

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 29

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Referred: Finance

A RESOLUTION

1 **Relating to the federal balanced budget amendment.**

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

3 **WHEREAS** the United States House of Representatives has passed H.J. Res. 1
4 proposing a balanced budget amendment to the United States Constitution; and

5 **WHEREAS** it is in the national interest for the federal government to live within its
6 means; and

7 **WHEREAS** eliminating the national deficit and controlling national government
8 spending could be accomplished by the passage of a balanced budget amendment by the
9 United States Congress and ratification of the amendment by the states of the union;

10 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the Alaska State Legislature urges the United States Congress
11 to pass, and the president to support, a resolution proposing an amendment to the United
12 States Constitution that requires the balancing of the federal budget; and be it

13 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Alaska State Legislature urges the legislature of
14 each state of the nation to ratify a balanced budget amendment that is passed by the United
15 States Congress.

16 **COPIES** of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Bill Clinton, President of the
17 United States; the Honorable Al Gore, Vice-President of the United States and President of

1 the U.S. Senate; to the Honorable Strom Thurmond, President Pro Tempore of the U.S.
2 Senate; to the Honorable Newt Gingrich, Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives; to
3 the Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Frank Murkowski, U.S. Senators, and the
4 Honorable Don Young, U.S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress;
5 and to the presiding officer of each house of each state of the United States.