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SENATE BILL NO. 235

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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A BILL

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For an Act entitled: "An Act imposing a maximum pupil-teacher ratio in  
certain public elementary school grades; and provid-  
ing for an effective date."

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

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

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Sec. 14.03.065. MAXIMUM PUPIL-TEACHER RATIO FOR CERTAIN ELEMEN-

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TARY GRADES. In a public school, the ratio of pupils to a teacher may

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not exceed 18 to 1 in kindergarten and the first grade, or 20 to 1 in

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the second and third grades. In this section "teacher" means a person

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who is certified under AS 14.20.020 and who is an actual classroom

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teacher in a regular instructional program.

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\* Sec. 2. This Act takes effect July 1, 1989.