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Referred: Rules

1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

2 HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 13

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Establishing a House Special Com-
6 mittee on the Alaska Railroad.

7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

8 WHEREAS the federal government desires to relinquish ownership of the
9 Alaska Railroad; and

10 WHEREAS state control of the Alaska Railroad is one of the possible
11 alternatives under consideration; and

12 WHEREAS the Alaska delegation in Congress has emphasized that it is
13 important for the state to designate a person or entity that has authority
14 to enter into discussions with the federal government concerning the transfer
15 of the Alaska Railroad; and

16 WHEREAS the Alaska delegation in Congress has also stated that time is
17 of the essence in participating in negotiations for the transfer of the
18 Alaska Railroad;

19 BE IT RESOLVED that a House Special Committee on the Alaska Railroad is
20 established to represent the House of Representatives in any negotiations
21 relating to the transfer of the Alaska Railroad from federal ownership; and
22 be it

23 FURTHER RESOLVED that the speaker of the house appoint three members of
24 the house to serve on the House Special Committee on the Alaska Railroad and
25 designate the chairman of the committee.