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Referred: Health Education and  
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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE BILL NO. 323 *Am H*

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 accreditation of and attendance at  
7 private and denominational schools."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 14.07.020(6) is amended to read:

10 (6) accredit those public [, PRIVATE, AND DENOMINATIONAL]  
11 schools which meet accreditation standards prescribed by regulation by  
12 the department;

13 \* Sec. 2. AS 14.07.020 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

14 (10) accredit private elementary and secondary schools which  
15 request accreditation and which meet accreditation standards prescribed  
16 by regulation by the department.

17 \* Sec. 3. AS 14.30.010(b)(1) is amended to read:

18 (1) is provided an academic education comparable to that  
19 offered by the public schools in the area, either by

20 (A) attendance at a private school in which the teachers  
21 are certificated according to AS 14.20.020; [OR BY]

22 (B) tutoring by personnel certificated according to AS  
23 14.20.020; or

24 (C) attendance at a private school in which the average  
25 student proficiency is not less than the average proficiency found  
26 in the public schools in the area as measured by national achieve-  
27 ment tests; the Department of Education with assistance from repre-  
28 sentatives of the private schools shall promulgate regulations  
29 defining the subject areas to be tested and the minimum average

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