

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 3**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

**BY THE HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE**

**Introduced: 1/20/09**

**Referred: Today's Calendar**

**A RESOLUTION**

1 **Establishing a House Special Committee on Fisheries.**

2 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:**

3 **WHEREAS** fishing for personal use helps to define the Alaska lifestyle for many  
4 state residents; and

5 **WHEREAS** sport fishing plays a significant role in the state tourism industry; and

6 **WHEREAS** the commercial fishing industry is one of Alaska's largest renewable  
7 resource industries; and

8 **WHEREAS** Alaska's subsistence fisheries are an important use of our fisheries  
9 resources; and

10 **WHEREAS** the Alaska State Legislature must be well informed on all issues related  
11 to the fisheries of Alaska;

12 **BE IT RESOLVED** by the House of Representatives that a House Special Committee  
13 on Fisheries is established to study fishery issues relevant to Alaska; and be it

14 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the speaker of the House of Representatives shall  
15 determine the number of representatives to be members of the committee, appoint the  
16 members, and designate a member to chair the committee; and be it

1           **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the House Special Committee on Fisheries may meet  
2 during and between sessions of the Twenty-Sixth Alaska State Legislature and is terminated  
3 on the convening of the First Session of the Twenty-Seventh Alaska State Legislature.