

HOUSE BILL NO. 349

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEDOUX

Introduced: 2/24/16

Referred:

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to sex trafficking."**

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

3 *** Section 1.** AS 11.66.110(a) is amended to read:

4 (a) A person commits the crime of sex trafficking in the first degree if the
5 person

6 (1) induces or causes another [A] person to engage in prostitution
7 through the use of force;

8 (2) as other than a patron of a prostitute, induces or causes another [A]
9 person who is under 20 years of age to engage in prostitution; or

10 (3) induces or causes a person in that person's legal custody to engage
11 in prostitution.

12 *** Sec. 2.** AS 11.66.130(a) is amended to read:

13 (a) A person commits the crime of sex trafficking in the third degree if, with
14 intent to promote prostitution, the person

15 (1) manages, supervises, controls, or owns, either alone or in

1 association with others, a place of prostitution;

2 (2) as other than a patron of a prostitute, induces or causes another [A]
3 person who is 20 years of age or older to engage in prostitution;

4 (3) as other than a prostitute receiving compensation for personally
5 rendered prostitution services, receives or agrees to receive money or other property
6 under an agreement or understanding that the money or other property is derived from
7 prostitution; or

8 (4) engages in conduct that institutes, aids, or facilitates a prostitution
9 enterprise.

10 * **Sec. 3.** AS 11.66.130 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

11 (c) A person does not act with the intent to promote prostitution under (a) of
12 this section if the person

13 (1) engages in prostitution in violation of AS 11.66.100(a) in a location
14 even if that location is shared with another person; and

15 (2) has not induced or caused another person in that location to engage
16 in prostitution.

17 * **Sec. 4.** AS 11.66.135 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

18 (c) A person does not institute, aid, or facilitate prostitution if the person

19 (1) engages in prostitution in violation of AS 11.66.100(a) in a location
20 even if that location is shared with another person; and

21 (2) has not induced or caused another person in that location to engage
22 in prostitution.