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IN THE SENATE

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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

Relating to the production of fish
flour.

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

WHEREAS, a National Academy of Sciences panel has recently reported that a wholesome, safe, and nutritious product for human consumption, often referred to as fish flour, can be made from whole fish; and

WHEREAS, fish flour is a rich source of protein which could be a valuable supplement to the diet of many people here and abroad, and a cheap and practical method for the manufacture of fish flour has been developed; and

WHEREAS, foreign fishing interests are currently exploiting fish resources in the waters off the coast of Alaska which could be used for the production of fish flour in the United States;

BE IT RESOLVED that the United States is urged to proceed as expeditiously as possible with the research necessary to establish conclusively that fish flour is a valuable protein source for humans; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this Resolution be sent to the Honorable John F. Kennedy, President of the United States; the Honorable Luther Hodges, Secretary of Commerce; the Honorable Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; the Honorable Dean Rusk, Secretary of State; and the members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.