



# Alaska State Legislature

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## JOINT RESOLUTION

Honoring Lt. Gen. Raymond J. Reeves.

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

WHEREAS the presence in force of the armed services of the United States in Alaska has played an important part in the defense and economy of the state; and

WHEREAS when the civilian society and economy of a state has superimposed on it a large military presence, the burden of maintaining cordial and productive relations between the military and civilian population falls mainly on the military commander and his staff; and

WHEREAS under the leadership of Lt. Gen. Raymond J. Reeves, Commander in Chief, Alaskan Command, Alaska has enjoyed the finest and most productive of relationships between the civilian and military populations on the state and local level;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of the State of Alaska extends to Lt. Gen. Raymond J. Reeves, Commander in Chief, Alaskan Command, its sincerest compliments and thanks for furthering and cementing civilian-military relationships in Alaska.

COPIES of this resolution are to be sent to General Reeves; the Honorable Robert S. McNamara, Secretary of Defense; the Honorable L. Mendell Rivers, Chairman, House Armed Services Committee; the Honorable Richard B. Russell, Chairman, Senate Armed Services Committee; and to the Honorable E. L. Bartlett and the Honorable Ernest Gruening, U. S. Senators, and the Honorable Ralph J. Rivers, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.