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2 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the sale of tax-
6 free and duty-free merchandise
7 at Anchorage International
8 Airport.

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CON-
10 CURRING:

11 WHEREAS Anchorage International Airport is the center of
12 cross-polar traffic from many nations of the world; and

13 WHEREAS each year thousands of in-transit passengers are
14 received there; and

15 WHEREAS several airports in various ports of entry through-
16 out the world have attracted countless tourists by reason of
17 their sale of tax-free and duty-free merchandise to passengers
18 of aircraft departing for foreign destinations; and

19 WHEREAS the United States Customs regulations make it pos-
20 sible for the Anchorage International Airport to be among those
21 airports which have been and are renowned for their buyer's
22 paradise; and

23 WHEREAS the establishment of such a "free port" facility
24 would be a boon to Alaska's tourist trade and the state's economy
25 as a whole;

26 BE IT RESOLVED that the Governor is requested to appoint a
27 committee to study in detail the merits, economic feasibility
28 and administrative and legislative action required to establish
29 a customs bonded warehouse at the Anchorage International Airport

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1 and to submit its findings and recommendations to the Second
2 Session of the Fourth Legislature in January, 1966.

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