

HOUSE BILL NO. 140

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY REPRESENTATIVES VANCE, Revak, Sullivan-Leonard

Introduced: 4/22/19

Referred: Community & Regional Affairs

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act establishing October 1 as Choose Respect Day."**

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

3 * **Section 1.** AS 44.12 is amended by adding a new section to read:

4 **Sec. 44.12.157. Choose Respect Day.** Choose Respect Day is established on
5 October 1 of each year to promote awareness and prevention of domestic violence,
6 sexual assault, and child sexual abuse in the state. Choose Respect Day may be
7 observed by suitable observances and exercises by civic groups and the public.