



# Alaska State Legislature

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## JOINT RESOLUTION

Requesting a BIA school for Chuloonawick, Alaska.

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

WHEREAS the village of Chuloonawick has a population of 120 people, of which approximately 40 are children; and

WHEREAS due to the absence of a school in the village, the families must move each fall to other villages with schools, returning again in June; and

WHEREAS the constant moving of these families in order to secure this basic right of elementary education is an undue hardship on their already overburdened lives;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Sixth Alaska State Legislature respectfully requests the Bureau of Indian Affairs to establish a BIA school at Chuloonawick, Alaska.

COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Walter J. Hickel, Secretary of the Department of the Interior; the Honorable Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner of Indian Affairs; the Honorable Charles A. Richmond, Area Director of the Bureau of Indian Affairs; 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.