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Referred: State Affairs

1 IN THE SENATE
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3 BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
4 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 35
5 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
6 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION
7 Relating to an airfield at Kongiganak.

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

9 WHEREAS the development of Alaska and the well-being of its population
10 are greatly dependent on air transportation and this is especially true in
11 the more isolated regions of the state; and

12 WHEREAS the newly established village of Kongiganak, located on the
13 western shore of Kuskokwim Bay, has no airfield; and

14 WHEREAS there are over 75 residents of Kongiganak and the village, as
15 well as the whole Kuskokwim Bay area, is growing rapidly, but the productive
16 utilization of its population and the growth of the economy is slowed by the
17 lack of air transportation facilities; and

18 WHEREAS the people of Kongiganak consider that the construction of an
19 airstrip is one of the most important public works projects applicable to
20 their area;

21 BE IT RESOLVED that the Governor is respectfully requested to direct
22 the Division of Aviation of the Department of Public Works to construct a
23 bush airfield at Kongiganak, Alaska.
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