for reasons of crime control and public safety, it is
19 not in the best interests of the public to allow pedestrians to solicit
20 rides. The area shall be posted by the Department of Highways to give
21 sufficient notice to the public of the prohibited activity.

22 (c) A person who violates (a) or (b) of this section is guilty of
23 a misdemeanor and upon conviction is punishable by a fine of not more
24 than \$300.