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# SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT

DATE: 3/25/13

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DATE TURNED  
IN TO OFFICE: 4/2/13

**State Affairs Committee** considered CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11(MLV)

## HJR 11 COMMEM. ANNIVERSARY OF REAGAN SDI SPEECH

Commemorating the 30th anniversary of President Ronald Reagan's address to the nation concerning the Strategic Defense Initiative, recognizing the strategic importance of Alaska in the missile interceptor defense system, and urging the United States to deploy the number of ground-based interceptors originally intended at Fort Greely.

and recommends:

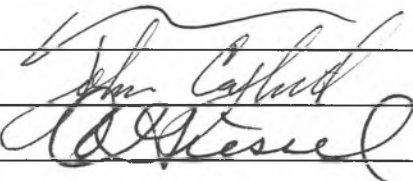
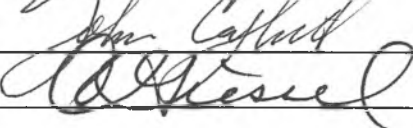
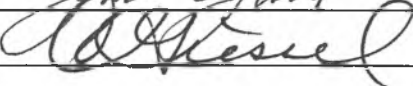
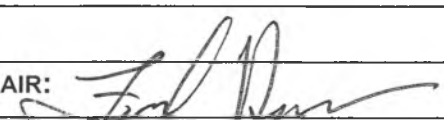
- be replaced with SCS \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  Same Title  Technical Title Change  
 New Title/SCR No. \_\_\_\_\_
- adopt previous SCS \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  Same Title  Technical Title Change  
 New Title/SCR No. \_\_\_\_\_
- attached amendment(s)
- adopt \_\_\_\_\_ Letter of Intent
- further referral to \_\_\_\_\_ Committee

Dept Abbr.	
ADM	LWF
CED	LAW
COR	LEG
CRT	MVA
EED	DNR
DEC	DPS
DFG	REV
GOV	DOT
DHS	UA

NEW FISCAL NOTE(S)				
Dept.	Fiscal	Indet.	Zero	FN #

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S)				
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APPROPRIATION - no fiscal note

SIGNATURES AND RECOMMENDATIONS:	PRINTED LAST NAME	DO PASS	DO NOT PASS	NO REC	AMEND
	Wielechowski			✓	
	Coghill	✓			
	Biessel	✓			
CHAIR: 	DYSON	✓			

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## REPRESENTATIVE DAN SADDLER

### Sponsor Statement

#### HJR 11

This resolution commemorates the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of President Ronald Reagan's "Strategic Defense Initiative" address to the nation on March 23, 1983.

President Reagan believed that we should achieve "peace through strength," and called for the nation to develop the ability to intercept and destroy strategic nuclear missiles before they could reach the United States.

Though his idea was initially mocked as a "Star Wars" fantasy, Reagan's vision was eventually realized. Americans developed what became better known, and better respected, as the "Strategic Defense Initiative."

HJR 11 commemorates the 30th anniversary of President Reagan's speech to the nation calling for the creation of the "Star Wars" defense system, and credits Reagan for his vision.

HJR 11 also honors the Alaskans who play a critical role in this system: The Alaska National Guard's 49<sup>th</sup> Missile Defense Battalion mans the nation's primary installation of the Ground-Based, Mid-course Defense System and interceptor missiles, at Fort Greely, in Interior Alaska.

But while we have 26 missiles and silos at Fort Greely, the plans had originally called for 40. In 2009 President Obama stopped short of finishing deployment of the last 14 interceptors planned for deployment.

This incomplete system left the nation vulnerable to the threat of increasingly sophisticated and capable missiles: from Iran, from China, and from North Korea.

In recent weeks, the threat has gotten even more real, North Korea has made clear and credible threats to launch nuclear attacks on the United States.

HJR 11 therefore, also calls on the current President to deploy the full number of ground-based missiles originally intended to be installed at Fort Greely. But just as this resolution was being drafted, Secretary of Defense Hagel announced his decision to deploy an additional 14 interceptors to Fort Greely, Alaska by 2017 -- bringing the total to 44 (40 in Alaska, 4 at Vandenberg AFB in California)

It's clear that President Reagan was right about Star Wars; that our nation needed and someday would be very glad to have, a defense against the threat of ICBMs.

- recognizes President Reagan's "Star Wars" vision
- honors his commitment to ensure our nation maintains peace through strength
- expresses appreciation of the brave Alaskans manning the defenses at the frontiers of space
- and validates Defense Secretary Hegel's timely decision to complete the installation of the full complement of missiles at Fort Greely.

# FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA**  
**2013 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

Bill Version CSHJR 11(MLV)  
 Fiscal Note Number 1  
 (H) Publish Date 3/20/13

Identifier (file name) HJR 11 Dept. Affected \_\_\_\_\_  
 Title Commemorating anniversary of Reagan SDI Speech Appropriation \_\_\_\_\_  
 Allocation \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sponsor Saddler  
 Requester House Military and Veterans Affairs Committee OMB Component Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

	FY14 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY14 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
			FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>FY14</b>	<b>FY14</b>	<b>FY15</b>	<b>FY16</b>	<b>FY17</b>	<b>FY18</b>	<b>FY19</b>
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants, Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

<b>FUND SOURCE</b>		(Thousands of Dollars)					
1002	Federal Receipts						
1003	GF Match						
1004	GF						
1005	GF/Prgm (DGF)						
1037	GF/MH (UGF)						
1178	temp code (UGF)						
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

<b>POSITIONS</b>							
Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

<b>CHANGE IN REVENUES</b>							

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY13) operating costs 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)  
 (discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY14) costs 0.0 (separate capital appropriation required)  
 (discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

**ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS**

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended, or repealed? \_\_\_\_\_ Discuss details in analysis section.

**Why this fiscal note differs from previous version (if initial version, please note as such)**

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