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1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to the availability of fire  
6 insurance to rural residents of Alaska.

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

8 WHEREAS the many citizens of Alaska who reside in our many rural areas  
9 are unable to secure adequate insurance against fire except through foreign  
10 insurers; and

11 WHEREAS fire insurance rates when such insurance is available are ex-  
12 horbitant; and

13 WHEREAS there are more than 200 insurance companies licensed to write  
14 fire insurance in this state; and

15 WHEREAS 110 of these 200 companies are now actively engaged in the  
16 writing of fire insurance in the state; and

17 WHEREAS these companies are not making their product available to  
18 persons who reside in the rural areas of Alaska;

19 BE IT RESOLVED that the Fifth Legislature respectfully requests the  
20 Governor to direct the Department of Commerce to make a complete and  
21 comprehensive study with the objective of making recommendations to the  
22 Sixth Legislature, First Session as to how fire insurance can be made  
23 available at equitable rates to all citizens of the state.  
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