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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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Requesting the establishment of an

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office of the division of minerals in

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Ketchikan.

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

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WHEREAS the commissioner of natural resources has established a new

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division of minerals in the department; and

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WHEREAS the governor has approved the creation of the division of

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minerals in the Department of Natural Resources; and

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WHEREAS Ketchikan is an increasingly active mining community and is

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centrally located to those mining activities; and

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WHEREAS the development of a world-class molybdenum mine in the Quartz

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Hill area east of Ketchikan will be a major factor in the growth of mining

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in the Ketchikan region and in the enhancement of the state economy;

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BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature urges the Department

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of Natural Resources to establish an office of the division of minerals in

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the City of Ketchikan.