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1 IN THE SENATE BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE  
2 CS FOR SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 22 (State Affairs)

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA  
4 THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the establishment of the  
6 United States Academy of Peace.

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

8 WHEREAS people throughout Alaska are concerned about the rise in  
9 social and cultural hostilities, the increasing incidence of violent con-  
10 flicts among nations and peoples, and the ever-present threat of nuclear  
11 war; and

12 WHEREAS there is a need to promote nonviolent methods of resolving  
13 human conflict; and

14 WHEREAS conflict resolution techniques have repeatedly been demon-  
15 strated to provide a constructive, cost-effective means of resolving poten-  
16 tially violent human conflicts; and

17 WHEREAS S.564 co-sponsored by Senator Frank Murkowski and H.R.1249,  
18 now pending in Congress, would establish the United States Academy of  
19 Peace, which would serve to advance international peace through the devel-  
20 opment and implementation of programs to promote the use of conflict reso-  
21 lution techniques in international conflicts;

22 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the Congress of  
23 the United States is urged to enact S.564 and H.R.1249 to establish a  
24 United States Academy of Peace to serve the people and government by pro-  
25 viding education and training programs, basic and applied research oppor-  
26 tunities, and peace information services.

27 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Ronald  
28 Reagan, President of the United States; the Honorable Casper Weinberger,  
29 Secretary of Defense; the Honorable George Bush, Vice-President of the

1 United States and President of the U.S. Senate; the Honorable Thomas P.  
2 O'Neill, Jr., Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives; and to the  
3 Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Frank Murkowski, U.S. Senators, and  
4 the Honorable Don Young, U.S. Representative, members of the Alaska delega-  
5 tion in Congress.