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2 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to publicity on Alaska's less
6 well-known areas.

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

8 WHEREAS many tourist agencies and travel bureaus are not aware of the
9 vast size of Alaska and the distances between various cities and points of
10 interest; and

11 WHEREAS it is a common occurrence that when certain excursion steamers
12 and tourist facilities in a well-known area are full, tourists are dis-
13 couraged from visiting Alaska because they are not aware of the multitude of
14 under-publicized scenic and historical sites which this state has to offer;
15 and

16 WHEREAS many of the potential tourist areas of Alaska would welcome an
17 increase in tourism to provide a needed boost to local economies;

18 BE IT RESOLVED that the Governor is respectfully requested to direct
19 the Department of Economic Development to publicize to travel bureaus and
20 tourist agencies the many possibilities for exciting vacations in the less
21 well-known areas of Alaska.

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