

1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Nominating Don Sheldon of Talkeetna
6 for the state medal for heroism.

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

8 WHEREAS the Governor is authorized by law to award the state
9 medal for heroism to citizens of the State of Alaska in recognition
10 of heroism in saving lives; and

11 WHEREAS Don Sheldon of Talkeetna has made numerous perilous
12 landings in his plane on the icy slopes and surfaces of mountains
13 and glaciers of the Alaskan Range to rescue injured persons and
14 bring them to safety for immediate medical attention; and

15 WHEREAS Don Sheldon has for many years always responded to
16 any emergency call for assistance without regard to the personal
17 risks involved and without any thought for monetary gain for him-
18 self;

19 BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature submits to the Governor
20 the name of Don Sheldon of Talkeetna as a nominee for the awarding
21 of the state medal for heroism in recognition of his years of
22 meritorious and unselfish service on the behalf of those in peril.

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