

1 IN THE SENATE

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO.5

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA

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TWENTY-FIRST SESSION

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TO: THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA.

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7 WHEREAS, the future economy of the Territory of Alaska
8 depends to a major extent upon the wise utilization of its
9 renewable natural resources; and

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11 WHEREAS, the fishing industry now is, and if properly
12 managed will continue to be, Alaska's leading and most
13 productive industry utilizing such natural resources; and will
14 furnish many opportunities for trained men and women gleaned
15 from the ranks of Alaska's youth; and

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17 WHEREAS, the curriculum of the University of Alaska does
18 not include courses pertaining to fisheries; and

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20 WHEREAS, although such courses are offered at the
21 University of Washington, that institution's great distance from
22 the Territory, together with the fact that its courses on
23 fisheries are not specifically adapted to conditions that are
24 peculiar to Alaska alone, makes it impracticable for the young
25 men and women of the Territory to incur the heavy expense of
26 leaving the Territory in order to attend that university; and

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28 WHEREAS, it will be extremely beneficial to Alaska if a
29 school or college offering courses in the study of fisheries be
30 established in the Territory;

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32 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE
33 TERRITORY OF ALASKA: That the Board of Regents of the
34 University of Alaska institute and conduct a survey and determine
35 therefrom the feasibility of establishing a branch of the

1 University, at some coastal location in Alaska, as a college of
2 fisheries; and that it set up a tentative curriculum covering
3 the various courses and studies essential for a thorough
4 knowledge and understanding of the fisheries of Alaska.

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