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1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 53

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to establishing a post office  
6 at Nelson Lagoon, Alaska and Ivanof  
7 Bay, Alaska.

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

9 WHEREAS communication facilities are essential for the development of  
10 Alaska and the normal comforts of its population; and

11 WHEREAS, Nelson Lagoon and Ivanof Bay are economically stable and grow-  
12 ing communities; and

13 WHEREAS there are no roads to either community and the only means of  
14 transportation is by airplane, either on scheduled or charter flights; and

15 WHEREAS these communities are being denied access to the regular postal  
16 services which are available to many communities of smaller size elsewhere in  
17 the nation, thus working a great hardship on the residents;

18 BE IT RESOLVED that the Honorable Lawrence F. O'Brien, Postmaster Gen-  
19 eral of the United States, is hereby respectfully requested to establish  
20 minimum post offices in each of these communities.

21 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Lawrence F.  
22 O'Brien, Postmaster General of the United States; and to the Honorable E.L.  
23 Bartlett and the Honorable Ernest Gruening, U.S. Senators and the Honorable  
24 Howard W. Pollock, U.S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in  
25 Congress.  
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