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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 123 (Finance)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to a coastal zone management and
6 policy and guideline study.

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

8 WHEREAS the coastal area of the state is rich in natural and aesthetic
9 resources; and

10 WHEREAS past and present public and private demands on coastal zone re-
11 sources endanger the natural and aesthetic resources; and

12 WHEREAS the protection, preservation, and restoration of coastal re-
13 sources is of paramount concern to present and future generations of citizens
14 of the state; and

15 WHEREAS, in order to protect coastal resources of the state, comprehen-
16 sive legislation is necessary;

17 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the Legislative
18 Council is directed to conduct a comprehensive coastal zone management policy
19 and guideline study; and be it

20 FURTHER RESOLVED that the coastal zone management policy and guideline
21 study address the basic issue of the use of coastal areas including but not
22 limited to shoreline use, public access, economic development, renewable and
23 nonrenewable resource utilization, and recreational, historical, cultural,
24 scientific, and conservation considerations; and be it

25 FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislative Council is directed to work with
26 local planning commissions, boards, committees, or other state entities
27 established by executive order or legislative action, in conducting a Coastal
28 Zone Management policy and guideline study; and be it

29 FURTHER RESOLVED that the study explore the feasibility of establishing

1 (1) regional coastal advisory boards with a determination of board functions
2 and board membership reflecting the diverse interests within the regional
3 coastal areas, and (2) a statewide coastal area board; and be it

4 FURTHER RESOLVED that the study be submitted to the Legislature for its
5 review by the 10th day of the First Session of the Tenth Legislature and that
6 the final report with proposed legislation be submitted to the Legislature by
7 the 10th day of the Second Session of the Tenth Legislature for its considera-
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