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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 27

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to a cold storage plant at
6 Emmonak, Alaska.

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

8 WHEREAS the Village of Emmonak, Alaska, has made application for a
9 federal grant-in-aid for construction of a cold storage plant; and

10 WHEREAS the citizens of Emmonak in cooperation with the State of
11 Alaska has embarked on a vigorous effort to overcome the severe poverty of
12 Western Alaska; and

13 WHEREAS Emmonak is situated in the center of the most poverty stricken
14 area of our nation; and

15 WHEREAS the Emmonak cold storage plant would provide the key to estab-
16 lishing new industry and many jobs in the whole Wade Hampton District; and

17 WHEREAS the Village of Emmonak has proven it's initiative, resource-
18 fulness, responsibility, determination and foresight by it's actions; and

19 WHEREAS time is of the essence; and

20 WHEREAS good faith before all would be manifest by prompt action of
21 the government;

22 BE IT RESOLVED that the Fifth State Legislature urges the U.S. Depart-
23 ment of Commerce, Economic Development Administration to take steps to in-
24 sure construction of the project during the 1967 summer construction season.

25 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Lyndon B.
26 Johnson, President of the United States; the Honorable John T. Connor,
27 Secretary, U.S. Department of Commerce; and the Honorable E.L. Bartlett and
28 the Honorable Ernest Gruening, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable Howard W.
29 Pollock, U.S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.