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Referred: Health, Education &  
Social Services and Judiciary

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE  
BY REQUEST (for the Task  
Force on Violent Crime)

1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 572

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to emergency injunctive relief in  
7 cases involving domestic violence."

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

9 \* Section 1. AS 09.55.610 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

10 (g) During the course of responding to a report of domestic vio-  
11 lence, a peace officer shall, in addition to providing the notification  
12 required under AS 18.65.520, assist a person who has been subjected to  
13 domestic violence to prepare a petition for emergency injunctive relief  
14 under this section and cause the petition to be filed, unless the  
15 person who has been subjected to domestic violence refuses or is  
16 unable, by reason of intoxication or injury, to petition for emergency  
17 injunctive relief. A petition filed in accordance with this subsection  
18 shall be heard by a court at the earliest possible time after it is  
19 filed, as determined by the court.