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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 53

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to an Alaska Fisherman's Day.

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

7 WHEREAS the fishing industry is the largest single industry in Alaska;  
8 and

9 WHEREAS the people of the state should be made more aware of the fish-  
10 ing industry and its products from the sea; and

11 WHEREAS fishermen need a time and place where they can go to see the  
12 modern equipment developed for the fishing industry; and

13 WHEREAS fishermen should be encouraged to get together once a year and  
14 demonstrate to people of the state their wares and skills;

15 BE IT RESOLVED that the Governor is respectfully requested to proclaim  
16 to the state an Alaska Fisherman's Day, and that this day be the last  
17 Saturday of September; and be it

18 FURTHER RESOLVED that the Governor is respectfully requested to en-  
19 courage the fishermen to gather together and establish a fisherman's trade  
20 fair at which fish products are displayed and sold, competition in fishing  
21 skills are conducted, and the newest in fish gear and methods is displayed  
22 by vendors of marine products.