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Referred: Rules

1 IN THE SENATE BY THE LABOR AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE  
2 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 53  
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION  
5 Relating to the decision of the President  
6 of the United States not to seek or  
7 accept renomination.  
8 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:  
9 WHEREAS the decision by President Lyndon Baines Johnson not to seek or  
10 accept renomination for the Presidency of the United States in order to  
11 achieve national unity is statesmanship in its highest form; and  
12 WHEREAS by this act, President Johnson has made a selfless sacrifice  
13 in the highest tradition of the office of the Presidency; and  
14 WHEREAS by placing his country above himself and his office, the  
15 President has shown himself to be a truly great American; and  
16 WHEREAS during his nearly 40 years of public service and during his  
17 Presidency, Lyndon Baines Johnson has shown courage to act in the face of  
18 adversity and has been instrumental in the passage of some of the most monu-  
19 mental laws of this century; and  
20 WHEREAS the desire of President Johnson to end the war in Viet Nam may  
21 be fulfilled by his act of courage and determination and the thoughts of the  
22 American people are with him in this trying time of decision;  
23 BE IT RESOLVED that the Fifth Legislature of the State of Alaska com-  
24 mends President Lyndon Baines Johnson on the achievements of his Presidency  
25 and for this supreme sacrifice in the interest of national unity.  
26 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Lyndon B.  
27 Johnson, President of the United States.  
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