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BY THE RULES COMMITTEE  
BY REQUEST

1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to the posthumous presentation  
6 of the Congressional Medal of Honor  
7 to S. Sgt. Marvin Young.

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

9 WHEREAS many Alaskans who have served with distinction in our country's  
10 declared and undeclared wars have made the ultimate sacrifice in service to  
11 their state and country; and

12 WHEREAS a man who made such a sacrifice was S. Sgt. Marvin Young who  
13 died August 21, 1968 while on duty in Vietnam; and

14 WHEREAS Sgt. Young's valor was unwavering when, while defending his  
15 position against insurmountable odds, he unhesitatingly assumed command of  
16 his platoon and, refusing treatment for his wounds, provided covering fire  
17 for his men until he was overwhelmed by enemy forces; and

18 WHEREAS for these actions in battle he was posthumously awarded the  
19 Congressional Medal of Honor;

20 BE IT RESOLVED that the Sixth Alaska State Legislature, in recognition  
21 of the bravery and sacrifice of S. Sgt. Marvin Young, posthumously commends  
22 him for his actions and extends to his family its heartfelt sympathy in  
23 honor of this true American.

24 A COPY of this Resolution shall be sent to Mr. Roy C. Young, 4503  
25 Spenard Road, Anchorage, Alaska.

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