

ALASKA LAW

SENATE BILL NO. 44

"An Act relating to the safe abandonment of infants."

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

* **Sec. 1.** AS 11.81.500 is amended to read:

Sec. 11.81.500. No prosecution for safe surrender of infant. A parent may not be criminally prosecuted for surrendering a child of the parent if the child

- (1) is an infant who is less than **60** [21] days of age;
- (2) is surrendered in the manner described in AS 47.10.013(c); and
- (3) is not the subject of a court order affecting custody of the child.

* **Section 1.** AS 47.10.990(16) is amended to read:

- (16) "infant" means a child who is less than **60** [21] days of age;