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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 28

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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TENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Requesting the Secretary of the Army to

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continue ROTC at the University of Alaska

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through the Spring of 1978.

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

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WHEREAS the Department of the Army very recently announced the dis-

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establishment of the ROTC unit at the University of Alaska, effective at the

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end of the current school year; and

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WHEREAS this abrupt announcement departs from the normal procedure of

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informing a school one year in advance of ROTC discontinuance, thus allowing

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juniors to complete the program; and

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WHEREAS juniors at the University of Alaska will likely be forced to

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transfer to a university outside the state if they wish to complete ROTC

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training; and

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WHEREAS such a transfer may not be possible for some students because of

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the financial hardship involved; and

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WHEREAS basic fairness to juniors enrolled in ROTC at the University of

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Alaska requires that they be permitted to complete the training at that

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institution;

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BE IT RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Army is requested to continue

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the ROTC program at the University of Alaska through the Spring of 1978.

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COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Clifford L.

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Alexander, Jr., Secretary of the Army; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens and

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the Honorable Mike Gravel, U. S. Senators, and the Honorable Don Young, U. S.

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Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

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