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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Relating to the need for a rural housing

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assessment.

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

8 WHEREAS there is little current knowledge of housing conditions and

9 housing demand in the rural areas of the state; and

10 WHEREAS there has been no comprehensive housing data collected since

11 the 1980 United States census and the housing need and the demographics of

12 the rural areas of the state have changed considerably in the last seven

13 years; and

14 WHEREAS information on housing conditions and the demand for housing

15 is necessary if the state is to develop responsive rural housing programs;

16 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the Governor is

17 respectfully requested to direct the commissioner of community and regional

18 affairs to conduct an assessment of rural housing conditions and the demand

19 for rural housing.