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IN THE HOUSE

BY MR. WIDMARK

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

SECOND LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

Relating to names for the first
three vessels in the projected
Alaska Ferry System.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE IN SECOND LEGISLATURE, SECOND SESSION
ASSEMBLED, THE SENATE CONCURRING:

WHEREAS, the State of Alaska is presently having constructed
three vessels to be used on the Southeast Alaska Ferry System
between Prince Rupert, B. C., and Skagway, Alaska; and

WHEREAS, it has been announced that the decorative motif to
be used in these vessels is to be derived from the art and de-
signs of the Indians of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, the area to be traversed by these three
vessels on their regular route is the aboriginal home of the
Tlinget, the Haida and the Tsimshian Indians; and

WHEREAS, the first state-owned ferry vessels were named,
respectively, the CHILKOOT and the CHILKAT, which are both recog-
nized Alaska Indian tribal names;

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives in Second
Legislature, Second Session assembled, the Senate concurring
that the Governor of Alaska and the Alaska Department of Public
Works are respectfully urged to name the three new vessels for
the Southeast Alaska Ferry System, respectively, the TLINGET,
the HAIDA and the TSIMSHIAN.