

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST
OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

5 Relating to passage of a federal flood
6 insurance program.

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

8 WHEREAS United States Senate Bill No. 1985 would create a federal flood
9 insurance program in which a property owner in a flood-prone area would pay
10 a reasonable premium designed to encourage him to purchase flood insurance
11 and the federal government would subsidize the difference between this
12 premium and the full actuarial cost of writing the insurance for the
13 property; and

14 WHEREAS the program proposed by this Senate Bill would greatly benefit
15 the entire country, including many areas of Alaska, in the event of future
16 floods; and

17 WHEREAS Senate Bill No. 1985 has passed the United States Senate with-
18 out a dissenting vote and is now being considered by the House of Repre-
19 sentatives;

20 BE IT RESOLVED that the U. S. House of Representatives is respectfully
21 urged to approve Senate Bill No. 1985 providing for an effective flood
22 insurance program.

23 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Lyndon B.
24 Johnson, President of the United States; the Honorable John W. McCormack,
25 Speaker of the House of Representatives; and to the Honorable E. L.
26 Bartlett and the Honorable Ernest Gruening, U. S. Senators, and the Honor-
27 able Howard W. Pollock, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delega-
28 tion in Congress.