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Made a Special Order of
Business

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY ALL MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 40

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Congratulating Emmitt Peters.

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

7 WHEREAS Emmitt Peters of Ruby has won the Third Annual Iditarod Trail
8 Race; and

9 WHEREAS the race covered over 1,000 miles across some of the coldest and
10 most treacherous miles of Alaska's wilderness; and

11 WHEREAS Emmitt Peters employed a masterful strategy, covering this vast
12 distance in just fourteen days and fourteen hours, nearly six days faster
13 than any previous race had been run; and

14 WHEREAS the race clearly demonstrated Emmitt Peters' ability and unswerv-
15 ing desire to persevere under the most adverse of conditions; and

16 WHEREAS even at that he was hard pressed by Jerry Riley, Joee Redington,
17 Jr., and Herbert Nayokpuk, the second, third and fourth place finishers,
18 respectively;

19 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that it extends its most
20 heartfelt congratulations to Emmitt Peters and commends him as well as all of
21 the other participants in the race for their proven ability to cope with
22 conditions under which many men could not have endured.

23 A COPY of this resolution shall be sent to Emmitt Peters.
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