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BY THE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND
SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

1 IN THE SENATE

2 HOUSE CS FOR SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 25

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Urging the United States Government to
6 release its interests in the improvements
7 at the Aniak, Port Heiden, and Unalakleet
8 White Alice sites to the State of Alaska.

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

10 WHEREAS, by deed dated December 23, 1965, the United States government
11 conveyed to the state title to certain real property in the vicinity of
12 Aniak, Alaska, currently in use as a "White Alice" communications site; and

13 WHEREAS the instrument of conveyance reserves to the United States the
14 right of use of the improvements on the land conveyed, but authorizes trans-
15 fer of these interests to the state at a future date; and

16 WHEREAS the Alaska Command was to have vacated the Aniak White Alice
17 site on or about April 1, 1979; and

18 WHEREAS officials of the Kuspuk School District, a regional educational
19 attendance area of the state's unorganized borough, have expressed interest
20 in use of the facilities of the Aniak White Alice site for educational pur-
21 poses; and

22 WHEREAS the Alaska Command will soon vacate and make available as
23 surplus the White Alice site near Port Heiden; and

24 WHEREAS the school board of the Lake and Peninsula School District, a
25 regional educational attendance area of the state's unorganized borough, has
26 adopted a resolution calling on the Alaska State Legislature to secure title
27 to the land and facility; and

28 WHEREAS the Lake and Peninsula School District has a plan to develop the
29 Port Heiden White Alice site as a vocational educational facility for the

1 district; and

2 WHEREAS the Alaska Command will soon vacate and make available as
3 surplus the White Alice site near Unalakleet; and

4 WHEREAS the school board of the Bering Straits School District, a
5 regional educational attendance area of the state's unorganized borough,
6 could develop the Unalakleet White Alice site as an educational facility for
7 the district;

8 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that federal officials
9 are respectfully requested to formally convey the outstanding interests of
10 the United States Government in the improvements of the Aniak, Port Heiden
11 and Unalakleet White Alice sites to the State of Alaska.

12 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable John C.
13 Stetson, Secretary of the U. S. Department of the Air Force; to Lieutenant
14 General Winfield W. Scott, Jr., Commander, Alaskan Air Command; to Mr. Paul
15 Goulding, Acting Administrator, General Services Administration; and to the
16 Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U. S. Senators, and the
17 Honorable Don Young, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation
18 in Congress.

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