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1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the ratification of an
6 amendment to the Constitution of the
7 United States defining Congressional
8 representation and voting rights for
9 residents of the District of
10 Columbia.

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

12 WHEREAS the Congress of the United States has approved a proposed amend-
13 ment to the Constitution of the United States that provides for the election
14 by residents of the District of Columbia of United States Senators and United
15 States Representatives on the same basis as their election by residents of
16 the several states, and repeals the 23rd Amendment to the Constitution of the
17 United States but retains the right of the residents of the District of
18 Columbia to vote for the election of the President and Vice President of the
19 United States; and

20 WHEREAS the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States
21 has been transmitted to the states for ratification;

22 BE IT RESOLVED that the Eleventh Alaska Legislature ratifies the pro-
23 posed amendment to the Constitution of the United States establishing repre-
24 sentation in Congress for residents of the District of Columbia on the same
25 basis as the several states and confirming the right of the residents of the
26 District of Columbia to vote for the election of President and Vice President
27 of the United States.

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