



# ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

## HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE

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## Explanation of Changes: HJR 4, Version N to G

*All deletions reference page and line numbers from the route version N, while all additions reference page and line numbers from the Rules Committee substitute, version G*

**Page 1, lines 2-4 of version G:** The title was amended to reflect the addition of new “resolve” language on Page 2, lines 26-27, as well as lines 29-32.

**Page 1, lines 4-5 of version N:** Deleted “whereas” language from the previous version.

**Page 1, line 15 through Page 2, line 1 of version G:** Added the following language: “WHEREAS on June 7, 1913, Walter Harper, a 20-year-old man of Athabaskan descent, became the first person to stand on the summit of the mountain.”

**Page 2, lines 19-24 of version N:** Deleted “whereas” language from the previous version.

**Page 2, lines 22-24 of version G:** Added the following language “WHEREAS the Alaska State Legislature supports efforts to recognize the heritage of the state’s Alaska Native peoples and the continuing importance of the mountain to Alaska Native culture.”

**Page 2, lines 26-27 of version G:** Added the “United States Board on Geographic Names” to the list of entities in the resolution’s request.

**Page 2, lines 29-31 of version G:** Added additional “resolve” language requesting Alaska’s congressional delegation to advocate on behalf of, and work to preserve, Denali as the official name for the tallest mountain in North America.

**Page 3, lines 1-7 of version G:** Replaced previous reference to “United States Secretary of the Interior” with the “Honorable Walter Cruickshank, Acting United States Secretary of the Interior” for cleanup purposes. Added the following to the list of individuals and entities copied on the resolution: the “Domestic Names Committee,” the “United States Board on Geographic Names,” the “Honorable Lisa Murkowski,” the “Honorable Dan Sullivan,” and the “Honorable Nick Begich.”