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1 IN THE SENATE BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE
2 CS FOR SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19 (Finance) am H
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION
5 Establishing a Joint Special Committee
6 on Legislative Salaries.
7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:
8 WHEREAS there exists considerable public concern over the issues of
9 legislative salaries, per diem, and allowances; and
10 WHEREAS the legislature desires to encourage confidence in the legis-
11 lative process and to streamline expenditures and reduce operating costs of
12 the legislature;
13 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that under Uniform Rule
14 21 a Joint Special Committee on Legislative Salaries is established con-
15 sisting of three members of the Senate appointed by the President of the
16 Senate and three members of the House of Representatives appointed by the
17 Speaker of the House to examine legislative salaries, per diem, and allow-
18 ances; and be it
19 FURTHER RESOLVED that three public exofficio members be selected by
20 the Joint Special Committee on Legislative Salaries; and be it
21 FURTHER RESOLVED that the committee, when constituted, be directed to
22 compare the approach taken by the state regarding salaries with the ap-
23 proach taken by other states and to develop recommendations for reducing
24 operating expenses; and be it
25 FURTHER RESOLVED that the committee is authorized to meet during and
26 between sessions of the legislature and is to report its recommendations
27 and findings on the first day of the Second Session of the Fourteenth
28 Legislature and is terminated on the first day of the Second Session of the
29 Fourteenth Legislature.