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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the naming of the proposed
6 COMSAT ground station near Talkeetna,
7 Alaska.

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

9 WHEREAS a new satellite communications ground station (Comsat) is to be
10 constructed near Talkeetna and the proposed location site is presently
11 unnamed; and

12 WHEREAS the construction of the site is awaiting authorization by the
13 Federal Communications Commission; and

14 WHEREAS the late Senator E. L. "Bob" Bartlett was for many years an
15 eloquent advocate of improved communications for the State of Alaska; and

16 WHEREAS the Communications Satellite Corporation has indicated its
17 willingness to cooperate in naming the earth station in honor of the late
18 Senator E. L. "Bob" Bartlett;

19 BE IT RESOLVED that the Sixth State Legislature urges the Federal
20 Communications Commission to approve Comsat's application for construction
21 of the ground station; and be it

22 FURTHER RESOLVED that the location site be named "Bartlett".

23 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Richard M.
24 Nixon, President of the United States; the Honorable E. William Henry,
25 Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; the Honorable E. J. Istran,
26 Communications Satellite Corporation; Mrs. Vide Bartlett; and to the
27 Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U. S. Senators, and the
28 Honorable Howard W. Pollock, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska
29 delegation in Congress.