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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Proposing amendments to the Constitution

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of the State of Alaska relating to

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agricultural rights in state lands.

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

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* Section 1. Article VIII, sec. 9, Constitution of the State of Alaska,

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is amended to read:

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SECTION 9. SALES AND GRANTS. Subject to the provisions of this

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section and Section 19 of this article, the legislature may provide

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for the sale or grant of state lands, or interests therein, and estab-

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lish sales procedures. All sales or grants shall contain such reser-

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vations to the State of all resources as may be required by Congress

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or the State and shall provide for access to these resources. Reser-

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vation of access shall not unnecessarily impair the owners' use,

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prevent the control of trespass, or preclude compensation for damages.

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* Sec. 2. Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Alaska, is amended

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by adding a new section to read:

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SECTION 19. AGRICULTURAL RIGHTS IN STATE LANDS. When state land

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is classified by the State as agricultural land, only the agricultural

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rights in the land may be conveyed and all other interests in the land

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remain with the State.

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* Sec. 3. The amendments proposed by this resolution shall be placed

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before the voters of the state at the next general election in conformity

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with art. XIII, sec. 1, Constitution of the State of Alaska, and the

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election laws of the State.