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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY ALL MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 34

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the environmental impact  
6 hearings.

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

8 WHEREAS recently the Department of the Interior held hearings in  
9 Anchorage regarding the environmental impact report on the proposed trans-  
10 Alaska pipeline; and

11 WHEREAS, because of the great numbers of persons desiring to testify,  
12 the hearing panel graciously agreed to remain in session until all witnesses  
13 could be heard; and

14 WHEREAS the hearings were conducted in a most objective and impartial  
15 manner; and

16 WHEREAS the Anchorage hearings afforded Alaskans of every walk of life  
17 and every persuasion the opportunity of being heard on the pipeline issue;

18 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that it commends the  
19 hearing panel of the Department of the Interior for holding hearings in  
20 Alaska and extends its most sincere thanks to the Secretary, Department of  
21 the Interior for having men the caliber of Jack O. Horton, Robert Mesch  
22 and Burton Silcock conduct the hearings.

23 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Rogers C. B.  
24 Morton, Secretary, Department of the Interior; the Honorable Jack O. Horton,  
25 Assistant to the Secretary of the Interior; the Honorable Robert Mesch,  
26 Hearings Examiner, Department of the Interior; and the Honorable Burton  
27 Silcock, Director, Alaska Bureau of Land Management.

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