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SENATE BILL NO. 358

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to fingerprinting of minors."

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

8 * Section 1. AS 47.10.097(a) is amended to read:

9 (a) Except as provided in (b) of this section, a minor in the
10 custody of the department or of a law enforcement agency may not be
11 fingerprinted [FOR REFERENCE TO OR ENTRY INTO THE ALASKA AUTOMATED
12 FINGERPRINT SYSTEM] without a court order upon good cause shown. Good
13 cause exists if the minor is in custody for a serious offense against
14 persons or property or if identification of the minor is necessary for
15 the safety of the minor or of other persons.

16 * Sec. 2. AS 47.10.097(b) is amended to read:

17 (b) A law enforcement officer may fingerprint a minor who is 14
18 [16] years of age or older [FOR REFERENCE TO OR ENTRY INTO THE ALASKA
19 AUTOMATED FINGERPRINT SYSTEM] without a court order

20 (1) when the minor is arrested [CONVICTED OF, OR ADJUDICAT-
21 ED A DELINQUENT] for [,] an offense that is a felony if committed by
22 an adult; or

23 (2) immediately after the minor is institutionalized upon
24 adjudication for delinquency.

25 * Sec. 3. AS 47.10.097 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

26 (d) If the minor is 14 or 15 years of age, the fingerprints
27 taken under (b) of this section may be checked through the Alaska
28 automated fingerprint identification system once and then shall be
29 immediately destroyed. If the minor is 16 or 17 years of age, the

- 1 fingerprints may be entered in the Alaska automated fingerprint iden-
- 2 tification system.