

1 IN THE SENATE

BY BRADSHAW

2 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to exploring the possibil-  
6 ities of obtaining a hydroelectric  
7 plant at Angoon.

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

9 WHEREAS Juneau being the nearest service repair station for electric  
10 power plants and at times weather and transportation make it impossible to  
11 have the Angoon power plants repaired; and

12 WHEREAS the Union Oil Company at Hood Bay was dissolved and the nearest  
13 station is now Chatham, Alaska, and crossing Chatham Straits to obtain fuel  
14 in the winter months is extremely dangerous; and

15 WHEREAS near the community of Angoon there are streams with a sufficient  
16 amount of water which could be converted into power; and

17 WHEREAS with the loss of the cannery at Angoon by fire the people have  
18 lost their source of revenue which is needed to repair and maintain their  
19 present power plants; and

20 WHEREAS the school at Angoon now requires twenty four hours electricity  
21 service for heat, telephone service in case of emergency and for a fire  
22 siren;

23 BE IT RESOLVED that the Department of the Interior is respectfully  
24 requested to study the possibilities of providing a hydroelectric plant at  
25 Angoon, Alaska.

26 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Stewart L.  
27 Udall, Secretary, Department of the Interior; the Honorable Robert L.  
28 Bennett, U.S. Commissioner Of Indian Affairs; and to the Honorable E.L.  
29 Bartlett and the Honorable Ernest Gruening, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable

1 Howard W. Pollock, U.S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in  
2 Congress.

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