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Referred: Judiciary

1 IN THE SENATE

BY BRADLEY

2 SENATE BILL NO. 443

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act affording students and teachers in the public
7 schools an opportunity to recite the pledge of alle-
8 giance at the beginning of each school day."

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

10 * Section 1. AS 14.03 is amended by adding a new section to read:

11 Sec. 14.03.135. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE. An opportunity shall be
12 afforded students and teachers in the public schools to recite the
13 pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States during the first
14 hour of each day in session during the school term. Students and
15 teachers who for any reason do not wish to participate in the recitation
16 of the pledge of allegiance may keep silent, remain seated, or express
17 their nonparticipation in any other way which does not materially dis-
18 rupt classwork or involve substantial disorder or invasion of the rights
19 of others.

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