

SENATE BILL NO. 309

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

Introduced: 5/20/91
Referred: Labor and Commerce

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the frequency of inspection and testing of weighing and measuring
2 devices; and authorizing the issuance of citations for violations of the Weights and
3 Measures Act."

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

5 * Section 1. AS 45.75.080(a) is amended to read:

6 (a) The director may inspect and test, to ascertain if they are correct, all weights and
7 measures kept, offered, or exposed for sale. The director shall, as [AT LEAST
8 SEMIANNUALLY AND MORE] often as considered necessary, inspect and test, to ascertain if
9 they are correct, all weights and measures commercially used in

10 (1) determining the weight, measurement, or count of commodities or things sold,
11 or offered or exposed for sale, on the basis of weight or of measure;

12 (2) computing the basic charge or payment for services rendered on the basis of
13 weight or of measure or count; or

14 (3) determining weight or measurement when a charge is made for this

1 determination.

2 * Sec. 2. AS 45.75.131(a) is amended to read:

3 (a) A peace officer or an employee of the Department of Commerce and Economic
4 Development who is authorized by the commissioner of commerce and economic development
5 to enforce this chapter or the size, weight, and load limitations adopted by the Department of
6 Transportation and Public Facilities under AS 19.10.160 may issue a citation to a person who
7 violates

8 (1) a weight, size, or load limitation;

9 (2) the terms of an overweight or oversize vehicle permit issued under
10 AS 44.33.020(25); [OR]

11 (3) a regulation adopted under AS 28.05.011(2) or under AS 44.33.020(25) and
12 AS 45.75.050(b)(5); or

13 (4) any provision of AS 45.75 or of a regulation adopted under AS 45.75.