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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 239

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act prohibiting crab processing on commercial crab
7 fishing vessels."

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

9 * Section 1. The legislature finds that in order to adequately conserve
10 the state's crab resources, protect the quality of the processed Alaska crab,
11 and assure the orderly enforcement of regulations relating to the harvest of
12 crab in the state, processing on board fishing vessels must be prohibited.

13 * Sec. 2. AS 16.05 is amended by adding a new section to read:

14 Sec. 16.05.685. PROCESSING ON COMMERCIAL CRAB FISHING VESSELS
15 PROHIBITED. It is unlawful to process any species of crab on a com-
16 mercial crab fishing vessel. For purposes of this section, "process"
17 means to butcher, cook, chill, or freeze crab for commercial use;
18 however, processing aboard the fishing vessel for and as donations to
19 charity, for consumption aboard the vessel or for dockside retail
20 sales from the vessel is not prohibited by the provisions of this
21 Act.