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1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Requesting the Postmaster General
6 for the issuance of a postage stamp
7 commemorating Senator E.L. "Bob"
8 Bartlett.

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

10 WHEREAS on December 11, 1968 the State of Alaska and the nation
11 suffered a profound loss by the death of Senator E.L. "Bob" Bartlett; and

12 WHEREAS Senator Bartlett was a native Alaskan, born of pioneer parents,
13 who spent more than three decades in service to Alaska and the nation, with
14 22 years spent in Washington, D.C. as a delegate to Congress and as a
15 United States Senator; and

16 WHEREAS his efforts contributed as much, or more, than any single indi-
17 vidual to Alaskan statehood; and

18 WHEREAS Alaska's unique history and geographical position are such
19 that it is of utmost historical importance to recognize the one man who had
20 such a profound effect on the history of a state one-fifth the size of the
21 rest of the United States, a state which stands on the most northern and
22 western frontiers of the United States, and a state with the largest quan-
23 tity of untapped natural resources in the United States;

24 BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of the State of Alaska petitions
25 the Postmaster General of the United States to authorize the issuance of a
26 postage stamp to commemorate a great American and a great Alaskan, E.L.
27 "Bob" Bartlett, to graphically provide all Americans with a greater insight
28 into developments of their history and heritage.

29 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Richard M.

1 Nixon, President of the United States; the Honorable Winton Blount, Post-
2 master General of the United States; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens
3 and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable Howard W.
4 Pollock, U.S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.
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