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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to the exportation of round
6 logs from certain areas of the state.

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

8 WHEREAS the purpose of the primary manufacturing regulation is to en-
9 courage the development of manufacturing industries and to broaden the
10 economic base of the state; and

11 WHEREAS, although this regulation may be of considerable benefit to
12 some regions of the state, it has been a definite deterrent to the logging
13 industry and economic development of other areas of the state; and

14 WHEREAS the drainage area of the Kuskokwim and Yukon Rivers is one in
15 which the present possibility for the primary manufacture of logs is
16 practically nil; and

17 WHEREAS this area has great quantities of timber which cannot be put
18 to beneficial use by the people of the area because of the limited primary
19 manufacturing facilities now in existence; and

20 WHEREAS the people of the Kuskokwim and Yukon Rivers would greatly
21 benefit if they were allowed to export round logs;

22 BE IT RESOLVED that the Governor is respectfully requested to direct
23 the Director of Lands, Department of Natural Resources, to allow the export-
24 ing of round logs from the drainage area of the Kuskokwim and Yukon Rivers.

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