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1 IN THE SENATE

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SENATE BILL NO. 445

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to child abuse."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 47.17.020 is amended by adding a new subsection to
9 read:

10 (d) The department shall establish by regulation guidelines as
11 to what constitutes sufficient cause to believe that a child has
12 suffered harm as a result of abuse or neglect. The guidelines shall
13 be made available to persons required to report under (a) of this sec-
14 tion.

15 * Sec. 2. No later than January 1, 1985, the Department of Health and
16 Social Services shall adopt the initial regulations required by AS 47.17.-
17 020(d) enacted by sec. 1 of this Act.