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JOINT RESOLUTION

Relating to necessary improvements to the Anchorage and Fairbanks airports.

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

WHEREAS the Anchorage and Fairbanks airports are the only two nonmilitary airports in Alaska capable of handling major international flights; and

WHEREAS fog and ice fog conditions in these areas often reduce the visibility below minimum standards for safe flying; and

WHEREAS category two lighting will greatly enhance the safety of landings and takeoffs at these airports; and

WHEREAS this is an important matter and needs immediate attention, but two years lead time is usually required for obtaining the FAA funds necessary;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Federal Aviation Agency is respectfully requested to give immediate consideration to the installation of category two lighting at the Anchorage and Fairbanks airports, to approve of this lighting, and to budget the funds necessary for the matching funds for installation.

COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to General W. F. McKee, Administrator of the Federal Aviation Agency; and to the Honorable E. L. Bartlett and the Honorable Ernest Gruening, U. S. Senators and the Honorable Howard W. Pollock, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.