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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 39

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to a study of state employee  
6 housing.

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

8 WHEREAS there are numerous state employees, especially those located in  
9 the rural areas of the state, who must live in housing provided by the state;  
10 and

11 WHEREAS, in fact, some employees are required to stay in state housing  
12 regardless of the availability of other quarters; and

13 WHEREAS in some instances duty assignments are based upon a person's  
14 willingness to accept state-provided housing; and

15 WHEREAS those employees who live in state housing have their rent  
16 deducted from their pay and in many areas the cost is atrociously high; and

17 WHEREAS many state employees so situated have expressed their dissatis-  
18 faction with this requirement, the condition of the housing, and the cost;

19 BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature that the Governor is respectfully  
20 requested to direct the Department of Administration to conduct a study of  
21 the need for mandatory state housing, the alternatives to such, ways of  
22 reducing the cost to the employee if state housing is in fact justified, and  
23 all other aspects of the present system; and be it

24 FURTHER RESOLVED that the department present its written report and  
25 recommendations on how the system may be altered or changed so as to meet  
26 the needs not only of the state, but of the employee, to the Eighth Legisla-  
27 ture - Second Session.