

1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE HEALTH, WELFARE
AND EDUCATION COMMITTEE

2 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Requesting the Alaska State Geographic
6 Board to name a mountainous ridge ad-
7 joining the Talkeetna site of COMSAT's
8 satellite communications earth station
9 for the late Senator E. L. "Bob"
10 Bartlett.

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

12 WHEREAS a satellite communications earth station is presently being
13 constructed near Talkeetna by COMSAT and will be opened on July 1, 1970; and

14 WHEREAS the Alaska Legislature wishes to honor the late Senator E. L.
15 "Bob" Bartlett by requesting that the earth station be named after him in
16 recognition of his dedication to improving the telecommunications of the
17 state; and

18 WHEREAS COMSAT has indicated its willingness to name the earth station
19 "Bartlett" but earth stations must be named only after nearby geographical
20 identifying points; and

21 WHEREAS a distinguishing geographical feature which is adjacent to the
22 COMSAT site is a four- or five-mile long ridge trending north and south,
23 the highest elevation of which is 1,320 feet;

24 BE IT RESOLVED by the Sixth Alaska Legislature that the Alaska State
25 Geographic Board is requested to name the ridge adjoining the COMSAT site
26 at Talkeetna "Bartlett Ridge" in honor of the late Senator E. L. "Bob"
27 Bartlett; the highest point of the ridge nearest the COMSAT site is approxi-
28 mately 1,000 feet and is located at 62° 19' 50" N, 150° 0' 45" W, the highest
29 point of the whole ridge is located approximately three miles south of the

1 COMSAT site at 62° 17' 17" N, 150° 0' 20" W.

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