

1 IN THE HOUSE BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST
OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

2 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to a study and report
6 on the state public land program.

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

8 WHEREAS, along with statehood, Congress granted to the State
9 of Alaska the right to select millions of acres of public land; and

10 WHEREAS, in the selection of land of present or potential
11 value to the state, administrative and other obstacles have been
12 encountered which are little known or understood by the public;
13 and

14 WHEREAS the public has a continuing interest in and concern
15 with the acquisition, use, disposition, and availability of land
16 for homesites, agricultural and industrial uses, recreation and
17 other purposes; and

18 WHEREAS the amount and type of land in possession of the
19 state, its management, the income derived, types of leases and
20 contracts, the effect of aboriginal claims, and other aspects of
21 acquisition, control, and disposition are of continuing public
22 interest;

23 BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Council is directed, with
24 the cooperation of the Department of Natural Resources, to make a
25 full report to the Legislature in January of 1967 on all facets of
26 the public land program of the state and to make recommendations
27 regarding any state or federal legislative or administrative
28 action which may be required to meet the present and future needs
29 of the state in its public land program.

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