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BY THE LABOR AND MANAGE-
MENT COMMITTEE

1 IN THE SENATE

2 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to the Iditarod Trail

6 Seppala Memorial Race.

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

8 WHEREAS the Iditarod Trail Seppala Memorial Race stretches over
9 1,000 miles of this great state; and

10 WHEREAS the race begins in Anchorage and passes through Knik, Susitna
11 Station, Skwentna Finger Lake, Rainy Pass, Rohn Road House, Farewell Lake,
12 Salmon River, McGrath, Ophir, Bear Creek, Ruby, Galena, Koyukuk, Nulato,
13 Kaltag, Old Woman, Unalakleet, Shaktoolik, Koyuk, Elim, Golovin, White
14 Mountain, Solomon, ending in Nome; and

15 WHEREAS the race provides excitement and pleasure to great numbers of
16 Alaskans and tests the participants to the nth degree; and

17 WHEREAS the occasion of the race involved many Alaskans and offers
18 persons all over the state the opportunity to become acquainted with dog
19 mushing - the state sport; and

20 WHEREAS the race, now in its second year of existence, is planned as an
21 annual event from now on;

22 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the Governor is
23 respectfully requested to give official state sanction to the race and to
24 take all steps necessary to have the Iditarod Trail Seppala Memorial Race
25 designated as the official state long distance race.
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