

studies of the requirements for air service to Alaska as directed by the president, and Board's investigation of the need for transportation to Alaska by irregular air carriers has been completed; and that the Civil Aeronautics Board be advised of the urgent necessity of maintaining services provided by the non-scheduled air lines to the Territory of Alaska.

AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

Passed by the House March 26, 1953.

HOUSE MEMORIAL NO. 8

TO THE GOVERNOR OF ALASKA; THE ALASKA AERONAUTICS AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION; AND THE DEPARTMENT OF AVIATION FOR THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA:

Your Memorialist, the House of Representatives of the Territory of Alaska, in Twenty-first Session assembled, respectfully represents:

WHEREAS, the Palmer Municipal Airport is receiving increasingly heavy use by private and commercial aviation interests; and

WHEREAS, this airport is so located and is of such character as to be an important emergency field for the heavy civilian and military air traffic in the vicinity of Palmer and Anchorage; and

WHEREAS, the usefulness of this airport would be significantly increased if it were equipped for operation between sunset and sunrise;

NOW THEREFORE, your Memorialist, the House of Representatives of the Territory of Alaska, in Twenty-first Session assembled, respectfully urges the Alaska Aeronautics and Communications Commission and the Department of Aviation to

provide for the installation at the Palmer Municipal Airport of a rotating beacon and boundary lights, approved by the Civil Aeronautics Administration, on both the North-South and East-West runways of the Airport.

AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

Passed by the House February 18, 1953.

HOUSE MEMORIAL NO. 9

TO THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR; THE DIRECTOR OF THE FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE AND THE DELEGATE TO CONGRESS FROM ALASKA:

Your Memorialist, the House of Representatives of the Territory of Alaska, in Twenty-first Session assembled, respectfully represents:

WHEREAS, it is in the national interest to promote and encourage the growth of year-round industry in the Territory of Alaska; and

WHEREAS, it has been the declared policy of the Interior Department to encourage local industry by requiring processing of raw materials in the area of production; and

WHEREAS, in violation of this policy, the fur seal pelts harvested annually on the Pribilof Islands in Alaska have been processed in St. Louis, Missouri, for many years,

NOW THEREFORE, your Memorialist, the House of Representatives of the Territory of Alaska, in Twenty-first Session assembled, respectfully urges that the Secretary of the Interior take immediate action to require that all processing of fur seals from the Pribilof Islands be conducted in Alaska.

AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

Passed by the House February 25, 1953.