Introduced by: Dimmick

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Date: Mar. 19, 1985 Vote: 10 Yes, 5 No Action: Adopted

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

RESOLUTION 85-49

URGING PASSAGE OF HOUSE BILL 240 BY THE LEGISLATURE.

WHEREAS, the safety of our children when transported to and from school is of paramount importance; and

WHEREAS, the most dangerous part of the trip is exiting the bus on a travelled roadway at the students regular stop.

WHEREAS, there have been increasing reports of vehicles passing school buses when they are stopped to let children on or off, threatening the lives and safety of the children; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 240 would allow prosecution of the owner of a vehicle identified as driving in violation of the law requiring vehicles to stop when the school bus is loading and unloading, and may help to cut down the number of violators and potential accidents;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH:

Section 1. That the Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly supports House Bill 240 and urges passage immediately.

Section 2. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Section 3. That a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Governor William J. Sheffield, to Senators Edna DeVries, Paul Fischer, Jalmar M. Kerttula, and John C. Sackett, to Representatives Bette Cato, Andre Marrou, Mike Navarre, Kay Wallis, Mike Szymanski, David Thompson, Robin Taylor, and John L. Sund.

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH ON THIS 2nd DAY OF April ____, 1985.

Marilyn Dimmiok, Assembly President

ATTEST:

Borough Clerk