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## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

Requesting the construction of a new school for St. Paul Island, Alaska.

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

WHEREAS, under the terms of the fur seal treaty of 1966, it is provided that the educational needs of the Natives of St. Paul Island shall be met in the same manner as all other citizens of the State of Alaska, including the furnishing of necessary educational facilities; and

WHEREAS the only school at St. Paul Island is a deteriorating frame constructed building built 40 years ago that is a serious fire hazard; and

WHEREAS the school presently has an enrollment of approximately 150 students, and is generally inadequate for modern day educational needs;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Sixth Alaska State Legislature respectfully requests the Department of the Interior to construct a new school at St. Paul Island, Alaska.

COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Richard M. Nixon, President of the United States; to the Honorable Walter J. Hickel, Secretary of the Department of the Interior; to the Honorable Harry L. Rietze, Regional Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U. S. Senators, and to the Honorable Howard W. Pollock, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.