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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 36

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Relating to licensing of the Bradley

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Lake hydroelectric project.

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

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WHEREAS Bradley Lake has been recognized as a prime hydroelectric site

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for many years and was authorized by the United States Congress as a fed-

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eral project in the Flood Control Act of 1962; and

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WHEREAS the United States Army Corps of Engineers formally determined

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in 1978 that Bradley Lake is a feasible hydroelectric project; and

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WHEREAS the United States Army Corps of Engineers published an en-

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vironmental impact statement for Bradley Lake in August 1982; and

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WHEREAS the Alaska Power Authority assumed the project from the Army

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Corps of Engineers in 1982; and

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WHEREAS the Alaska State Legislature has pledged funding for the

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project; and

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WHEREAS the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission issued a supplemental

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environmental impact statement on the project that recommended Bradley Lake

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as the preferred alternative for power generation on the Kenai Peninsula;

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BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the Federal Energy

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Regulatory Commission is urged to expedite the issuance of a final environ-

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mental impact statement and license for the Bradley Lake hydroelectric

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project.

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COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable John S.

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Herrington, Secretary of Energy; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens and the

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Honorable Frank Murkowski, U.S. Senators, and the Honorable Don Young, U.S.

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Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.