

1 IN THE SENATE

BY CROFT

2 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 29 *am*

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the Consumer Protection

6 Act of 1975.

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

8 WHEREAS S. 200, the Consumer Protection Act of 1975 is currently pending
9 before the United States Congress; and

10 WHEREAS if this legislation were enacted it would establish an indepen-
11 dent, nonregulatory Agency for Consumer Advocacy to speak for consumers in
12 our Nation's capital; and

13 WHEREAS the proposed agency would be authorized to advocate the interests
14 of consumers before federal agencies and courts and would provide the
15 American public with information about consumer matters; and

16 WHEREAS the agency would act as a clearinghouse for consumer complaints
17 and would maintain an up-to-date file of complaints for public inspection;
18 and

19 WHEREAS passage of the proposed legislation would benefit each and every
20 citizen of this great country;

21 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that it staunchly supports
22 passage of S. 200 and urges the United States Congress to take early affirma-
23 tive action enacting the proposal.

24 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Abraham
25 Ribicoff, Chairman, Senate Government Operations Committee; the Honorable
26 Jack Brooks, Chairman, House Government Operations Committee; and to the
27 Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U. S. Senators, and to
28 the Honorable Don Young, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delega-
29 tion in Congress.

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