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1 IN THE HOUSE

RULES COMMITTEE
BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 28

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to legislation to repeal
6 Section 14(b) of the Labor Manage-
7 ment Relations Act of 1947
8 Authorizing State Enactment of
9 Right-to-Work Laws.

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

11 WHEREAS, Section 14(b) of the Labor Management Relations Act
12 of 1947 permits States and Territories of the United States to
13 prohibit contractual agreements between labor and management
14 requiring membership in a labor organization as a condition to
15 continued employment; and

16 WHEREAS, Section 14(b) of the Labor Management Relations Act
17 of 1947 is not in the public interest and is a detriment to the
18 entire economy of the United States because it restricts the right
19 of labor to collective bargain freely with management, thereby
20 reducing the opportunity of individual working men and women to
21 realize the full economic and social benefits of our society; and

22 WHEREAS, a substantial number of the members of the Congress
23 of the United States has recognized that Section 14(b) of the
24 Labor Management Relations Act of 1947 is not in the public in-
25 terest and the Congress is presently considering legislation
26 which would repeal Section 14(b);

27 BE IT RESOLVED, that the Legislature of the State of Alaska
28 supports the repeal of Section 14(b) of the Labor Management
29 Relations Act of 1947, and urges the Congress of the United

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1 States to repeal Section 14(b); and be it

2 FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be sent to
3 the Honorable Lyndon B. Johnson, President of the United States;
4 the Honorable Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; the Chairman of
5 the Labor and Welfare Committee of the United States Senate; the
6 Chairman of the Education and Labor Committee of the United States
7 House of Representatives; and the members of the Alaska Delegation
8 in Congress.