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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 81

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Urging the restoration of funds  
6 requested for general agri-  
7 cultural research in Alaska.

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

9 WHEREAS the budget submitted to Congress by the Bureau of  
10 the Budget failed to make provision for the continuing federal  
11 support of general agricultural research in Alaska; and

12 WHEREAS for the current fiscal year \$434,100 was appropriated  
13 for the research program of the U. S. Department of Agriculture  
14 Experiment Farm at Palmer; and

15 WHEREAS support for the continuation of this vital service  
16 in the amount of \$446,000 was requested for the 1966-67 fiscal  
17 year but the item was deleted from the budget before its sub-  
18 mission to Congress; and

19 WHEREAS the further and beneficial development and improve-  
20 ment of Alaska's agrarian economy is very much dependent on the  
21 continued research at and service from the Agricultural Experi-  
22 ment Station at Palmer;

23 BE IT RESOLVED that the President and the Congress of the  
24 United States are respectfully and urgently requested to restore  
25 the requested appropriation request for support of the U. S.  
26 Agricultural Experiment Station at Palmer, Alaska.

27 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable  
28 Lyndon B. Johnson, President of the United States; the Honorable  
29 Hubert H. Humphrey, Vice President of the United States and

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1 and President of the Senate; the Honorable John W. McCormack,  
2 Speaker of the House of Representatives; the Honorable Carl Hayden,  
3 President pro tempore of the Senate and Chairman of the Senate  
4 Appropriations Committee; the Honorable George H. Mahon, Chairman  
5 of the House Appropriations Committee; the Honorable Orville L.  
6 Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; the Honorable Charles L.  
7 Schultze, Director, Bureau of the Budget; and the Honorable E. L.  
8 Bartlett and the Honorable Ernest Gruening, U. S. Senators, and  
9 the Honorable Ralph J. Rivers, U. S. Representative, members of  
10 the Alaska delegation in Congress.

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