



**A RESOLUTION OF THE ALASKA PARTNERSHIP FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
BOARD OF DIRECTORS SUPPORTING SENATE BILL NUMBER 25;
"AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE SUSTAINABLE ENERGY TRANSMISSION AND SUPPLY
DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM IN THE ALASKA INDUSTRAIL DEVELOPMENT AND
EXPORT AUTHORITY: AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE."**

Resolution #12-11

Whereas; the Alaska Regional Development Organizations (ARDOR) was established by the Alaska Legislature in 1988; and

Whereas; the ARDOR's statutory mandate is to encourage the formation of regions development organizations to prepare and implement regional development strategies; and

Whereas; the ARDOR's represent a diverse network of public, private and economic development groups that drive local initiatives and advance economic diversification through partnerships with state and local governments; and

Whereas; the ARDOR's established the Alaska Partnership for Economic Development, (APED), in 2009, to advance economic development and address initiatives affecting development and to help develop a state-wide comprehensive strategic plan; and

Whereas; the ARDOR/APED programs have established partnerships with more than 300 local, regional, private, municipal and public organizations to pool resources, decrease duplication and foster new businesses; and

Whereas; the APED now comes in support of the following legislation being considered by the Alaska State Legislature:

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED; the Alaska Partnership for Economic Development supports *Senate Bill Number 25*; “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE SUSTAINABLE ENERGY TRANSMISSION AND SUPPLY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM IN THE ALASKA INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND EXPORT AUTHORITY: AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.”

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to the SENATOR MCGUIRE, the prime sponsor of SB25.

APPROVED THIS 24th DAY of FEBRUARY 2012.

2/24/2012

Kathryn E. Druley ATTEST:

2/24/2012
Secretary Date

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