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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Proposing to Congress an amendment to the
6 Constitution of the United States relating
7 to the budget of the United States of
8 America.

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

10 The Legislature of the State of Alaska respectfully proposes that the
11 Congress of the United States propose an amendment to the Constitution of the
12 United States, the proposed amendment to provide as follows:

13 AMENDMENT _____

14 Section 1. The President shall submit, at the beginning of each
15 new Congress, an annual budget for the ensuing fiscal year setting forth
16 in detail the proposed expenditures and the total estimated revenue of
17 the Federal Government from sources other than borrowing. The President
18 may set new revenue estimates from time to time. Except in time of war
19 or a national emergency declared by the Congress, unless the legis-
20 latures of two-thirds of the several states approve, expenditures for
21 each two-year period shall not exceed the estimated revenue. The pro-
22 visions of this Article shall not apply to the refinancing of the
23 national debt.

24 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Walter F.
25 Mondale, President of the United States Senate; the Honorable Thomas P.
26 O'Neill, Jr., Speaker of the United States House of Representatives; the
27 Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U. S. Senators, and the
28 Honorable Don Young, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation
29 in Congress; all other members of the U. S. Senate and U. S. House of Repre-

1 representatives; and to the legislatures of the several states.

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