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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 SENATE CS FOR HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 93

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Requesting the Department of Fish and
6 Game to transplant caribou from Umnak to
7 certain of the Aleutian and Shumagin Island
8 groups.

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

10 WHEREAS game transplants in Alaska have enjoyed great success biologi-
11 cally, serving to provide vital additions to game populations which contribute
12 to the subsistence way of life in remote areas; and

13 WHEREAS the Department of Fish and Game has determined that transplant-
14 ing caribou from Umnak to certain of the Aleutian and Shumagin Island groups
15 is ecologically feasible, but has not initiated the program;

16 BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature respectfully requests
17 the Governor to direct the Department of Fish and Game to transplant caribou
18 in adequate numbers from Umnak to Unalaska, Akutan, Deer Island, Nagai,
19 Mitrofanian Island and St. George Island at the earliest possible time;
20 and be it

21 FURTHER RESOLVED that, when necessary, the Department of Fish and Game
22 enter into management agreements with any affected Native regional corpora-
23 tion for the successful accomplishment of the caribou transfer.