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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND
SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 61

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Supporting Comprehensive School Health
6 Education Act legislation.

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

8 WHEREAS there are several bills pending before the United States Congress
9 relating to the Comprehensive School Health Education Act; and

10 WHEREAS each of the various bills would authorize the Commissioner of
11 Education to make grants for teacher training, pilot and demonstration pro-
12 jects, and comprehensive school programs, with respect to health education
13 and health problems; and

14 WHEREAS the provision of a comprehensive program with respect to health
15 education and health problems for the children and youth of the nation should
16 be given high priority; and

17 WHEREAS the grants would be available for health education and health
18 problems such as dental health, disease control, environmental health, family
19 life and human development, human ecology, mental health, nutrition, physical
20 health, safety and accident prevention, smoking and health, substance abuse,
21 consumer health and venereal disease; and

22 WHEREAS passage of such legislation would provide the potential of
23 aiding children and young adults throughout the United States;

24 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that it urgently requests
25 the United States Congress to take immediate favorable action regarding
26 H.R. 631, H.R. 2599, H.R. 3861 and S. 544.

27 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable David Mathews,
28 Secretary, Department of Health, Education and Welfare; the Honorable
29 Terrel H. Bell, Commissioner, Office of Education; the Honorable Harrison A.

1 Williams, Jr., Chairman, Senate Labor and Public Welfare Committee; the
2 Honorable Carl D. Perkins, Chairman, House Education and Labor Committee; and
3 to the Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U. S. Senators,
4 and the Honorable Don Young, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska
5 delegation in Congress.

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