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1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 65 am

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Requesting the Governor to preserve the
6 superintendent's quarters at the Alaska
7 Pioneers' Home in Sitka.

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

9 WHEREAS the Department of Administration has announced its intention of
10 demolishing the superintendent's quarters at the Alaska Pioneers' Home in
11 Sitka; and

12 WHEREAS the destruction of the superintendent's quarters is contrary to
13 the public interest for the following reasons:

14 1. the quarters, which are listed with the Alaska Historical
15 Society, are of historic value to the community of Sitka and to the state;
16 they form an attractive part of the Pioneers' Home, and their destruction is
17 strongly opposed by the people of Sitka;

18 2. the land on which the quarters are situated will not be needed
19 by the Pioneers' Home for other purposes until the hospital wing is expanded
20 several years from now;

21 3. it is desirable that the superintendent live on the grounds of
22 the Pioneers' Home, to be available whenever needed;

23 4. the rent paid by the superintendent for the quarters produces
24 revenue;

25 5. destruction of this residence will exacerbate an already severe
26 housing shortage in Sitka;

27 BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature respectfully requests
28 the Governor to direct the Commissioner of Administration to abandon all
29 plans for the destruction of the superintendent's quarters at the Alaska

1 Pioneers' Home in Sitka.

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