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1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 15

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to the fiscal year 1983
6 general fund appropriation bill.

7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

8 WHEREAS there has been, for some years, strong demand from many segments
9 of the public to curb government spending; and

10 WHEREAS a limit on increases in state spending has been approved by a
11 majority of the membership of the legislature; and

12 WHEREAS it is the intent of the House of Representatives to approve a
13 fiscal year 1983 operating budget that is below the ceiling called for in
14 Legislative Resolve No. 1 of the 1981 First Special Session of the Twelfth
15 Legislature in order to bring about state government efficiency and curtail
16 wasteful spending of state dollars;

17 BE IT RESOLVED that those members of the Alaska House of Representatives,
18 sitting in the Second Session of the Twelfth Legislature, who approve this
19 resolution, will only vote for a fiscal year 1983 general fund appropriation
20 bill in which the appropriation for operating costs of state government

21 (1) reflects no increase in the number of state employees above
22 those authorized for fiscal year 1982;

23 (2) emphasizes those programs bringing beneficial services to
24 Alaskans as opposed to those that only perpetuate the state bureaucracy;

25 (3) contains funding only for those previously federally funded
26 programs that after a critical examination, are considered by the House to be
27 essential, effective and beneficial to the people of Alaska; and

28 (4) sets a ceiling for the general fund operating budget that will
29 be less than that authorized for fiscal year 1982; and be it

1 FURTHER RESOLVED that those members approving this resolution respect-
2 fully direct the House Finance Committee to prepare a budget reflecting the
3 above priorities.

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