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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Requesting the state Board of Educa-
6 tion to require the study of Alaska
7 history and government in the
8 schools of the state.

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

10 WHEREAS it is in the interest of the state to insure the best possible
11 education for our students; and

12 WHEREAS the state Board of Education currently requires high school
13 students to complete at least one unit of credit in each of the following
14 subjects: (1) language arts, (2) social studies, (3) mathematics, (4)
15 science, and (5) physical education, for graduation; and

16 WHEREAS the state would benefit immeasurably from a citizenry well-
17 schooled in the operation of state government and the history of Alaska; and

18 WHEREAS the future of Alaska will impose tremendous and increasing
19 responsibilities on the leaders and citizens of our state;

20 BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature respectfully requests
21 the state Board of Education to adopt regulations requiring at least one
22 unit of credit in the study of Alaska history and government for graduation
23 from state high schools.