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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 51

Relating to identification of slow moving vehicles on public highways.

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

WHEREAS studies indicate that there is a need for distant and quick identification of slow moving vehicles on public highways in order to avoid rear end collisions by faster moving vehicular traffic; and

WHEREAS a study conducted at Ohio State University shows that these rear end collisions can be reduced by as much as 21 per cent by the requirement that a triangle-shaped emblem 14 inches on each side with a florescent orange background and a reflective red border be clearly displayed on the back end of all slow moving vehicles;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Governor is respectfully requested to direct the Department of Public Safety to furnish these emblems for slow vehicular traffic identification purposes, at cost, to all persons who use the public highways for the movement of farm tractors and other slow moving vehicles and to adopt regulations requiring these persons to display the emblems on the rear of slow moving vehicles whenever they are being moved along public highways.