

Original sponsors: Flynn, Barber,  
Bowman, et al

Offered: 3/6/72  
Referred: Rules

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

2 SENATE CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 87

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Urging a further increase in

6 Coast Guard activities.

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

8 WHEREAS the U.S. Coast Guard has increased its patrolling activities  
9 in Alaska waters by doubling the commitment of high endurance cutters com-  
10 mencing January 15, 1972; and

11 WHEREAS the increased fishing and shipping activities in Alaska waters  
12 require even further commitment of Coast Guard facilities to protect the  
13 lives and property of American citizens in Alaska; and

14 WHEREAS increased activity by foreign fishing fleets threatens the  
15 future of our fisheries resources unless more vigorous enforcement of the  
16 laws and treaties in force is carried out to prevent foreign destruction of  
17 these resources; and

18 WHEREAS the Coast Guard vitally needs additional high endurance cutters,  
19 additional long-range search and rescue aircraft, and additional helicopters  
20 to perform its mission in Alaska;

21 BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Legislature urges the Department of  
22 Transportation to assign additional high endurance cutters, long-range  
23 aircraft and helicopters to Alaska to perform fully the functions of the  
24 Coast Guard in Alaska.

25 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Richard M.  
26 Nixon, President of the United States; the Honorable John A. Volpe, Secre-  
27 tary, Department of Transportation; Admiral Chester R. Bender, Commandant,  
28 United States Coast Guard; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable  
29 Mike Gravel, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable Nick Begich, U.S. Representative,

*Am FCC*

1 members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

9

10

11

12

13

14

15

16

17

18

19

20

21

22

23

24

25

26

27

28

29