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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9

Relating to the efficient use of electrical power in the Yakutat area.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE:

WHEREAS the Yakutat Power Company at Yakutat, Alaska has an electrical generating capacity of approximately 1,100 KWH; and

WHEREAS the community of Yakutat and the FAA facility there are supplied by this company but do not consume enough power to most efficiently use the generating capacity available; and

WHEREAS the Coast Guard and White Alice (RCA) facilities in the area generate their own electrical power; and

WHEREAS the success of a proposed cold storage plant and the further economic development of the Yakutat area depend in part on the maintenance of low electrical power rates; and

WHEREAS power costs in the area could be significantly reduced if all generation requirements were met by the Yakutat Power Company;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate respectfully requests the Governor to petition the Public Service Commission, the U. S. Coast Guard, the RCA, the FAA, and the City of Yakutat to consolidate the power generation facilities in the Yakutat area and attempt to use the existing facilities more efficiently so that the cost of power will be lowered for all consumers.