Authorizing a recess by the House of Representatives or Senate for a period of more than three days.

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

WHEREAS the legislature was called into the First Special Session of the Twenty-Ninth Alaska State Legislature on April 27, 2015, by the Governor; and

WHEREAS, during the next few weeks, the finance committees of each house will be conducting extensive hearings on the state operating and capital budgets and other subjects included in the Governor's proclamation; and

WHEREAS, during the periods the finance committees of each house are conducting hearings, the presence of the full membership of the Senate or House of Representatives is not required, and daily floor sessions will take time away from careful consideration by the committees of the subjects included in the Governor's April 27, 2015, proclamation; and

WHEREAS art. II, sec. 10, Constitution of the State of Alaska, provides that neither house may adjourn or recess for longer than three days unless the other house concurs; and

WHEREAS Rule 52, Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, provides that adoption of a concurrent resolution by a majority vote of the full membership of each house
constitutes concurrence;

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Alaska State Legislature that the Senate or the House of Representatives may be in recess for more than three days during the First Special Session of the Twenty-Ninth Alaska State Legislature called by the Governor on April 27, 2015, and that each house concurs in this recess; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Alaska State Legislature that the finance committees of each house continue to meet on the subjects in the Governor's April 27, 2015, proclamation during a recess of both houses of the legislature until May 12, 2015.