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BY THE LABOR AND  
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1 IN THE SENATE

2 CS FOR SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54 (L&C) am H

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Recognizing the importance of secretar-  
6 ies, certified professional secretaries,  
7 and professional legal secretaries; and  
8 requesting the Governor to designate  
9 April 25 - 29, 1988, as State Secretar-  
10 ies' Week and April 27, 1988, as State  
11 Secretaries' Day.

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

13 WHEREAS secretaries perform a myriad of tasks that require a broad  
14 range of skills and knowledge related to behavioral sciences, business and  
15 business law, the English language, office management, economics, communi-  
16 cations, sales and marketing, and office technology; and

17 WHEREAS certified professional secretaries and professional legal  
18 secretaries have demonstrated especially outstanding skills by successfully  
19 completing rigorous examinations; and

20 WHEREAS most offices and heads of offices could not perform their  
21 functions without the dedicated services of their secretarial staff; and

22 WHEREAS April 25 - 29, 1988, is Professional Secretaries' Week and  
23 April 27, 1988, is Professional Secretaries' Day;

24 BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature commends the effi-  
25 ciency and resourcefulness of the secretaries who are employed in the  
26 state; and be it

27 FURTHER RESOLVED that the legislature respectfully requests the Gover-  
28 nor to designate April 25 - 29, 1988, as State Secretaries' Week, and  
29 April 27, 1988, as State Secretaries' Day; and be it

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1        **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the legislature respectfully requests the Gover-  
2 nor to direct the division of personnel to formally recognize certified  
3 professional secretaries and professional legal secretaries as "exception-  
4 ally qualified" and to explore methods of adequately compensating employees  
5 who attain either of these designations.