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1 IN THE HOUSE

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2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 46

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the reduction of the
6 cost-of-living-allowance paid to
7 federal employees in Alaska.

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

9 WHEREAS all federal employees working in Alaska had been receiving a
10 cost-of-living-allowance equal to 25 percent of their base pay in order to
11 offset the effects of the higher cost of living in Alaska; and

12 WHEREAS the Office of Personnel Management of the Civil Service Commis-
13 sion has reduced the cost-of-living-allowance to 17.5 percent for federal
14 employees in Anchorage; and

15 WHEREAS the effects of the current inflationary trend of the national
16 economy is nowhere felt as strongly as in Alaska; and

17 WHEREAS to reduce the wages of any worker during the current inflation-
18 ary period is unconscionable;

19 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the President of
20 the United States is urgently and respectfully requested to further amend
21 Executive Order No. 10,000, as amended, to enable the continuation of the 25
22 percent cost-of-living-allowance for federal employees in Anchorage.

23 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Ronald Reagan,
24 President of the United States; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens and the
25 Honorable Frank Murkowski, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable Don Young, U.S.
26 Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

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