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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the Knik River bridge.

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

7 WHEREAS the Knik River bridge on the old Glenn Highway is an aged,
8 dilapidated structure; and

9 WHEREAS, not only do many citizens who live in the area have to
10 utilize this bridge each day, the traffic on this highway, and consequently
11 the bridge, is tremendously heavy during the summer months; and

12 WHEREAS the bridge is currently in such a state of deterioration that
13 it would be economically unfeasible to attempt to merely repair it; and

14 WHEREAS it is vitally important, because of the traffic that must
15 utilize the bridge, that a new, safe Knik River bridge be erected at the
16 earliest possible time;

17 BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature that the Governor is respectfully re-
18 quested to direct the Department of Highways to immediately design a new
19 Knik River bridge and replace the old one at the earliest possible time;
20 and be it

21 FURTHER RESOLVED that construction of a new Knik River bridge on the old
22 Glenn Highway be made a high priority project during the 1973 construction
23 season.
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