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1 IN THE SENATE

BY ALL MEMBERS OF THE SENATE

2 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 58

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Congratulating Derek Martin as the South-
6 central Alaska March of Dimes Poster Boy.

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

8 WHEREAS Derek Martin of Anchorage is a nine year old boy who has been
9 selected to be the Southcentral Alaska poster child for the Alaska March of
10 Dimes; and

11 WHEREAS Derek is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin of Anchorage and,
12 although he is paralyzed from the waist down, he is an alert, happy and
13 independent young man, and after school he assists his father in his place of
14 business; and

15 WHEREAS Derek Martin is a symbol of what can be accomplished by the
16 generous blending of parental fortitude, good medical attention, and organized
17 assistance from such groups as the March of Dimes; most of all, the success
18 of the story of Derek and those children and adults similarly afflicted is
19 dependent on their personal bravery and the will to cope with their handicap
20 as they seek the fullest life possible;

21 BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature congratulates Derek
22 Martin and wishes him continued success in the years ahead.

23 A copy of this resolution shall be sent to Derek and his parents and to
24 the March of Dimes headquarters for Southcentral Alaska in Anchorage, Alaska.
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