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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

Relating to a study by the Legislative
Council of the effect of oil import
foreign trade zones on the petroleum
industry of Alaska.

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

WHEREAS the newly discovered oil reserves on the North Slope will make
Alaska one of the foremost oil-producing states, and may enable the state to
make up the deficit in the nation's supply of domestic oil; and

WHEREAS recently, there have been demands for the creation of foreign
trade zones in several states to allow the increased importation of foreign
oil into certain areas of the United States; and

WHEREAS since the creation of these foreign trade zones and the resul-
tant increase in the importation of foreign oil into the United States would
greatly affect the oil industry in Alaska, it is vital for the state to
determine and understand the nature of, legal basis for, and political forces
behind the creation of these foreign trade zones;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Council is directed to undertake a
study of the problems posed to Alaska oil development by oil import foreign
trade zones, and to submit its findings to the Seventh Legislature, First
Session, with the view of informing our elected officials and the people of
Alaska on a vital and controversial public issue.