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Referred: Health, Education &
Social Services and Finance

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY OSTROSKY

2 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Requesting the submission of applications
6 for funds or programs for Alaska under
7 designation as a medically underserved
8 area.

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

10 WHEREAS the Secretary of the United States Department of Health, Educa-
11 tion and Welfare has designated certain areas and population groups as medi-
12 cally underserved areas under Section 1302(7) of the Public Health Service
13 Act as amended by the Health Maintenance Organization Act of 1973; and

14 WHEREAS the Census Divisions of Angoon, Bethel, Bristol Bay, Kobuk,
15 Kuskokwim, Nome, Southeast Fairbanks, Upper Yukon and Wade Hampton have been
16 designated as medically underserved areas; and

17 WHEREAS medically underserved areas are eligible for grants under the
18 Federal Health Underserved Rural Areas Program;

19 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE Alaska State Legislature that it respectfully re-
20 quest the Governor to direct the commissioner of the Department of Health and
21 Social Services to prepare and submit an application for grant awards for
22 which certain areas of Alaska are eligible under designation as a medically
23 underserved area.