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# ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

SENATE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Senate State Affairs Committee

FROM: Senate State Affairs Committee Staff

RE: HJR 74 President Ronald Reagan meets the Pope

DATE: April 24, 1984

This resolution resolves that the Alaska State Legislature welcomes the meeting in Fairbanks between President Ronald Reagan and Pope John Paul II.

*Senator Vic Fischer*

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BY THE RULES COMMITTEE  
BY REQUEST

1 IN THE HOUSE

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 74

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Relating to the meeting of Pope John  
6 Paul II and President Ronald Reagan in  
7 Fairbanks, Alaska.

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

9 WHEREAS two great world leaders, Pope John Paul II and President  
10 Ronald Reagan, intend to meet in Fairbanks, Alaska, in May of 1984; and

11 WHEREAS it is with great pride that the Legislature of the State of  
12 Alaska, and all other Alaskans, applaud the meeting of Pope John Paul II  
13 and President Ronald Reagan to address their mutual humanitarian concerns;  
14 and

15 WHEREAS the Legislature of the State of Alaska admires Pope John  
16 Paul's principles of cooperation and tolerance in promoting better under-  
17 standing among all nations; and

18 WHEREAS the legislature commends the sharing of the ideals of Pope  
19 John Paul II with our President; and

20 WHEREAS it is a great privilege and honor for all Alaskans to host  
21 this historic meeting in our Golden Heart City of Fairbanks;

22 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that, with our high  
23 regard for Pope John Paul II and all that he represents in his efforts  
24 toward furthering world peace, emphasis of the importance of the family,  
25 and his untiring dedication to promoting understanding among nations,  
26 religions, and peoples, we proudly welcome the meeting of Pope John Paul II  
27 with President Ronald Reagan in Fairbanks, Alaska.

28 COPIES of this resolution shall be sent to His Holiness Pope John Paul  
29 II and to the Honorable Ronald Reagan, President of the United States.