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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE CS FOR SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 25(Finance)

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 and in property at the
9 Unalakleet airport to the State of Alaska.

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

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

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

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

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

23 WHEREAS the Alaska Command will soon vacate and make available as sur-
24 plus the White Alice site near Port Heiden; and

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

29 WHEREAS the Lake and Peninsula School District has a plan to develop the

1 Port Heiden White Alice site as a vocational educational facility for the
2 district; and

3 WHEREAS the Alaska Command will soon vacate and make available as sur-
4 plus the White Alice site near Unalakleet; and

5 WHEREAS the school board of the Bering Straits School District, a
6 regional educational attendance area of the state's unorganized borough,
7 could develop the Unalakleet White Alice site and facilities on lot 1, block
8 5 at Unalakleet airport as educational facilities for the district;

9 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that federal officials
10 are respectfully requested to formally convey the outstanding interests of
11 the United States Government in the improvements of the Aniak, Port Heiden
12 and Unalakleet White Alice sites and in lot 1, block 5 at Unalakleet airport
13 to the State of Alaska.

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