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1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE MEMORIAL NO. 8

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA

4 TWENTY-THIRD SESSION

5 TO THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR: THE DIRECTOR OF THE FISH AND  
6 WILDLIFE SERVICE AND THE DELEGATE TO CONGRESS FROM ALASKA:

7 Your Memorialist, the House of Representatives of the  
8 Territory of Alaska, in Twenty-third Session assembled, re-  
9 spectfully represents:

10 WHEREAS, it is in the national interest to promote and  
11 encourage the growth of year-round industry in the Territory  
12 of Alaska; and

13 WHEREAS, it has been the declared policy of the Interior  
14 Department to encourage local industry by requiring processing  
15 of raw materials in the area of production; and

16 WHEREAS, in violation of this policy, the fur seal pelts  
17 harvested annually on the Pribilof Islands in Alaska have been  
18 processed in St. Louis, Missouri, for many years,

19 NOW THEREFORE, your Memorialist, the House of Representatives  
20 of the Territory of Alaska, in Twenty-third Session assembled,  
21 respectfully urges that the Secretary of the Interior take  
22 immediate action to require that all processing of fur seals  
23 from the Pribilof Islands be conducted in Alaska.

24 AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

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